

# HOUSE BILL 11

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(6lr1607)

## *ENROLLED BILL*

— *Judiciary/Judicial Proceedings* —

Introduced by **Delegate Simmons**

Read and Examined by Proofreaders:

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Proofreader.

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Sealed with the Great Seal and presented to the Governor, for his approval this

\_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_ o'clock, \_\_\_\_\_ M.

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Speaker.

### CHAPTER \_\_\_\_\_

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Anne Arundel County – Sheriff – Appointment of Majors**

3 FOR the purpose of ~~requiring that~~ authorizing the Sheriff of Anne Arundel County to  
4 appoint a certain number of majors who serve at the pleasure of the Sheriff at a salary  
5 determined by the County Council of Anne Arundel County; and generally relating  
6 to the Office of the Sheriff of Anne Arundel County.

7 BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,  
8 Article – Courts and Judicial Proceedings  
9 Section 2–315(a)  
10 Annotated Code of Maryland  
11 (2020 Replacement Volume and 2025 Supplement)

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13 Article – Courts and Judicial Proceedings

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#### EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.

Underlining indicates amendments to bill.

~~Strike out~~ indicates matter stricken from the bill by amendment or deleted from the law by amendment.

*Italics indicate opposite chamber/conference committee amendments.*



1 Section 2–315(c)  
2 Annotated Code of Maryland  
3 (2020 Replacement Volume and 2025 Supplement)

4 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND,  
5 That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

6 **Article – Courts and Judicial Proceedings**

7 2–315.

8 (a) This section applies only in Anne Arundel County.

9 (c) (1) The Sheriff shall appoint deputies at a salary as provided by the County  
10 Council of Anne Arundel County.

11 (2) The Sheriff may appoint a chief deputy who shall serve at the pleasure  
12 of the Sheriff.

13 **(3) THE SHERIFF ~~SHALL~~ MAY APPOINT THREE MAJORS WHO SHALL**  
14 **SERVE AT THE PLEASURE OF THE SHERIFF AT A SALARY AS PROVIDED BY THE**  
15 **COUNTY COUNCIL OF ANNE ARUNDEL COUNTY.**

16 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect  
17 October 1, 2026.

Approved:

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Governor.

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Speaker of the House of Delegates.

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President of the Senate.