CHAPTER 438

(House Bill 1134)

AN ACT concerning

Washington Suburban Sanitary Commission – Audit and Financial Statements

MC/PG 122-09

FOR the purpose of requiring the Washington Suburban Sanitary Commission to file each year a certified copy of its annual audit and current financial statements with the Montgomery County and Prince George's County Senate and House delegations to the Maryland General Assembly; and generally relating to the audits and financial statements of the Washington Suburban Sanitary Commission.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article 29 – Washington Suburban Sanitary District

Section 1–106

Annotated Code of Maryland

(2003 Replacement Volume and 2008 Supplement)

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

Article 29 - Washington Suburban Sanitary District

1-106.

The WSSC shall:

- (1) Publish annually in at least one newspaper in Montgomery County, and one in Prince George's County, a copy of the current financial statement of the WSSC;
- (2) Employ a certified public accountant licensed to practice in this State to audit the books and accounts of the WSSC;
- (3) Keep available and open to public inspection during business hours, at its principal office, the annual audit and current financial statements; and
- (4) File annually with the County Executive and County Council of Prince George's County [and], the County Executive of Montgomery County, **AND THE**

MONTGOMERY COUNTY AND PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY SENATE AND HOUSE DELEGATIONS TO THE MARYLAND GENERAL ASSEMBLY, a certified copy of the annual audit and current financial statements.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect October 1, 2009.

Approved by the Governor, May 7, 2009.