HOUSE BILL 930

L5 8lr1805 HB 1075/06 – ENV By: Prince George's County Delegation and Montgomery County Delegation Introduced and read first time: February 6, 2008 Assigned to: Environmental Matters Committee Report: Favorable House action: Adopted Read second time: March 18, 2008 CHAPTER _____ 1 AN ACT concerning 2 Maryland-Washington Regional District - Boundaries - City of Laurel 3 **PG/MC 124-08** 4 FOR the purpose of altering a certain provision of law so as to provide that the boundaries of the Maryland-Washington Regional District include all of Prince 5 6 George's County except the City of Laurel as its boundaries are defined as of a certain date; and generally relating 7 to the boundaries 8 Maryland-Washington Regional District. 9 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments, Article 28 – Maryland–National Capital Park and Planning Commission 10 11 Section 7–103 Annotated Code of Maryland 12 13 (2003 Replacement Volume and 2007 Supplement) 14 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows: 15 16 **Article 28 - Maryland-National Capital Park and Planning Commission** 17 7-103.18 (a) The entire area of Montgomery County is within the regional district, subject to the provisions of § 7–105 of this title. 19

EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.

<u>Underlining</u> indicates amendments to bill.

Strike out indicates matter stricken from the bill by amendment or deleted from the law by amendment.

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- (b) The entire area of Prince George's County is within the regional district, with the exception of the City of Laurel, as its corporate boundaries are defined as of July 1, [1994] 2008. A municipal corporation within the areas added by this subsection to the Maryland–Washington Regional District is not authorized, by means of an amendment to its charter or otherwise, to exercise any of the powers relating to planning, subdivision control, or zoning granted by the Maryland–National Capital Park and Planning Commission or the County Council of Prince George's County. If this subsection for any reason is held by any court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid, it is declared to be the intention of the General Assembly that this subsection is severable and that the remaining portions of this subsection would have been enacted without the invalid portions.
- SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 2008.

Approved:	
	Governor.
	Speaker of the House of Delegates.

President of the Senate.