

COUNTY LOCAL LAWS

ACTION AT LAW AGAINST THE OWNER.

Bill No. 2004-5

AN ACT OF THE COUNTY COUNCIL OF DORCHESTER COUNTY TO AMEND CHAPTER 155, SECTION 155-17 OF THE DORCHESTER COUNTY CODE TO PROVIDE THAT THE COUNTY COUNCIL SHALL APPOINT A DIRECTOR OF PLANNING FOR DORCHESTER COUNTY WHO SHALL SERVE AT THE PLEASURE OF THE COUNTY COUNCIL, WHO SHALL REPORT DIRECTLY TO THE COUNTY MANAGER, AND WHO SHALL BE SUBJECT TO COUNTY FISCAL AND PERSONNEL POLICIES.

Bill No. 2004-6

Building Excise Tax

AN ACT OF THE COUNTY COUNCIL OF DORCHESTER COUNTY, MARYLAND, PURSUANT TO ARTICLE 24, SECTION 9-1002 OF THE ANNOTATED CODE OF MARYLAND, ADDING NEW ARTICLE X TO CHAPTER 144 OF THE DORCHESTER COUNTY CODE ENTITLED "BUILDING EXCISE TAX", ESTABLISHING A BUILDING EXCISE TAX ON ALL TYPES OF BUILDING CONSTRUCTION WITHIN DORCHESTER COUNTY; SPECIFYING THE TYPES OF BUILDING CONSTRUCTION SUBJECT TO THE TAX, THE CRITERIA AND FORMULAS USED TO ASSESS THE TAX, AND THE TAX RATES; REQUIRING THE REVENUES FROM THE BUILDING EXCISE TAX TO BE DEPOSITED IN A SPECIAL FUND; PROVIDING THAT THE REVENUES FROM THE BUILDING EXCISE TAX MAY ONLY BE USED FOR CERTAIN CAPITAL COSTS OF CERTAIN PUBLIC WORKS, IMPROVEMENTS AND FACILITIES RELATED TO THE SHERIFF'S OFFICE, SCHOOLS AND EMERGENCY SERVICES; PROVIDING THAT THE BUILDING EXCISE TAX SHALL APPLY THROUGHOUT DORCHESTER COUNTY, INCLUDING WITHIN MUNICIPAL CORPORATIONS; REQUIRING AN ANNUAL REPORT BY THE DIRECTOR OF FINANCE TO THE COUNTY COUNCIL CONCERNING THE REVENUES GENERATED BY THE BUILDING EXCISE TAX AND THE EXPENDITURE OF SUCH REVENUES; AND GENERALLY RELATING TO THE IMPOSITION OF A BUILDING EXCISE TAX IN DORCHESTER COUNTY.

Bill No. 2004-11

AN ACT OF THE COUNTY COUNCIL OF DORCHESTER COUNTY, MARYLAND, TO AMEND CHAPTER 155, SECTION 155-13 OF THE DORCHESTER COUNTY CODE TO PROVIDE THAT THE TERM "COUNTY COMMISSIONERS" BE REPEALED AND NEW TERM "COUNTY COUNCIL" BE ADDED TO THE TERMS DEFINED IN THE DORCHESTER COUNTY CODE.
