

those portions of Prince George's County not now within the Maryland-Washington Metropolitan District, and from and after June 1, 1965, the commission's gas fitting regulations shall apply to all the area within the county.]

[The commission shall] THE WSSC DOES NOT have [no] ANY jurisdiction[, however,] over bottled gas, [nor shall its] AND THE WSSC'S rules and regulations DO NOT apply to premises [upon] ON which only bottled gas is consumed.

[The commission shall have the same authority to adopt and revise rules and regulations, subject to the same procedures for adoption and revision, however, as specified in section 9-2 for the portions of Prince George's County made subject to the gas fitting regulations by this section, and a violation of this section or of the commission's rules and regulations adopted hereunder shall be punishable in the same manner as specified in section 9-2.]

COMMITTEE NOTE: The first and last sentences of former Article 67, § 9-3, which related to gas fixtures, are proposed for repeal because of new language added to new § 9-102 of this title that includes all of Prince George's County under the WSSC's jurisdiction for purposes of regulating gas fixtures.

TITLE 10. HIGHWAYS AND STREETS.

[10-1] 10-101. WSSC's Right of Entry.

[(a) The commission may enter upon any state, county or municipal street, road or alley, or any public highway, for the purpose of installing, maintaining and operating the water supply, sewerage and drainage system provided for under this article, and it may construct in any such street, road or alley or public highway, a water main, sewer or drain, or any appurtenance thereof, which may be done, except in the improved streets, roads, highways and alleys which are maintained by Montgomery County or those streets, roads, highways and alleys which are being constructed or are to be constructed by Montgomery County, without the receipt of a permit or the payment of a charge, and in the aforesaid streets, roads, highways and alleys of Montgomery County may be done subject to the provisions of this section with respect to a permit and reasonable county regulations; provided, that no regulation, permit or approval requirement established pursuant to authority conferred on Montgomery County hereby shall be administered so as to constitute a taking, in the constitutional sense, of any such franchise rights as public service corporations and utility companies may have in the public highways, streets, roads, ways or alleys, nor divest the commission of its right to use the public highways, streets, roads, ways or alleys for the installation of its facilities, all those rights being