

to the treatment of sick animals or to a dog being owned by a non-resident of the County and confined temporarily at a licensed boarding kennel. Excepting in cases where their acts are in contravention of other Sections of this Act, enforcement officers exercising due diligence shall not be held responsible for failure to extend the immunity from local licensing accorded to dogs covered by this Section.

256T. BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS POWER TO MAKE REGULATIONS AND TO DELEGATE AUTHORITY. The Board of County Commissioners of Anne Arundel County shall have the power to make, from time to time, in their discretion, all necessary rules, regulations, and provisions, not inconsistent with the foregoing Sections, for the sale of licenses, the keeping of records and the convenient and effective enforcement of this Act with power to delegate by written contract such enforcement and administration of its various provisions provided, however, that in any such contract it reserved the right to cancel, without previous notice or recourse, such delegation for stated cause or on thirty days' notice without cause.

Said Board shall record in the County Clerk's office any such contract immediately upon its execution.

256U. If any clause, sentence, paragraph, or part of this sub-title shall for any reason be adjudged by a court to be invalid, such judgment shall be confined in its operation to the clause, sentence, paragraph or part involved in the controversy in which such judgment shall have been rendered.

SEC. 2. And be it further enacted, That Section 267-273, both inclusive, of Article 56 of the Annotated Code (1935 Supplement), be and they are hereby repealed, in so far as they apply to Anne Arundel County and any other laws inconsistent with the provisions of this Act, be and they are hereby repealed to the extent of such inconsistency.

SEC. 3. *And be it further enacted,* That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1937.

Approved May 18, 1937.

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## CHAPTER 256.

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact with amendments Sections 511 and 521 of Article 16 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland (1930 Edition), title "Montgomery County",