

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

Article - Natural Resources

8-1104.

(a) [Before] EXCEPT AS PROVIDED IN SUBSECTION (B) OF THIS SECTION, BEFORE any person clears, grades, transports or otherwise disturbs land for any purpose including, but not limited to constructing buildings, mining minerals, developing golf courses, or constructing roads and streets, the appropriate soil conservation district first shall receive, review, and approve the proposed earth change. Land clearing, soil movement, and construction shall be carried out in accordance with the written recommendations of the soil conservation districts regarding control of erosion and siltation and elimination of pollution.

(B) IN MONTGOMERY COUNTY, NOTWITHSTANDING THE PROVISIONS OF § 8-1103(A)(1) AND § 8-1104(C) OF THIS SUBTITLE, THE SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICT MAY DELEGATE TO THE COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION, BY WRITTEN AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE DISTRICT AND THE DEPARTMENT, THE AUTHORITY TO REVIEW AND APPROVE OR REJECT ANY SEDIMENT CONTROL PLANS FOR NONAGRICULTURAL LAND-ALTERING ACTIVITIES.

SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1986.

Approved May 27, 1986.

CHAPTER 812

(House Bill 1677)

AN ACT concerning

Memorial Scholarships

FOR the purpose of naming certain State scholarships as the Judith A. Resnik Memorial Postgraduate Fellowship Program and the Sharon Christa McAuliffe Memorial Teacher Education Tuition Assistance Program.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article - Education

Section 18-901(a) and 18-1402(a)

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1985 Replacement Volume and 1985 Supplement)