to any person or circumstances, such illegality, invalidity or unconstitutionality, or inapplicability shall not affect or impair any of the remaining provisions, sentences, clauses, sections or parts of this Act or their application to other persons or circumstances. It is hereby declared to be the legislative intent that this Act would have been adopted if such illegal, invalid or unconstitutional provision, sentence, clause, section or part had not been included therein, and if the person or circumstances to which the Act or any part thereof is inapplicable had been specifically exempted therefrom.

Section 3. Effective date.

This Act shall take effect on the 76th day following the date on which it becomes law.

Approved July 18, 1973

Chapter 2

Bill No. 16-73

AN ACT to repeal in its entirety Section 24-9, title "Board of Community and Mental Health" - Established: Membership: Appointments, Qualifications, Term of Office and Compensation of Members: Officers: Meeting: Annual Reports" and Section 24-10, title "Same-Duties", of Chapter 24, title "Health and Sanitation", Montgomery County Code 1972, and to enact in lieu thereof a new Article III, title "Comprehensive Health Planning", to Chapter 24, consisting of Sections 24-22, through 24-33, generally to comprehensive health planning relating within Montgomery County: to establish a Comprehensive Health Planning Advisory Board to be appointed by the County Executive, subject to confirmation by the County Council, and to set forth the duties and responsibilities of the Board; to authorize the establishment of a Comprehensive Health Planning Staff as a part of the Executive Branch of County Government separate and apart from the Health Department or any other agency or department having health related functions and to provide for the appointment of a staff director and supporting staff; to provide for the development and periodic revision of a comprehensive health plan for the County; and to specify a process for review and decision-making proposals and applications relating to comprehensive health planning in the County, said decision-making process to involve the Comprehensive Health Planning