

[(b)] (A) [Upon] ON application of the [Washington Suburban Sanitary Commission] WSSC, verified by oath [or affirmation] of a member or employee [thereof] OF THE WSSC, the circuit court of any county, sitting in equity, [may,] by injunction[, ] MAY:

(1) [enforce] ENFORCE the compliance with[, ] or restrain the violation of[, ] any order, [or] notice, or rule, or regulation[, ] of the [commission] WSSC [made pursuant to] UNDER the provisions of this article[, ]; [or]

(2) [restrain] RESTRAIN the violation or attempted violation of any of the provisions of this article[, ]; [or]

(3) [require] REQUIRE the compliance with any of the provisions of this article[, ] by any person[, firm or corporation]; or

(4) [require] REQUIRE the entry of any employee or agent of the [commission] WSSC within a designated area [upon] ON the private premises and into any building in the sanitary district where the [commission] WSSC shows a violation of this article.

(B) The court [shall] MAY not require the [commission] WSSC to post a bond.

(C) [In the event] IF the respondent in a petition for injunction [pursuant to] UNDER this subsection is a nonresident of [the] THIS State [of Maryland], process by publication shall be effected [pursuant to] UNDER Rule 105 of the Maryland Rules of Procedure.

(D) AS TO §§ 10-101 THROUGH 10-103, INCLUSIVE, OF THIS ARTICLE:

(1) MONTGOMERY COUNTY MAY APPLY THE PROVISIONS OF THIS SECTION IF AN APPLICATION IS VERIFIED BY OATH OF AN EMPLOYEE OF MONTGOMERY COUNTY; AND

(2) THE COURT MAY NOT REQUIRE MONTGOMERY COUNTY TO POST A BOND.

[18-8] 18-106. Payment of damages.

(a) (1) Except as provided in subsection (b) OF THIS SECTION, the [commission is authorized] WSSC, [pursuant to] UNDER RULES OR regulations [promulgated] ADOPTED by [it] THE WSSC, [to] MAY pay for actual property damage caused by a sanitary sewer backup occurring on or after July 1, 1979[, or for damage caused by a sanitary sewer backup occurring prior to July 1, 1979, if a claim for damage caused by the backup is pending before the commission on July 1, 1979].