

viction, is subject to a fine not exceeding one hundred dollars (\$100.00) or to confinement in the county jail for not more than thirty (30) days, or both in the discretion of the magistrate or Circuit Court. If the act or omission is of a continuing nature and is persisted in, in violation of the provisions of this subtitle or of any rule or regulation formulated thereunder, a conviction for one offense shall not be a bar to the conviction for a continuation of such offense subsequent to the first or any succeeding conviction.

426. *Rules and regulations.*

The Commission may prescribe all needful rules and regulations for the administration and enforcement of this subtitle. In addition to its own power to adopt appropriate rules and regulations, the Commission may adopt and enforce regulations of the State Department of Health and/or the Harford County Health Officer fixing standards of construction for sanitary facilities or installations. Prior to the adoption of any such rules and regulations other than those of the State Department of Health or the Harford County Health Officer the Commission shall give public notice of the rules and regulations which it proposes to adopt by publishing the same in at least two newspapers of general circulation published in Harford County at least twice not less than fifteen (15) days prior to a public hearing, the date, time and place of which shall be specified in such notice.

427. *Severability.*

All Acts and parts of Acts inconsistent with the provisions of this subtitle are repealed to the extent of their inconsistency, provided that nothing herein contained shall be taken as restricting any control which the State Board of Health of Maryland and the Department of Geology, Mines and Water Resources are empowered to exercise within any sanitary districts.

SEC. 2. And be it further enacted, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1963.

Approved April 30, 1963.

CHAPTER 707

(House Bill 700)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Section 2-121 (a) of the Montgomery County Code (1960 Edition), being Article 16 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland, title "Montgomery County," subtitle "Administration," as said section was amended by Chapter 505 of the Acts of 1961, to provide for ~~an increase in the partial exemption from~~ A CREDIT AGAINST ASSESSMENT FOR THE PURPOSE OF real estate taxes in Montgomery County for persons sixty-five years of age or over, and to provide that the ~~exemption~~ CREDIT shall apply where such persons are required to change residence because of condemnation or threat of condemnation.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That Section 2-121 (a) of the Montgomery County Code (1960