

ever so requested by any of the Commissioners. In all Court proceedings under or pursuant to this Article, the decision of the Commission shall be prima facie correct and the burden of proof shall be upon the party attacking the same.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1953.

Approved April 11, 1953.

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CHAPTER 510

(House Bill 541)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Section 566 of Article 27 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1951 Edition), title "Crimes and Punishments", sub-title "Refuse—Throwing or Dumping", providing that any agency or department having zoning or planning powers in a particular area ~~shall have concurrent powers with the County Commissioners in~~ MAY BE DESIGNATED BY THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS TO EXERCISE THE POWERS ~~HAD BEEN~~ HEREIN CONFERRED CONCERNING regulating and permitting the dumping of refuse, trash, junk or motor vehicles and providing further that Wicomico County shall be included within the provisions of said section.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That Section 566 of Article 27 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1951 Edition), title "Crimes and Punishments", sub-title "Refuse—Throwing or Dumping", be and it is hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

566. It shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation, either to maintain or permit to be maintained outside of any incorporated municipality a junk yard, a public dump or a lot on which refuse, trash or junk is deposited or motor vehicles are dismantled or stored within five hundred (500) feet of a public highway or within five hundred (500) feet of the residence of another, or for any

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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.