

CHAPTER 701

(House Bill 303)

AN ACT concerning

Anne Arundel County - Well Drillers - Permit Fee

FOR the purpose of requiring the Anne Arundel County Board of Health to set the permit ~~fee fees~~ for well drillers so as to produce funds to ~~approximate the~~ reflect the actual cost of certain services; establishing a certain limitation on the amount of the fee charged for a well drilled to replace an existing well; and generally relating to the well drillers permit fee in Anne Arundel County.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
Article - Environment
Section 9-1307
Annotated Code of Maryland
(2007 Replacement Volume and 2007 Supplement)

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

Article - Environment

9-1307.

(a) In applying for a permit to drill a well, the well driller shall give the Department any information the Department requires.

(b) As a condition to issuing a permit to drill a well, the Department may require that samples of the materials encountered in drilling the well be preserved and submitted to the Department.

(c) (1) (i) A county board of health may establish a permit fee to defray county expenses in inspecting wells, collecting water samples, and issuing certificates of potability.

(ii) For an interim certificate of potability, a county board of health shall accept initial test results prepared by a private State certified laboratory.

(2) (i) The fee may be charged before a permit required under § 9-1306 of this subtitle is issued.