

## COUNTY LOCAL LAWS

The provisions of this Act are severable and if any provision, sentence, clause, section or part thereof is held illegal, invalid or unconstitutional or inapplicable 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.

Sec. 3. Effective date.

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

Approved September 19, 1973

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Chapter 11

Bill No. 28-73

AN ACT to add to the Montgomery County Code 1972 a new Chapter 41A, title "Rent Relief in lieu of tax credits" to follow immediately after Chapter 41 thereof, to establish, pursuant to authority granted under Chapter 871, Laws of Maryland 1973, a system of rent relief in lieu of tax credits in the form of grants for certain tenants in Montgomery County on the basis of income and age or disability; to specify the nature and amount of such grants; to set forth eligibility requirements for such grants; to prescribe the procedure for application for and administration of such grants; to define words and phrases for the purposes of this Chapter; and to provide penalties for the filing of false or fraudulent claims, reports or statements hereunder.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE COUNTY COUNCIL FOR MONTGOMERY COUNTY, MARYLAND, that -

Sec. 1. There is hereby added to the Montgomery County Code 1972 a new Chapter 41A, title "Rent Relief in lieu of tax credits", to follow immediately after Chapter 41 thereof, and to read as follows: