

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1977.

Approved May 26, 1977.

CHAPTER 933

(House Bill 335)

AN ACT concerning

County Commissioners - Franchises

FOR the purpose of authorizing the County Commissioners of each county to grant a community antenna television (CATV) system franchise; and authorizing the County Commissioners to establish rates, rules, and regulations for these franchises and clarifying language.

~~BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,~~
BY adding to

Article 25 - County Commissioners
Section ~~3(a) and (c)~~ 3C
Annotated Code of Maryland
(1973 Replacement Volume and 1976 Supplement)

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That ~~Sections 3(a) and (c) of Article 25 - County Commissioners, of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1973 Replacement Volume and 1976 Supplement) be and they are hereby repealed and reenacted, with amendments, to read as follows:~~ new Section 3C be and it is hereby added to Article 25 - County Commissioners, of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1973 Replacement Volume and 1976 Supplement) to read as follows:

Article 25 - County Commissioners

3.

~~(a) (1) The county commissioners of each county in this State, [except Worcester, (except as provided in subsections (1), (c) (2), (k) and (x-1) hereof), Prince George's, Baltimore, Anne Arundel, Cecil, Howard and Queen Anne's (except as specifically provided in subsection (f)) counties,] in addition to, but not in substitution of, the powers which have been or may be granted them, have the following express powers.~~

~~(2) (i) THE FOLLOWING COUNTIES ARE~~