

HOWARD COUNTY

Health Officer, AND THE Sanitarian or his representative shall take cognizance of all conditions dangerous to health and all unhealthy nuisances within Howard County and may upon their own initiative institute investigations and, in the event such conditions are found to exist, shall follow the procedure in Section 12.211 of this subtitle to remedy [said] THOSE conditions. Whenever any legally qualified medical practitioner, or any one or more persons affected BY UNHEALTHY CONDITIONS, [thereby, shall] makes a complaint to the Board of Health or to the County Health Officer, OR TO THE Sanitarian or his representative:

- (a) That any water course, well, spring, open ditch, gutter, cesspool, drain, privy, pit, pig pen or other place, or any accumulation or deposit of any substance is in a condition dangerous to human health;
- (B) THAT ANY LAND, BUILDING OR PROPERTY OF ANY KIND IS INFESTED WITH INSECTS, VERMIN OR RODENTS DANGEROUS TO HUMAN HEALTH;
- (C) THAT A CONDITION EXISTS IN A STRUCTURE WHEREIN A BUSINESS IS CONDUCTED WHOSE PRINCIPLE PURPOSE IS THE SALE OR STORAGE OF FOOD FOR HUMAN CONSUMPTION, WHICH IS CONDUCIVE TO RAT HARBORAGE OR RAT INFESTATION AS DEFINED IN TITLE 3, SUBTITLE 7 OF THE HOWARD COUNTY CODE, SUBTITLED RAT CONTROL;

The County Health Officer, Sanitarian or his representative shall immediately institute an investigation, and if they shall decide that the place or thing complained of is in [[such]] A condition as to injuriously affect the life or health or any person, [[the said County Health Officer, Sanitarian or his representative]] THEY shall follow the procedure in Section 12.211 of the subtitle to remedy [[said]] THE condition, OR IN THE CASE OF SUBSECTIONS (B) AND (C), SHALL REQUIRE THE PERSON, FIRM OR CORPORATION AGAINST WHICH THE COMPLAINT IS MADE TO CONFORM TO THE RULES AND REGULATIONS PROVIDED FOR IN SUBTITLE 7, OF TITLE 3 OF THE HOWARD COUNTY CODE, SUBTITLE RAT CONTROL.

Section 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED BY THE COUNTY COUNCIL OF HOWARD COUNTY, MARYLAND, that this