Washington Suburban Sanitary Commission – Fuel Gas – Jurisdiction and Regulations

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FOR the purpose of altering the authority of the Washington Suburban Sanitary Commission (WSSC) to adopt regulations for the installation of certain plant and equipment in connection with fuel gas; authorizing the WSSC to require a permit and charge a fee for the installation of certain fuel gas plant and equipment; repealing a provision that states that the WSSC does not have jurisdiction over bottled gas and that WSSC regulations do not apply to premises on which only bottled gas is consumed; making stylistic changes; and generally relating to WSSC jurisdiction and regulations over fuel gas.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
Article 29 – Washington Suburban Sanitary District
Section 9–102
Annotated Code of Maryland
(2003 Replacement Volume and 2006 Supplement)

BY repealing

Article 29 – Washington Suburban Sanitary District Section 9–103 Annotated Code of Maryland (2003 Replacement Volume and 2006 Supplement)

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

Article 29 - Washington Suburban Sanitary District

9-102.

- (a) (1) The WSSC may adopt [rules and] regulations that the WSSC considers necessary or desirable for the [construction, installation, and equipment] INSTALLATION of FUEL gas [fixtures, devices,] PIPING, APPLIANCES, APPURTENANCES, and connections from the [outlet of the meter] POINT OF SERVICE supplying any [building] PREMISES in the Washington Suburban Sanitary District. The WSSC may require a permit and charge a fee for [these] THE INSTALLATION OF FUEL gas [fixtures, devices,] PIPING, APPLIANCES, APPURTENANCES, and connections.
- (2) The WSSC shall publish separate notices of any new [rules and] regulations which are authorized by this section at least 30 days before their effective date in at least 2 newspapers published in each county.