

REGULATIONS SHALL BE JUDICIALLY NOTICED OR READ IN EVIDENCE FROM THE PRINTED VOLUMES OR FROM A TRUE COPY OF AN AMENDMENT PUBLISHED BY THE AUTHORITY OF THE BODY. ]]

(A) PUBLIC LAWS, ORDINANCES, AND REGULATIONS.

(1) THE PUBLIC LAWS, ORDINANCES, REGULATIONS, AND RESOLUTIONS APPROVED AND ENACTED BY A COUNTY OR MUNICIPAL CORPORATION OF THE STATE, THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF BALTIMORE, THE MARYLAND NATIONAL CAPITAL PARK AND PLANNING COMMISSION, OR THE WASHINGTON SUBURBAN SANITARY COMMISSION, SHALL BE JUDICIALLY NOTICED OR READ IN EVIDENCE FROM THE PRINTED VOLUMES OR FROM A TRUE COPY OF AN AMENDMENT PUBLISHED BY THE AUTHORITY OF THE COUNTY OR MUNICIPAL CORPORATION.

(2) A RULE, REGULATION, OR BY-LAW OF AN AGENCY SUBJECT TO THE PROVISIONS OF ART. 41, SEC. 9 OF THE CODE SHALL BE JUDICIALLY NOTICED OR READ IN EVIDENCE FROM THE PRINTED VOLUMES OF THE COPY FILED IN THE COURT OF APPEALS IF THE AGENCY HAS COMPLIED WITH THE PROVISIONS OF ART. 41, SEC 9.

(B) PRIVATE LAWS.

THE PRIVATE LAWS AND RESOLUTIONS PUBLISHED BY THE AUTHORITY OF THE STATE MAY BE READ IN EVIDENCE FROM THE PRINTED STATUTE BOOK.

REVISOR'S NOTE: Subsection (a) (1) is new language derived from Art. 35, §§ 66 and 66A. Subsection (a) (2) is inserted to provide for judicial notice of regulations of administrative agencies which are required to be filed, and to limit such notice to those regulations which have actually been filed as required by Art. 41, §9. Subsection (b) presently appears as Art. 35, §61. These sections are concerned with the named subject matter, but refer to different governmental agencies. The procedure for producing evidence is broadened to cover all governmental activities. This does not materially change substantive law because all laws, ordinances, regulations, and resolutions may be proved in this fashion. The revision of these sections merely combines the procedures which presently control all agencies and places the statutory authority in one section.