

COUNTY COUNCIL

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DORCHESTER COUNTY, MARYLAND

CIRCUIT COURT  
DORCHESTER COUNTY

2014 Legislative Session,  
Legislative Day No. 5


Introduced By: Council

BILL NO. 2014- 5

AN ACT OF THE COUNTY COUNCIL OF DORCHESTER COUNTY, MARYLAND TO REPEAL AND REENACT SECTION 10-8.3 OF ARTICLE 10 OF THE CODE OF PUBLIC LAWS OF MARYLAND TO PROVIDE THAT COUNTY COUNCIL MEMBERS WHO HAVE NOT BEEN REELECTED AT THE PRIMARY ELECTION OF AN ELECTION YEAR MAY NOT MAKE APPOINTMENTS TO COUNTY BOARDS AND/OR COMMITTEES AFTER SEPTEMBER 1<sup>ST</sup> OF SUCH ELECTION YEAR AND TO PROVIDE THAT A COUNTY COUNCIL MEMBER WHO IS NOT REELECTED AT A NOVEMBER GENERAL ELECTION MAY NOT MAKE APPOINTMENTS TO COUNTY BOARDS AND/OR COMMITTEES DURING THE TIME IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING THE GENERAL ELECTION AND BEFORE THE NEWLY ELECTED COUNTY COUNCIL TAKES ITS OATH OF OFFICE.

Introduced, read first time, ordered posted on the official bulletin board of County, County Office Building, 501 Court Lane, Cambridge, Maryland 21613.

Ordered publication for once a week for two (2) successive weeks, and public hearing scheduled on Tuesday, May 6, 2014, Room 110, County Office Building, 501 Court Lane, Cambridge, Maryland at 7:10 p.m.

By order:   
Jay L. Newcomb  
President of the County Council  
of Dorchester County, Maryland

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SECTION ONE: Acting under Section 10-206 of the Local Government Article, of the Annotated Code of Maryland (the "Act") be it ENACTED and ORDAINED by the County Council of Dorchester County, Maryland that Section 10-8.3 of Article 10 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland, be, and the same is hereby repealed and reenacted to read as follows:

§ 10-8.3. Appointments.

- A. A County Council member who is not reelected at the Primary Election may not make appointments to County boards after September 1<sup>st</sup> of such election year.
- B. A County Council member who is not reelected at a November General Election may not make appointments to County boards and/or committees during the time immediately following the general election and before the newly elected County Council takes its oath of office.


SECTION TWO: Pursuant to the Act be it further ENACTED and ORDAINED by the County Council of Dorchester County, Maryland that General Code Publishers is directed to codify new Section 10-8.3 of Article 10 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland in the Dorchester County Code accordingly.


SECTION THREE: Be it further ENACTED and ORDAINED by the County Council of Dorchester County, Maryland that this Bill shall be known as Bill No. 2014- 5 of Dorchester County, Maryland and shall take effect sixty (60) days after its final passage.

PASSED this 6th day of May, 2014.

ATTEST:

COUNTY COUNCIL OF DORCHESTER  
COUNTY, MARYLAND

BY:   
Donna F. Lane  
Executive Administrative Specialist


BY:   
Jay L. Newcomb  
President

APPROVED this 6th day of May, 2014.

ATTEST:

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COUNTY, MARYLAND

BY:   
Donna F. Lane  
Executive Administrative Specialist

BY:   
Jay L. Newcomb  
President

Nichols - *aye*  
Newcomb - *aye*  
Bradshaw - *aye*  
Price - *aye*  
Travers - *aye*

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