

[[Expedited]] Bill No. 15-07  
Concerning: Forest Conservation -  
Religious Institutions  
Revised: 7-27-07 Draft No. 2  
Introduced: June 26, 2007  
Enacted: July 31, 2007  
Executive: August 8, 2007  
Effective: November 8, 2007  
Sunset Date: None  
Ch. 10, Laws of Mont. Co. 2007

## COUNTY COUNCIL FOR MONTGOMERY COUNTY, MARYLAND

By: Council President at the Request of the County Executive  
and Councilmembers Leventhal and Ervin

**AN [[EXPEDITED]] ACT** to:

- (1) further define the application of certain forest conservation requirements to certain religious institutions; and
- (2) generally amend the law regarding forest conservation.

By amending

Montgomery County Code  
Chapter 22A, Forest Conservation - Trees  
Sections 22A-3 and 22A-12

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



13 " A religious institution must comply with the requirements that apply to the base  
14 zone in which it is located.]

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16 [[Sec. 2. Expedited Effective Date. The Council declares that this  
17 legislation is necessary for the immediate protection of the public interest. This Act  
18 takes effect on the date when it becomes law.]]

19 *Approved:*

20 Marilyn J. Praisner August 1, 2007  
Marilyn J. Praisner, President, County Council Date

21 *Approved:*

22 Isiah Leggett August 8, 2007  
Isiah Leggett, County Executive Date

23 *This is a correct copy of Council action.*

24 Linda M. Lauer August 9, 2007  
Linda M. Lauer, Clerk of the Council Date