

(1) ENTER ON A PUBLIC ROADWAY AS PROVIDED IN § 10-101 OF THIS ARTICLE WITHOUT THE RECEIPT OF A PERMIT FROM OR PAYMENT OF A FEE TO ANNE ARUNDEL COUNTY;

(2) ACQUIRE PROPERTY IN ANNE ARUNDEL COUNTY IN THE SAME WAY AS PROVIDED FOR ACQUIRING PROPERTY IN PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY IN TITLE 2 OF THIS ARTICLE; AND

(3) ADOPT RULES AND REGULATIONS.

COMMITTEE NOTE: This section is new language derived without substantive changes from former Article 67, §§ 14-2, 14-3, and 14-4.

Also, this section cross-references similar provisions of other titles of this article that give the WSSC the same powers in other areas.

[14-5] 14-103. Tampering with, etc., system.

[It shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation, to] EXCEPT AS THE WSSC ALLOWS IN ITS RULES AND REGULATIONS, A PERSON MAY NOT use, handle, tamper with, obstruct, interfere with, deface, or destroy any portion of the [Washington Suburban Sanitary Commission] WSSC system [authorized to be] constructed under this [subtitle] TITLE, including pipes, fittings, fireplugs, pumps, engines, appliances, wires, or other fixtures or equipment [except under such rules and regulations as the commission may adopt].

[14-6. Same -- Violations and penalties.

Any violation of the provisions of section 14-5 is hereby declared to be a misdemeanor and shall be punishable before any justice of the peace or the circuit court of the county in which such offense is committed, and any persons adjudged guilty thereof shall be subject to a fine not exceeding one hundred dollars or thirty days in the county jail or both in the discretion of the court.]

COMMITTEE NOTE: Former Article 67, § 14-6 is combined with the other penalty provisions in the general penalty sections of Title 18.

[14-7. Powers conferred by title additional.

The powers conferred upon the Washington Suburban Sanitary Commission under this subtitle are intended to be in addition to, and not in substitution for, any power heretofore conferred by law upon it.]

COMMITTEE NOTE: Former Article 67, § 14-7, which related to certain additional powers of the WSSC, is deleted as unnecessary in light of the statement of the WSSC's power in this title.