HEARINGS, INCLUDING ANY REFERENCE TO A HEARING OFFICER EMPLOYED BY OR APPOINTED BY ANY AGENCY.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That, except as provided in Section 3 of this Act, it is the intent of the General Assembly that the amendment to § 9–1603(b)(1) of the State Government Article under this Act shall apply to the incumbent Chief Administrative Law Judge.

SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That the salary of the incumbent Chief Administrative Law Judge may not be increased or decreased until January 1, 1993, and, effective January 1, 1993, the salary of the incumbent Chief Administrative Law Judge may be altered in the same manner that the salaries of other public officials serving greater than 4-year terms may be altered.

SECTION 3: 4. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall be construed retroactively and shall be applied to and interpreted to affect the Office of Administrative Hearings and all contested hearings beginning on or after January 1, 1990.

SECTION 4. <u>5.</u> AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July June 1, 1991.

Approved April 30, 1991.

CHAPTER 182

(House Bill 371)

AN ACT concerning

Washington Suburban Sanitary District - Bond Issue - Water

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FOR the purpose of authorizing the issuance of bonds for the Washington Suburban Sanitary District in an amount not exceeding \$36 million for enlarging, increasing, and augmenting the water supply and major distribution facilities of the Sanitary District; providing that the bonds shall be guaranteed as to payment of principal and interest by the County Council of Montgomery County and the County Council of Prince George's County, or the governing body for each county, respectively, as may be provided by law or instrument of Charter, with a provision for waiver of the guarantee at the option of the Commission; providing for the payment of the bonds and the interest on the bonds by levy or taxes against assessable property within the Sanitary District; providing for the collection of water service charges; and providing for the ratification and confirmation of any guarantee made by the County Council of Montgomery County and the County Council of Prince George's County, or the governing body for each county, respectively, as may be provided by law or instrument of Charter, of any water supply bonds of the Washington Suburban Sanitary District heretofore issued.