

ject to a fine of not more than \$100.00 or imprisonment for not more than ten days, or both fine and imprisonment in the discretion of the court.

Any police officer witnessing a violation of this ordinance may, as an alternative to making an arrest, issue to the violator a "Notice of Violation," which, in addition to factors as required by the form of notice to be approved by the county commissioners, shall specify the violation with which the violator is charged, and it shall set forth the hour, date, and location that the violator is summoned to appear before the District Court sitting for Washington County to answer said charge.

No person shall be charged with a violation of this ordinance unless and until the arresting officer has first warned the person of the violation and the person has failed or refused to stop such violation.

SEC. 2. And be it further enacted, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1971.

Approved May 28, 1971.

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CHAPTER 780  
(House Bill 531)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Section 10(b) of Article 43B of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1970 Supplement), title "Comprehensive Drug Abuse Control and Rehabilitation Act," to authorize the Drug Abuse Authority to extend the right of privileged communication to additional persons, programs and facilities which counsel or treat persons seeking counsel or treatment for any form of drug abuse.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That Section 10(b) of Article 43B of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1970 Supplement), title "Comprehensive Drug Abuse Control and Rehabilitation Act," be and it is hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

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(b) Whenever a person shall seek counselling, treatment or therapy for any form of drug abuse from a physician, psychologist, hospital, or a *person*, program or facility authorized by the Authority to *counsel* or treat any form of drug abuse, no statement, whether oral or written, made by such person and no observation or conclusion derived from such counselling, treatment or therapy made by such physician, psychologist, hospital, *person*, program or facility shall be admissible against such person in any proceeding. The facts or results of any examination to determine the existence of illegal or prohibited drugs in a person's body shall not be admissible in any proceeding against such person, provided that the facts or results of