

CHAPTER 103

(House Bill 741)

AN ACT concerning

Washington Suburban Sanitary Commission -
Sediment Control Authority
MC/PG 8-87

FOR the purpose of specifying that the regulations of the Washington Suburban Sanitary Commission (WSSC) concerning erosion and sediment control apply to utility construction work; repealing certain provisions relating to the exercise of erosion and sediment control authority in Montgomery County; requiring the soil conservation districts of Montgomery and Prince George's counties to approve certain erosion and sediment control requirements; and generally relating to the WSSC's erosion and sediment control regulations in Montgomery and Prince George's counties.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article - Natural Resources
Section 8-1104(c)
Annotated Code of Maryland
(1983 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 - Natural Resources

8-1104.

(c) In Prince George's and Montgomery counties, the Washington Suburban Sanitary Commission, after consultation with and advice of the soil conservation districts of the two counties and the Department of Natural Resources, shall prepare and adopt rules and regulations for erosion and [siltation] SEDIMENT control requirements for utility construction WORK. The rules and regulations shall be adopted and enforced as are others of the Commission under authority conferred by other laws. These rules and regulations apply to any [contractor doing] UTILITY CONSTRUCTION work [for the Washington Suburban Sanitary Commission] IN PRINCE GEORGE'S AND MONTGOMERY COUNTIES. [Utility construction may not be undertaken in Montgomery County until an erosion and sediment control plan is submitted to and approved by the Washington Suburban Sanitary Commission. After the county