

Annotated Code of Maryland
(1980 Replacement Volume and 1986 Supplement)

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

Article 78D - Regional Planning Council

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(a) On or before September 1 of each year, the Council shall submit to the Governor its operating budget for the next following fiscal year, together with supporting schedules to show that such budget is financed as herein provided, and upon approval of such budget by the Governor, provision shall be made in the State budget for such ensuing fiscal year for an appropriation equal to one third of the budget of the Council so approved. However, the State's contribution shall be subject to annual review by the General Assembly and shall not in any event exceed that amount that would be produced by a levy of an ad valorem tax of one quarter of a cent per \$100 on the total assessed value of all real property for taxation purposes in the area. ALL SPECIAL FUNDS OF THE COUNCIL SHALL BE BUDGETED IN THE OPERATING BUDGET OF THE COUNCIL.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1987.

Approved May 14, 1987.

CHAPTER 401

(Senate Bill 856)

AN ACT concerning

Gas and Electric Companies - Metering and Submetering

FOR the purpose of clarifying the law to specify that a gas or electric company shall provide either "individual metered service" or "submetering" in each unit of certain buildings and shopping centers, constructed after certain dates, before the Public Service Commission will authorize the gas or electric company to service the buildings on shopping centers.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,