

6-1004. Penalties.

(a) Misdemeanor. Upon conviction by a court, any act or omission designated as a misdemeanor in this title or any violation of any rule or regulation, unless otherwise provided, is punishable by a fine of not exceeding \$100, or by confinement for not more than 30 days in the county jail, or both.

(b) Continuing nature. If the act or omission is of a continuing nature and persists, a conviction for 1 offense is not a bar to the conviction for a continuation of the offense subsequent to the first or any succeeding conviction. (1957 Code, sec. 551. 1957, ch. 694, sec. 897; 1961, ch. 743, sec. 551; 1970 ed. sec. 28-24; 1974, ch. 797, sec. 28-24; 1984, ch. 289)

6-1005. Rules and regulations.

The Commission may [prescribe rules and] ADOPT regulations for the administration and enforcement of this title. The rules and regulations, as well as any resolutions, orders, [schedules] SCHEDULES, or minutes of the Commission, shall be matters of public record and open to inspection during regular business hours. (1957 Code, sec. 552. 1957, ch. 694, sec. 898; 1961, ch. 743, sec. 552; Code, 1970 ed. sec. 28-25; 1984, ch. 289)

6-1006. Legislative intent.

(a) Construction; other laws. This title constitutes full and complete authority, without regard to the provisions of any other law, for the doing of the acts and things that it authorizes. It shall be liberally construed to effect its purposes. These provisions do not restrict any control which the State Department of Health and Mental Hygiene, the Department of [Geology, Mines and Water Resources] NATURAL RESOURCES and the [Water Pollution Control Commission] THE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT are empowered to exercise over or within any District.

(b) Additional method. This title shall be deemed to provide an additional and alternative method for the doing of the things authorized by it, and shall be regarded as supplemental and additional to powers conferred by other laws, and may not be regarded as in derogation of any powers now existing.

(c) Inconsistent laws. All laws or part of laws inconsistent with the provisions of this title are repealed to the extent of the inconsistency. (1957 Code, sec. 553. 1957, ch. 694, sec. 899; 1970 ed. sec. 28-26; 1984, ch. 289)

DRAFTER'S NOTE: In § 6-1006(a) of this Code, the titles "Department of Natural Resources" and "Department of Environment" are substituted for "Department of Geology, Mines, and Water Resources" and "Water Pollution Control Commission", respectively, to reflect the changes of the titles of the department that currently exercise the authority of the former units of State government.

[6-1007. Severability.

The provisions of this title are severable. It is the intention to confer the whole or