

COUNTY COUNCIL OF PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY, MARYLAND

2000 Legislative Session

Bill No. CB-71-2000

Chapter No. 49

Proposed and Presented by Council Members Gourdine, Hendershot and Shapiro

Introduced by Council Members Gourdine, Hendershot and Shapiro

Co-Sponsors _____

Date of Introduction June 27, 2000

CHARTER AMENDMENT

1 AN ACT concerning

2 Amendment of Section 307A, Charter of Prince George's County

3 For the purpose of proposing an amendment of Section 307A of the Charter of Prince George's
4 County, providing for term limitations for the members of the County Council.

5 BY proposing an amendment to:

6 Section 307A,

7 Charter of Prince George's County, Maryland.

8 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED by the County Council of Prince George's County,
9 Maryland, that the following amendment to Section 307A, Charter of Prince George's County,
10 Maryland, is hereby proposed:

11 **Sec. 307A. Term Limitation.**

12 [No person shall be eligible to serve more than two consecutive terms on the County
13 Council.] No person shall be eligible to serve more than two consecutive terms as County
14 Executive. This Section shall apply to [all persons] any person who [are] is currently serving [on
15 the County Council or] as County Executive on the effective date of this Section and to all
16 persons elected thereafter.

17 SECTION 2. BE IT FURTHER ENACTED that a copy of this Act shall be transmitted to
18 the County Executive for publication, and a copy shall also be transmitted to the Board of
19 Supervisors of Elections for submission of the proposed Charter Amendment to the voters of the
20 County at the 2000 General Election, pursuant to Section 1105 of the Charter.

SECTION 3. BE IT FURTHER ENACTED that the question of adoption of this proposed Charter Amendment shall be submitted to the voters of the County at the General Election occurring on November 7, 2000, and shall be placed on the ballot in the following form:

PROPOSED CHARTER AMENDMENT

To change part of Section 307A of the Charter of Prince George's County, to allow members of the County Council to serve more than two consecutive terms.

SECTION 4. BE IT FURTHER ENACTED that, if the majority of the votes cast for and against this proposed Charter Amendment at the General Election on November 7, 2000, are in favor of the question, and if the majority of the votes cast for and against the Charter Amendment proposed by CB-70-2000, providing for the elimination of term limitations for the County Executive, are in favor of the question, then both Charter Amendments shall be effective and provisions of Section 307A of the Charter of Prince George's County, Maryland, shall be deemed repealed in their entirety.

Adopted this 25th day of July, 2000, by an affirmative vote of two-thirds of the members of the full County Council.

COUNTY COUNCIL OF PRINCE
GEORGE'S COUNTY, MARYLAND

BY: _____
Dorothy F. Bailey
Chair

ATTEST:

Joyce T. Sweeney
Clerk of the Council

KEY:

[Brackets] indicate language deleted from existing law.
Underscoring indicates language added to existing law.

**NOTE: NOT APPROVED BY A MAJORITY OF THE VOTERS AT THE
REFERENDUM ON 11/7/2000**