

shall be empowered to extend its water supply, sewerage, drainage and refuse disposal systems into any area outside of the Sanitary District contiguous thereto or in the vicinity thereof, whenever the property owners of said area shall agree to the conditions that may be imposed by said Commission **[.]**; *provided that on and after June 30, 1968, EXCEPT AS OTHERWISE PROVIDED HEREIN, the above section insofar as it applies to the power and authority granted to the Washington Suburban Sanitary Commission over drainage systems is not applicable in Montgomery County, except for that portion of the City of Takoma Park now situated in Montgomery County.* THE POWERS AND AUTHORITY SET FORTH IN THIS SECTION SHALL IN NO MANNER BE RESTRICTED BY ANY OTHER GENERAL, SPECIAL OR LOCAL LAW, EXCEPT AS SPECIFICALLY PROVIDED WITHIN THIS SUBTITLE.

Sec. 2. And be it further enacted, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1968.

SEC. 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, THAT NOTWITHSTANDING ANY OF THE FOREGOING AMENDMENTS MADE BY THIS ACT, ALL OF THE POWERS, FUNCTIONS AND DUTIES OF THE WASHINGTON SUBURBAN SANITARY COMMISSION SHALL BE CONTINUED IN FORCE ON AND AFTER JUNE 30, 1968 AS TO ANY DRAINAGE PROJECT, SYSTEM OR FACILITIES RESPECTING WHICH, PRIOR TO JUNE 30, 1968, BONDS TO PAY ANY PART OF THE COST THEREOF SHALL HAVE BEEN ISSUED OR A CONTRACT FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF ANY PART THEREOF SHALL HAVE BEEN EXECUTED ON BEHALF OF THE COMMISSION, UNTIL FULL COMPLETION OF SUCH DRAINAGE PROJECT, SYSTEM OR FACILITIES ACCORDING TO PLANS, SPECIFICATIONS AND CONTRACT DOCUMENTS APPROVED BY THE COMMISSION. THEREAFTER, THE COMMISSION SHALL TRANSFER ITS INTERESTS IN THE EASEMENTS, STRUCTURES, AND OTHER PROPERTIES RELATING TO SUCH FACILITIES, TO MONTGOMERY COUNTY.

SEC. 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, THAT NOTHING IN THIS ACT IS INTENDED OR SHALL BE CONSTRUED TO AFFECT OR IMPAIR THE OBLIGATION OF THE WASHINGTON SUBURBAN SANITARY DISTRICT UNDER ANY STORM WATER DRAINAGE BONDS HERETOFORE ISSUED BY IT AND NOW OUTSTANDING, OR THE GUARANTEE OF SUCH BONDS BY MONTGOMERY AND PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTIES OR EITHER OF SAID COUNTIES, OR THE LEVY OF TAXES FOR THE PAYMENT OF SAID BONDS AND THE INTEREST THEREON UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF THE RESPECTIVE ACTS OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF SAID BONDS, AND FURTHER, THAT NOTHING IN THIS ACT IS INTENDED OR SHALL BE CONSTRUED TO AFFECT OR IMPAIR ANY LAWFUL OBLIGATION OF THE WASHINGTON SUBURBAN SANITARY DISTRICT TO ANY CREDITOR OF SAID DISTRICT.