

**COUNTY COUNCIL OF PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY, MARYLAND**  
**2003 Legislative Session**

Bill No. CB-89-2003

Chapter No. 75

Proposed and Presented by The Chairman (by request – County Executive)

Introduced by Council Members Shapiro, Dean, Dernoga, Peters

Co-Sponsors \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Introduction October 21, 2003

**BILL**

1 AN ACT concerning

2 Illegal Signs – Civil Monetary Fines

3 For the purpose of increasing the civil fine amounts for violations of the County prohibition  
4 against illegal signs.

5 BY repealing and reenacting with amendments:

6 **SUBTITLE 28. CIVIL MONETARY FINES OR PENALTIES.**

7 Section 28-111,

8 The Prince George's County Code

9 (1999 Edition, 2002 Supplement).

10 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED by the County Council of Prince George's County,  
11 Maryland, that Section 28-111 of the Prince George's County Code is hereby repealed and  
12 reenacted with the following amendments:

13 **SUBTITLE 28. CIVIL MONETARY FINES OR PENALTIES.**

14 **DIVISION 1. ZONING VIOLATIONS.**

15 **Subdivision 2. Civil Violations and Fines.**

16 **Sec. 28-111. Schedule of civil monetary fines.**

17 (a) The civil monetary fine for each civil violation of the Zoning ordinance shall be Fifty  
18 Dollars (\$50.00), except as provided in [Subsection (b)] Subsections (b) and (c), below.

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20 (c) For violations of Sections 27-593, 27-609, or 27-610 of this Code concerning illegal  
21 signs, the following civil monetary fines shall apply:

1st violation	\$100.00
2nd violation	\$500.00
3rd and subsequent violations	\$1000.00

SECTION 2. BE IT FURTHER ENACTED that this Act shall take effect forty-five (45) calendar days after it becomes law.

Adopted this 18th day of November, 2003.

COUNTY COUNCIL OF PRINCE  
GEORGE'S COUNTY, MARYLAND

BY: \_\_\_\_\_  
Peter A. Shapiro  
Chairman

ATTEST:

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Redis C. Floyd  
Clerk of the Council

APPROVED:

DATE: \_\_\_\_\_ BY: \_\_\_\_\_  
Jack B. Johnson  
County Executive

KEY:  
Underscoring indicates language added to existing law.  
[Brackets] indicate language deleted from existing law.  
Asterisks \*\*\* indicate intervening existing Code provisions that remain unchanged.