

ANY PERSON WHO VIOLATES ANY PROVISION OF THIS SUBTITLE IS GUILTY OF A MISDEMEANOR AND UPON CONVICTION IS SUBJECT TO A FINE NOT EXCEEDING \$50 FOR EACH OFFENSE WITH COSTS IMPOSED IN THE DISCRETION OF THE COURT.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section is new language derived from the penalty provision in Article 66C, section 32 of the Code. It is revised in accordance with similar penalty sections in this article.

TITLE 3. ENVIRONMENTAL PROGRAMS.

SUBTITLE 1. MARYLAND ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICE.

3-101. DEFINITIONS.

(A) GENERALLY.—IN THIS SUBTITLE, THE FOLLOWING WORDS AND TERMS HAVE THE MEANINGS INDICATED.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This subsection is new language derived from Article 33B, section 3(a) of the Code.

(B) COST.—"COST" AS APPLIED TO A WATER SUPPLY PROJECT, A SOLID WASTE DISPOSAL PROJECT, A WASTE WATER PURIFICATION PROJECT, A SERVICE AREA, A SERVICE DISTRICT, OR TO ANY ACTIVITY UNDERTAKEN BY THE SERVICE, INCLUDES: (1) THE COST OF CONSTRUCTION OR ACQUISITION, INCLUDING THE PURCHASE PRICE OF ANY EXISTING PROJECT OR THE COST OF ACQUIRING ALL RIGHT, TITLE, OR INTEREST IN THE PROJECT AND THE AMOUNT TO BE PAID TO DISCHARGE ALL OBLIGATIONS NECESSARY TO VEST TITLE TO THE PROJECT OR ANY PART OF IT IN THE SERVICE; (2) THE COST OF ANY RECONSTRUCTION, EXTENSION, ENLARGEMENT, ALTERATION, REPAIR, OR IMPROVEMENT; (3) THE COST OF ALL LANDS, PROPERTIES, RIGHTS, EASEMENTS, INTERESTS, FRANCHISES, AND PERMITS ACQUIRED; [(3)] (4) THE COST OF ALL LABOR, MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT, FINANCING CHARGES, INTEREST PRIOR TO AND DURING CONSTRUCTION AND FOR ONE YEAR AFTER COMPLETION OF CONSTRUCTION; [(4)] (5) THE COST OF REVENUE ESTIMATES, ENGINEERING AND LEGAL SERVICES, PLANS, DESIGNS, SPECIFICATIONS, SURVEYS, INVESTIGATIONS, DEMONSTRATIONS, STUDIES, ESTIMATES OF COST, OTHER EXPENSES NECESSARY OR INCIDENT TO DETERMINING THE FEASIBILITY OR PRACTICABILITY OF ANY SUCH ACQUISITION, IMPROVEMENT, OR CONSTRUCTION; [(5)] (6) ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES, AND OTHER EXPENSES NECESSARY OR INCIDENTAL TO THE FINANCING HEREIN AUTHORIZED, AND