

## COUNTY LOCAL LAWS

## Bill No. 8-74

AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Sections 1-903(b) & (d) of the Anne Arundel County Code (1967 Edition and Supplements), Title 1, "Administration", Subtitle 9, "Financial Disclosure", (as added by Bill No. 129-73), and to repeal Section 1-903(c) of said Code, Title and Subtitle, to change the procedure for filing public disclosure statements by certain public officials and candidates, to change the period of time covered by said statements, to correct a technical error in the law, and matters generally related thereto.

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE COUNTY COUNCIL OF ANNE ARUNDEL COUNTY, MARYLAND, That Sections 1-903(b) & (d) of the Anne Arundel County Code (1967 Edition and Supplements), Title 1, "Administration", Subtitle 9, "Financial Disclosure", (as added by Bill No. 129-73) be, and they are hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

Section 1-903.

(b) Except for a person who has filed a statement pursuant to subsection (a) above for the same period for which a statement otherwise would be required to be filed by this subsection, each candidate for nomination for, or election to, County Executive or County Council shall file with the [Secretary to the County Council] BOARD OF ELECTION SUPERVISORS at the same time that person's certificate of candidacy is filed, the statement required by this Subtitle, for the [six (6) months] CALENDAR YEAR immediately preceding the [year in] ELECTION FOR which that certificate of candidacy is filed.

(d) The [local boards of election supervisors] BOARD OF ELECTION SUPERVISORS shall not accept any certificate of candidacy or certificate of nomination unless a statement in proper form has been filed. Within thirty (30) days of the receipt of a statement, the [Secretary to the County Council] BOARD OF ELECTION SUPERVISORS shall forward it to the [local boards of election supervisors] SECRETARY TO THE COUNTY COUNCIL FOR FILING.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That Section 1-903(c) of said Code, Title and Subtitle be, and it is hereby repealed.

SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency ordinance and necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, safety, welfare and property, and