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House Bill 354

(St. Mary's County Delegation)

Environmental Matters

Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs

St. Mary's County - Code of Public Local Laws - Legalization

This bill legalizes the 2002 edition of the Code of Public Local Laws of St. Mary's County and any pocket or loose-leaf supplement to the 2002 Code of Public Local Laws published by the St. Mary's County Commissioners.

The bill is effective July 1, 2003.

Fiscal Summary

State Effect: None.

Local Effect: St. Mary's County finances would not be affected.

Small Business Effect: None.

Analysis

Background: Chapter 369 of 1978 legalized the current edition of the Code of Public Local Laws of St. Mary's County.

St. Mary's County is one of eight counties that operate under the commission form of government. Commission counties have limited powers and only those powers that are expressly delegated by the General Assembly. Legalizing the changes to the Code of Public Local Laws prior to publication of a new compilation must receive approval of the General Assembly. St. Mary's County advises that funds have been appropriated for the publishing costs of the county's new edition of the Code of Public Local Laws.

Additional Information

Prior Introductions: None.

Cross File: None.

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