

Chapter 21**(Bill No. 17-70)**

An Act to amend Chapter 91, titled "Housing Standards," of the Montgomery County Code 1965, by repealing and re-enacting, with amendments, subsection (a) of Section 91-15, titled "Waivers or variances from Chapter," to authorize the County Executive and the County Health Officer to use County facilities to assist in finding relocation housing for persons residing in dwellings which fail to meet housing standards.

Be It Enacted by the County Council for Montgomery County, Maryland, that—

Section 1. Subsection (a) of Section 91-15, Chapter 91, titled "Housing Standards," of the Montgomery County Code, 1965, is hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

91-15. Waivers or variances from Chapter.

(a) Relocation housing unavailable. The County Health Officer and the Housing Board of Review are authorized to waive compliance in whole or in part with this Chapter where a dwelling, dwelling unit, rooming units and other premises or an area of dwellings and dwelling units cannot economically be made to comply with all provisions of this Chapter without the vacating of such dwelling or dwelling units, and no other adequate housing at a cost which the occupants can afford is at that time available in the County. Nothing in this subsection, however, is to be construed to prevent the reasonable enforcement of this Chapter in such dwellings, dwelling units or areas to put the dwellings or dwelling units or areas in as sanitary and healthful condition as the circumstances permit. The County Executive and Health Officer are authorized to use County facilities to assist in finding suitable relocation housing.

Section 2. Effective date.

This Act shall take effect on December 7, 1970.

Chapter 22**(Bill No. 38-69)**

An Act to add new Section 2-86A, titled "Law Enforcement and Criminal Justice Commission," to Article XIII, titled "Advisory Boards," Chapter 2, titled "Administration," of the Montgomery County Code 1965, to follow immediately after Section 2-86 thereof to establish a County commission on law enforcement and criminal justice; to provide for the membership thereof; to define the functions and activities thereof; to provide for the continuation of the Law Enforcement and Criminal Justice Commission as created by Resolution 6-214, and as amended by Resolution No. 6-1329; and to repeal all inconsistent Acts, Ordinances and Resolutions.

Be It Enacted by the County Council for Montgomery County, Maryland, that—

Section 1. Section 2-86A, titled "Law Enforcement and Criminal Justice Commission," be and is hereby added to Article XIII, Chapter 2,