

# HOUSE BILL 1394

E4, L2

3lr3162  
CF SB 923

---

By: **Delegate Impallaria**

Introduced and read first time: February 14, 2013

Assigned to: Rules and Executive Nominations

Re-referred to: Judiciary, February 26, 2013

---

Committee Report: Favorable

House action: Adopted

Read second time: March 19, 2013

---

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

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Harford County – Appointment of Fire Company Members as Deputy Sheriffs**  
3 **– Number**

4 FOR the purpose of increasing the number of members of a fire company in Harford  
5 County that a commanding officer may designate to be appointed by the sheriff  
6 as deputy sheriffs; and generally relating to deputy sheriffs in Harford County.

7 BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,  
8 Article – Public Safety  
9 Section 7–303(a)  
10 Annotated Code of Maryland  
11 (2011 Replacement Volume and 2012 Supplement)

12 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,  
13 Article – Public Safety  
14 Section 7–303(b)  
15 Annotated Code of Maryland  
16 (2011 Replacement Volume and 2012 Supplement)

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

19 **Article – Public Safety**

---

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.



1 7-303.

2 (a) (1) This section applies only to Allegany County, Carroll County, Cecil  
3 County, Dorchester County, Frederick County, Harford County, Kent County,  
4 Somerset County, Wicomico County, and Worcester County.

5 (2) Except as modified by this section, the provisions of § 7-302 of this  
6 subtitle apply to this section.

7 (b) (1) Except as provided in paragraph (2) of this subsection, the  
8 commanding officer may designate 12 members of a fire company to be appointed as  
9 deputy sheriffs.

10 (2) In Cecil County **AND HARFORD COUNTY**, the commanding officer  
11 may designate 20 members of a fire company to be appointed as deputy sheriffs.

12 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect  
13 October 1, 2013.

Approved:

---

Governor.

---

Speaker of the House of Delegates.

---

President of the Senate.