

the County Commissioners only for incompetence or other cause, and after a hearing before the County Commissioners. All vacancies shall be filled by appointment of the County Commissioners. The County Commissioners also shall designate one alternate member of the Appeal Tax Court who is empowered to sit on the court in the absence of any member of the court; and if the alternate is absent, the court may designate a temporary alternate. *In Montgomery County, on and after December 7, 1970, the County Executive, with the approval of the County Council, shall appoint, remove, and fix the compensation of the members of the Appeal Tax Court and designate the chairman and alternate member of the court. Any hearing on the removal of a member on or after December 7, 1970, shall be before the County Executive.*

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted, That this Act shall take effect on December 7, 1970.*

Approved April 28, 1970

CHAPTER 466
(House Bill 328)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact with amendments subsections (1a), 1(1A, D), (1b), (1d), (3), (4), (9), (14), and (16) of Section 1 of Chapter 446 of the Laws of Maryland 1957, as last amended by Chapter 688 of the Laws of Maryland 1969, title "Montgomery County Revenue Authority Act", being also Sections 2-145, 2-417, 2-148, 2-150, 2-152(m,r), 2-155(b), 2-156, 2-157, 2-161, 2-166, and 2-168 (a) of the Montgomery County Code 1965, as amended, Article XIX, title "Revenue Authority", to authorize the County Executive, with the approval of the County Council to appoint, remove, and fix the compensation of members of the Revenue Authority and designate the chairman of the Authority; to require the consent of the County Executive to the acquisition by the Authority of property owned by Montgomery County and the retention of projects by the Authority as security for its revenue bonds; to require submission of all new Authority projects and plans and specifications therefore to the County Executive for approval or rejection; to authorize conveyance of property and assignment of rates, rentals, fees or charges to the Authority by the County Executive with the approval of the County Council; to authorize the County Executive, with the approval of the County Council, to agree to make advances of funds to pay deficiencies in debt service requirements of Authority bonds; to authorize the County Executive to examine the books and accounts of the Authority to require delivery of the Authority's annual audit to the County Executive, and relating generally thereto.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That subsection (1a), 1(1A, D), (1b), (1d), (3), (4), (9), (14), and (16) of Chapter 446 of the Laws of Maryland 1957, as last amended by Chapter 688 of the Laws of Maryland 1969, title "Montgomery County Revenue Authority Act", being also Sections 2-145, 2-147, 2-148,*