ANY AREA OR PROPERTY, WHICH WAS ADDED TO THE WASHINGTON SUBURBAN SANITARY DISTRICT INCLUDING THOSE AREAS WHICH MAY BE ADDED BY ANY ACT OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND IN 1966, WITH THE PROVISO THAT NO AD VALOREM TAX SHALL BE LEVIED THEREIN UNTIL THE WASHINGTON SUBURBAN SANITARY COMMISSION COMMENCES, EXTENDS OR ACQUIRES A WATER OR SANITARY SEWERAGE SYSTEM THEREIN AND MAKES WATER OR SEWER SERVICE AVAILABLE TO THE PROPERTIES IN SUCH AREA, IS INCLUDED IN THE SANITARY DISTRICT FOR ALL PURPOSES EXCEPT AS A TAXING DISTRICT UNTIL THE FULFILLMENT OF SUCH CONDITIONS. THIS SECTION IS INTENDED TO BE DECLARATORY OF THE EFFECT OF THE SEVERAL ACTS WHICH ADDED AN AREA OR PROPERTY TO THE SANITARY DISTRICT UPON THE ABOVE-MENTIONED CONDITION, AND IS NOT INTENDED IN ANY WAY TO BE AMENDATORY OF ANY SUCH ACT.

SEC. 2. And be it further enacted, That if any word, phrase, clause, sentence or other part or parts of this Act shall be held unconstitutional by any court of competent jurisdiction, such unconstitutionality shall not affect the validity of the remaining parts of this Act.

SEC. 3. And be it further enacted, that this Act shall take effect June 1, 1966.

Approved May 6, 1966.

## CHAPTER 679

## (House Bill 279)

AN ACT relating to the Washington Suburban Sanitary Commission, to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Section 83-121 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Prince George's County (1963 Edition), and Section 73-99 of the Montgomery County Code (1960 Edition), being Articles 17 and 16, respectively, of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland, titles "Prince George's County" and "Montgomery County," subtitle "Washington Suburban Sanitary District," concerning the merit system and the exception of certain employees and contracts services therefrom.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That Section 83-121 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Prince George's County (1963 Edition), being Section 73-99 of the Montgomery County Code (1960 Edition) and being Articles 17 and 16, respectively, of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland, titles "Prince George's County" and "Montgomery County," subtitle "Washington Suburban Sanitary District," be and it is hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

83-121.

(73-99). Merit System; authorized.

The Washington Suburban Sanitary Commission, created by Chapter 122 of the Acts of the General Assembly of Maryland of