

242E, inclusive, to follow immediately after Section 242 of said Article, and to read as follows:

242A. No person shall, in Charles County, construct or reconstruct a cesspool, a septic tank, privy or other plant for the disposal of human excreta for any dwelling, apartment house, store, or other building occupied either for dwelling or business purposes without first obtaining a permit from the County Board of Health of Charles County; except those privies which are located more than 500 feet from any property other than that of the owner of the privy. Application for said permit shall be in writing, and as a part thereof shall contain detailed plans and specifications of the disposal system which it is proposed to construct or install; and no permit to construct or install shall be issued by said County Board of Health under this section until the application has been referred to the County Health Officer and until he has approved the said system as one which can be maintained without nuisance or danger to public health. No permit shall be issued to construct or install any said disposal system, every part of which, except where joints are leaded, is not at least fifty feet from any well or spring which is used, or likely to be used, by man as a source of drinking water or for domestic use: (and provided further that no fee shall be required for the issuance of a permit to reconstruct or remodel existing sewage disposal plants).

242B. Whenever any permit to construct or reconstruct a sewage disposal system has been issued, such system shall not be used or maintained for sewage until the person constructing, installing, or reconstructing the same has notified the County Health Officer of the completion of said system and until the County Health Officer, or his representative, shall have inspected and approved the same as complying with the plans and specifications contained in the application; provided, that in the case of sub-soil irrigation systems such notice shall be given and such inspection made before the system is covered or filled over with soil.

242C. Any person who shall violate or aid or abet in violating any of the provisions of this sub-title shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and shall, upon conviction thereof, be punished by a fine of not more than one hundred dollars (\$100.00), or by imprisonment in the County Jail for not more than ninety days, or both.

242D. Prosecutions under this sub-title shall be before a Trial Magistrate of said County.

242E. Nothing in this sub-title shall be construed to repeal or affect any powers of the State Department of Health under