

generally; annual audit and accounting; employee's retirement plan; district not Article 11E "Municipal Corporation."

[(c) Removal for cause. A County governing body may removed for cause, prior to the expiration of the term for which the commission member was appointed, any member of the commission appointed by that County governing body. In such a case, the cause for removal shall be stated in writing and a public hearing held thereon. At such a hearing an opportunity shall be given to the commission member in question to present a defense in his or her own behalf. In Montgomery County, the removal of members of the commission by the County Executive shall be subject to the approval of the County Council. Any vacancy occurring in the membership of the commission for any reason shall be filled as provided in this section for the unexpired portion of the term.]

(C) REMOVAL. IN MONTGOMERY AND PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTIES, THE COUNTY EXECUTIVE [[EACH MEMBER OF THE COMMISSION SHALL SERVE AT THE PLEASURE OF THE COUNTY EXECUTIVE OF HIS COUNTY. EACH OF THE COUNTY EXECUTIVES OF MONTGOMERY AND PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTIES]] MAY, WITH THE APPROVAL OF THE MAJORITY OF THE MEMBERS OF THE COUNTY COUNCIL OF HIS COUNTY, REMOVE ANY MEMBER OF THE COMMISSION APPOINTED FROM HIS COUNTY PRIOR TO THE COMPLETION OF THE COMMISSIONER'S TERM[[: BUT]]. IN SUCH EVENT A PUBLIC HEARING SHALL BE HELD THEREON, UNLESS WAIVED IN WRITING BY THE COMMISSION MEMBER SOUGHT TO BE REMOVED. AT SUCH HEARING AN OPPORTUNITY SHALL BE GIVEN TO THE COMMISSION MEMBER IN QUESTION TO PRESENT A DEFENSE IN HIS OR HER OWN BEHALF. THE PROVISIONS OF THIS SUBSECTION [[MAY]] SHALL NOT APPLY TO ANY MEMBER OF THE COMMISSION IN OFFICE [[AT THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF THIS ACT]] ON JUNE 1, 1975 FOR THE MEMBER'S CURRENT TERM OF OFFICE. ANY VACANCY OCCURRING IN THE MEMBERSHIP OF THE COMMISSION FOR ANY REASON SHALL BE FILLED AS PROVIDED IN THIS SECTION FOR THE UNEXPIRED PORTION OF THE TERM.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect [[July]] June 1, 1975.

Approved April 22, 1975.