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Congress.gov - Library of Congress

202-707-5079 (Ask A Law Librarian)

www.congress.gov

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Maryland General Assembly

100 State Circle

Annapolis, MD 21401-1925

410-946-5400 (V)

301-970-5400 (V)

1-800-492-7122 x 5400 (Toll Free)

E-mail: libr@mlis.state.md.us

<http://mgaleg.maryland.gov>

The General Assembly is Maryland's legislative body and directly represents the electorate. The state has 47 districts represented by 47 Senators and 141 Delegates. Website features House and Senate proceedings and bill information and status.

Montgomery County Council

100 Maryland Avenue

Rockville, MD 20850

240-777-7900 (V)

240-777-7910 (Legislative Information Services)

E-mail: county.council@montgomerycountymd.gov

www.montgomerycountymd.gov/council

The Montgomery County Council is the legislative branch of County Government. Individual Councilmembers introduce bills based on their own experience with community problems or because they have been approached by a constituent or group of constituents. Legislation enacted by the Council is delivered to the County Executive, who has 10 days to approve or disapprove it. If the Executive vetoes the bill, the Council has 60 days to reenact it over the Executive's veto by the vote of 6 members. In the case of emergency legislation necessary for the immediate protection of public health or safety, notice of public hearing may be given by press release. Six votes are required to enact an Emergency bill. Emergency legislation takes effect immediately; regular legislation takes effect 91 days after enactment. Watch live and archived Council meetings at: www.montgomerycountymd.gov/COUNCIL/OnDemand/index.html.

U.S. House of Representatives - Legislative Information

202-224-3121 (V)

202-225-1904 (TTY)

www.house.gov

For the latest Congress legislative information from Washington, DC. Legislative resources include bills, amendments, debates, laws, hearings, and voting information. Updated every Friday. View live house floor proceedings via their website. As per the Constitution, the U.S. House of Representatives makes and passes federal laws. The House is one of Congress's two chambers (the other is the U.S. Senate), and part of the federal government's legislative branch. The number of voting representatives in the House is fixed by law at no more than 435, proportionally representing the population of the 50 states.

