

FOR the purpose of granting the permit coordinator designated by the Board of Public Works the authority to inquire about permit applications and setting a time limit for action on the issuance or denial of certain permits.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article 78A - Public Works
Section 66(b)
Annotated Code of Maryland
(1975 Replacement Volume and 1979 Supplement)

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That section(s) of the Annotated Code of Maryland be repealed, amended, or enacted to read as follows:

Article 78A - Public Works

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(b) This subtitle shall not affect or lessen any exclusive jurisdiction granted by law to a local government or State agency to consider and act upon applications for particular permits. Each local government and State agency having such jurisdiction shall continue to exercise it free from interference by any other agency. HOWEVER, IN ADDITION TO THE DUTIES AND AUTHORITY CONFERRED BY THIS SUBTITLE ON THE COORDINATOR, THE COORDINATOR MAY MAKE INQUIRY AS TO ANY PERMIT APPLICATION AND MAY SET A TIME LIMIT FOR ACTION ON THE ISSUANCE OR DENIAL OF A PERMIT, IF THE PERMIT APPLICATION HAS NOT BEEN ACTED UPON WITHIN THE PRESCRIBED TIME. The procedures set forth in this subtitle, however, are exclusive and shall prevail over any inconsistent laws, rules, regulations or orders.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1980.

Approved May 20, 1980.

CHAPTER 561

(Senate Bill 466)

AN ACT concerning

Mines and Mining - Mine Examining Board

FOR the purpose of abolishing the Mine Examining Board and transferring its functions to the Director of the Bureau of Mines or his designee; establishing a