

CHAPTER 117

(House Bill 140)

AN ACT to add Section 1562A to the Code of Public Local Laws of Prince George's County (1953 Edition) (being also Article 17 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland), title "Prince George's County", sub-title "Washington Suburban Sanitary District", said new section to follow immediately after Section 1562 thereof, and to add Section 130-19A to the Montgomery County Code (1953 Supplement) (being Article 16 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland), title "Montgomery County", sub-title "Washington Suburban Sanitary District", said new section to follow immediately after Section 130-19 thereof, amending the laws of the Washington Suburban Sanitary District to provide for an annual budget with hearings thereon.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That Section 1562A be and it is hereby added to the Code of Public Local Laws of Prince George's County (1953 Edition), (being Article 17 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland), title "Prince George's County", sub-title "Washington Suburban Sanitary District", said new section to follow immediately after Section 1562 thereof, and that Section 130-19A be and it is hereby added to the Montgomery County Code (1953 Supplement) (being Article 16 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland), title "Montgomery County", sub-title "Washington Suburban Sanitary District", said new section to follow immediately after Section 130-19 thereof, and all to read as follows:

1562A. (130-19A). The Commission shall, prior to the beginning of each fiscal year, cause to be prepared an annual budget, showing in detail the projected operations of the Commission for such fiscal year. The Commission shall cause such budgets to be published in newspaper having a general circulation in the area within the jurisdiction of the Commission at least sixty (60) days prior to the beginning of each fiscal year and shall thereafter conduct public hearing on the proposed budget at least fifteen (15) days prior to the beginning of the fiscal year.

1562A (130-19A). THE COMMISSION SHALL PRIOR TO THE 1ST OF NOVEMBER OF EACH YEAR CAUSE TO BE PREPARED AN OPERATING BUDGET FOR THE SUCCEEDING CALENDAR YEAR AND SAID BUDGET SHALL BE OPEN FOR INSPECTION TO THE PUBLIC AND COPIES THEREOF SHALL BE MADE AVAILABLE TO THE PUBLIC UPON REQUEST. THE COMMISSION IS HEREBY EXPRESSLY DIRECTED TO HOLD IN THE MONTH OF DECEMBER OF EACH YEAR A PUBLIC HEARING ON THE PROPOSED BUDGET AFTER GIVING AT LEAST THIRTY DAYS NOTICE OF SUCH HEARING BY PUBLICATION IN AT LEAST ONE NEWSPAPER PRINTED AND PUBLISHED

EXPLANATION: *Italics indicate new matter added to existing law.*

[Brackets] indicate matter stricken from existing law.

CAPITALS indicate amendments to bill.

~~Strike out~~ indicates matter stricken out of bill.