

APPROPRIATE SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICT. NOTICE OF VIOLATION OF THE PROVISIONS OF THIS SUBTITLE SHALL BE FILED WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES, AS WELL AS WITH THE APPROPRIATE COUNTY AGENCY.

(B) EACH COUNTY SHALL ADOPT GRADING AND BUILDING ORDINANCES, OR PORTIONS THEREOF, WHICH ARE NECESSARY TO CARRY OUT THE PROVISIONS OF THIS SUBTITLE. THE DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES AND THE APPROPRIATE SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICT SHALL ASSIST THE SEVERAL COUNTIES IN THE DEVELOPMENT OF SUCH ORDINANCES OR NECESSARY PORTIONS THEREOF. THE PROVISIONS OF THIS SUBSECTION SHALL BE CARRIED OUT PRIOR TO MARCH 1, 1971. PRIOR TO MARCH 1, 1971, ESTABLISHED ORDINANCES AND PROCEDURES SHALL BE USED BY THE COUNTIES TO CARRY OUT THE PROVISIONS OF THIS SUBTITLE.

109.

Any violation of this subheading shall be deemed a misdemeanor, and the person, partnership, or corporation who is found guilty of such violation shall be subject to a fine not exceeding five thousand dollars (\$5,000.00) or one year's imprisonment for each and every violation. Any agency whose approval is required under this subheading or any person in interest may seek an injunction against any person, partnership, or corporation, whether public or private, violating or threatening violation of any provisions of this subheading.

110.

The Department of Natural Resources, by the Secretary of Natural Resources, is authorized ~~IS EMPOWERED~~ to promulgate regulations for the administration and enforcement of this subtitle.

FOR THE PURPOSES OF THIS SUBHEADING, THE BUREAU OF PUBLIC WORKS OR SIMILAR MUNICIPAL AGENCY IS EMPOWERED AND DIRECTED TO ACT IN THE PLACE OF THE APPROPRIATE SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICT IN MUNICIPALITIES WHICH ARE NOT WITHIN A SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICT.

Sec. 6 SEC. 4. And be it further enacted, That Sections 163(a) and 167B(a) of Article 25 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1957 Edition, 1966 Replacement Volume and 1969 Cumulative Supplement) title "County Commissioners," subtitle "Erosion" be and they are hereby repealed and re-enacted with amendments, to read as follows:

163(a).

Upon the written application or petition of 75 percent of the property owners in any of said districts, requesting erosion prevention works, the county commissioners, acting as district council for any of such districts, are hereby authorized and empowered to construct erosion prevention works in said districts to prevent erosion by the Chesapeake Bay and tributaries, or by any other stream or