

and Parks, the State Department of Game and Inland Fish, the State Department of Chesapeake Bay Affairs and in Montgomery and Prince George's Counties to the Washington Suburban Sanitary Commission and The Maryland-National Capital Park and Planning Commission for their review and recommendation, and shall allow such agencies thirty (30) days in which to respond.

(a) Said sewage plan shall indicate the necessary improvements required to insure purity of the effluent to the above standard, and shall include a time schedule for the construction of the necessary improvements within not more than five (5) years.

(b) If requested by the applicant or any agency, the Department of Health shall hold a hearing thereon, after not less than ten (10) days' notice to the applicant and agencies to which referral was made. The Department shall approve the plan, with such amendments and modifications as it may determine, in accordance with the standards of this Act, within ninety (90) days of submission of the plan by the operator.

411Y.

In the event that the owners or operators of said sewage disposal plant fail to submit a plan or to construct the necessary improvements in accordance with an approved plan, the County Council or County Commissioners of such county, AND IN MONTGOMERY AND PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTIES THE WASHINGTON SUBURBAN SANITARY COMMISSION shall, upon thirty (30) days' written notice from the Department of Health that compliance has not been made with the requirements of this subsection, proceed with and complete the necessary plan and work so that the said sewage disposal plant will conform to the standards herein stated.

411Z.

Corporations and partnerships which own or control the said sewage disposal plant, and operators shall be liable to the county or governmental agency for funds so expended for sewage improvements, plus costs to include attorneys' fees, and the same shall also be a lien against the said property and collectable as taxes.

411AA.

The County Health Department in each county shall take not less than one monthly stream sample at the critical point of all sewage disposal plant outflows within the watershed in its county and deliver copies of all analyses of such samples to the operator, the Department of Health and the other Agencies above listed.

411AB.

Any person, partnership, or corporation who shall discharge raw sewage or other waste of any kind into the river, or any of its tributaries, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be punished as provided in section 411AD(b). Oyster and clam shells, and materials used in the culture of marine life shall not be deemed waste for the purposes of this Act, NOR SHALL A DISCHARGE FROM A SEWAGE TREATMENT PLANT OPERATING PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF SECTION 411W BE DEEMED WASTE FOR THE PURPOSES OF THIS SECTION.