

BY repealing and re-enacting, with amendments,

Article 56 - Licenses
Section 191(b)
Annotated Code of Maryland
(1972 Replacement Volume and 1973 Supplement)

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That new Section 142A be and it is hereby added to the Public Local Laws of Calvert County being Article 5 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland (1963 Edition and 1970 Supplement) to read as follows:

Article 5

142A.

THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF CALVERT COUNTY MAY PROVIDE BY ORDINANCE THAT OWNERS OF DOGS MAY NOT PERMIT THE DOG, WHETHER LICENSED OR UNLICENSED, TO RUN AT LARGE WITHIN THE CONFINES OF ANY PLATTED SUBDIVISION OR DISTRICT ZONED RESIDENTIAL, EXCEPT WHEN THE DOG IS UNDER THE CONTROL OF THE OWNER OR AN AUTHORIZED AGENT OF THE OWNER BY LEASH, CORD OR CHAIN. HOWEVER, A PETITION REQUESTING SUCH AN ORDINANCE SHALL BE SUBMITTED TO THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS AND SIGNED BY A MAJORITY OF THE RESIDENTS OF THE PLATTED SUBDIVISION OR DISTRICT ZONED RESIDENTIAL, WITH A DESIGNATION OF THE BOUNDARY LIMITS OF THE SPECIFIC AREA. FURTHER, THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS, AFTER [[DUE NOTICE AND A PUBLIC HEARING AS REQUIRED BY LAW]] ADVERTISING THE PROPOSED ORDINANCE AND A PUBLIC HEARING ON THAT ORDINANCE FOR THREE CONSECUTIVE WEEKS IN ALL THREE NEWSPAPERS OF GENERAL CIRCULATION IN CALVERT COUNTY, SHALL DESIGNATE THE BOUNDARY LIMITS OF EACH AREA AS PART OF ANY ENACTED ORDINANCE.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That Sections 136 and 145 of the Public Local Laws of Calvert County being Article 5 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland (1963 Edition and 1970 Supplement) be and they are hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

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136.

[On or before the first day of July, 1959, and on] ON or before the first day of July of each year [thereafter], the owner of any dog, six [(6)] months old or over, shall apply either orally or in writing[,] to