

Expedited Bill No. 17-25
Concerning: Contracts and Procurement
– General Provisions – Exemptions –
Internet Access Service
Revised: 7/29/2025 Draft No. 3
Introduced: June 17, 2025
Enacted: July 29, 2025
Executive: August 4, 2025
Effective: August 4, 2025
Sunset Date: _____
Ch. 18, Laws of Mont. Co. 2025

COUNTY COUNCIL FOR MONTGOMERY COUNTY, MARYLAND

Lead Sponsor: Council President at the request of the County Executive

AN EXPEDITED ACT to: exempt the acquisition of internet access service from procurement law.

By amending

Montgomery County Code
Chapter 11B, Contracts and Procurement
Section 11B-4

Boldface	<i>Heading or defined term.</i>
<u>Underlining</u>	<i>Added to existing law by original bill.</i>
[Single boldface brackets]	<i>Deleted from existing law by original bill.</i>
<u>Double underlining</u>	<i>Added by amendment.</i>
[[Double boldface brackets]]	<i>Deleted from existing law or the bill by amendment.</i>
* * *	<i>Existing law unaffected by bill.</i>

The County Council for Montgomery County, Maryland approves the following Act:

1 **Sec. 1. Section 11B-4 is amended as follows:**

2 **Sec. 11B-4. Exemptions.**

3 (a) This Chapter, other than Article XII, does not apply to:

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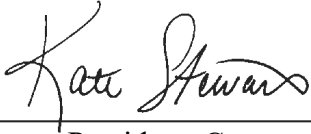
5 (10) obtaining advertising services from media sources; [and]

6 (11) obtaining internet access service ~~[[under procedures approved~~
7 by the Chief Administrative Officer]] by administrative
8 procedure under Section 2A-16; and

9 (12) any other procurement exempted from this Chapter by another
10 law.

11 **Sec. 2. Expedited effective date.** The Council declares that this legislation
12 is necessary for the immediate protection of the public interest. This Act takes
13 effect on the date on which it becomes law.

Approved:

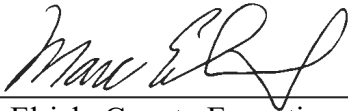


Kate Stewart, President, County Council

July 29, 2025

Date

Approved:



Marc Elrich, County Executive

August 4, 2025

Date

This is a correct copy of Council action.



Sara R. Tenenbaum, Clerk of the Council

August 4, 2025

Date