

BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,

Article – Public Utility Companies

Section 1-101(r) and 7-207(b)

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1998 Volume and 2000 Supplement)

BY adding to

Article – Public Utility Companies

Section 7-207.1

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1998 Volume and 2000 Supplement)

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

Article - Environment

2-402.

The Department may not require a permit or registration for:

(1) Any machinery or equipment that normally is used in a mobile manner;

(2) Any boiler used exclusively to operate steam engines for farm and domestic use;

(3) The construction of a generating station constructed by [an electric company] A PERSON THAT IS REQUIRED TO OBTAIN A CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY UNDER §§ 7-207 AND 7-208 OF THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMPANIES ARTICLE AND REGULATIONS ADOPTED BY THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION;

(4) Actual construction of buildings, apart from any possible emission producing machinery housed in the buildings;

(5) Any parking garage; or

(6) Any parking lot.

Article - Public Utility Companies

1-101.

(r) “On-site generated electricity” means electricity that:

(1) is not transmitted or distributed over an electric company’s transmission or distribution system; [and] OR

(2) is generated at a facility owned or operated by an electric customer or operated by a designee of the owner who, with the other tenants of the facility, consumes at least 80% of the power generated by the facility each year.