

Section is also set out in D.C. Code, § 43-1550.

§§ 57, 58. Omitted

CODIFICATION

Section 57, R.S. § 1804; act Feb. 11, 1895, ch. 79, 28 Stat. 650, which related to punishment for breaking or destroying pipes, hydrants, etc., in the city of Washington, was omitted as not having general applicability. See section 43-1548 of the District of Columbia Code.

Section 58, R.S. § 1806; act Feb. 11, 1895, ch. 79, 28 Stat. 650, which related to punishment for maliciously making water impure in the city of Washington, was omitted as not having general applicability. See section 22-3118 of the District of Columbia Code.

§ 59. Repealed. Pub. L. 86-249, § 17(5), Sept. 9, 1959, 73 Stat. 484

Section, act Mar. 3, 1883, ch. 143, 22 Stat. 615, provided for shutting off of water in public buildings in District of Columbia.

SAVINGS PROVISION

Section repealed except as to its application to any project referred to in section 613 of this title, see section 17 of Pub. L. 86-249, set out as a note under section 341 of this title.

§ 60. Omitted

CODIFICATION

Section, act July 1, 1898, ch. 543, § 1, 30 Stat. 570, which related to street parking in the District of Columbia, was omitted as not having general applicability. See section 8-106 of the District of Columbia Code.

§ 60a. Reservation of parking spaces for Members of Congress

On and after June 29, 1956, the Council of the District of Columbia is authorized and directed to designate, reserve, and properly mark appropriate and sufficient parking spaces on the streets adjacent to all public buildings in the District for the use of Members of Congress engaged on public business.

(June 29, 1956, ch. 479, 70 Stat. 447; 1967 Reorg. Plan No. 3, § 402(300), eff. Nov. 3, 1967, 32 F.R. 11669, 81 Stat. 951; Pub. L. 93-198, title IV, § 401, Dec. 24, 1973, 87 Stat. 785.)

CODIFICATION

Section is from the District of Columbia Appropriation Act, 1957.

Section is also set out in D.C. Code, § 40-710.

PRIOR PROVISIONS

Provisions similar to those in this section were contained in the following prior appropriation acts:

July 5, 1955, ch. 272, 69 Stat. 254.
 July 1, 1954, ch. 499, 68 Stat. 386.
 July 31, 1953, ch. 299, 67 Stat. 290.
 July 5, 1952, ch. 576, 66 Stat. 385.
 Aug. 3, 1951, ch. 292, 65 Stat. 167.
 July 18, 1950, ch. 467, 64 Stat. 364.
 June 29, 1949, ch. 279, 63 Stat. 319.
 June 19, 1948, ch. 555, 62 Stat. 553.
 July 25, 1947, ch. 324, 61 Stat. 443.
 July 9, 1946, ch. 544, 60 Stat. 518.
 June 30, 1945, ch. 209, 59 Stat. 289.
 June 28, 1944, ch. 300, 58 Stat. 526.
 July 1, 1943, ch. 184, 57 Stat. 338.
 June 27, 1942, ch. 452, 56 Stat. 451.
 July 1, 1941, ch. 271, 57 Stat. 529.
 June 12, 1940, ch. 333, 54 Stat. 334.
 July 15, 1939, ch. 281, 53 Stat. 1033.

TRANSFER OF FUNCTIONS

“Council of the District of Columbia” substituted in text for “District of Columbia Council” pursuant to section 401 of Pub. L. 93-198. District of Columbia Council, as established by Reorg. Plan No. 3 of 1967, abolished as of noon Jan. 2, 1975, by Pub. L. 93-198, title VII, § 711, Dec. 24, 1973, 87 Stat. 818, classified to section 1-211 of the District of Columbia Code, and replaced by Council of District of Columbia, as provided by section 401 of Pub. L. 93-198, classified to section 1-221 of the District of Columbia Code.

Previously, reference to the Board of Commissioners of the District of Columbia had been changed to the District of Columbia Council pursuant to section 402(300) of Reorganization Plan No. 3 of 1967, 32 F.R. 11669, set out in the Appendix to Title 5, Government Organization and Employees, which transferred the regulatory and other functions of the Board of Commissioners relating to designating and reserving parking spaces for the use of members of the Congress under this section to the District of Columbia Council, subject to the right of the Commissioner as provided by section 406 of the Plan. For provisions establishing the District of Columbia Council, see section 201 of Reorg. Plan No. 3 of 1967.

§§ 61 to 63. Omitted

CODIFICATION

Section 61, act Feb. 22, 1921, ch. 70, 41 Stat. 1117, which related to jurisdiction and control of the Francis Scott Key Bridge, was omitted as not having general applicability. See section 7-507 of the District of Columbia Code.

Section 62, act Feb. 28, 1923, ch. 148, 42 Stat. 1338, which related to jurisdiction and control of the Highway Bridge, was omitted as not having general applicability. See section 7-511 of the District of Columbia Code.

Section 63, act June 7, 1924, ch. 302, 43 Stat. 550, which related to construction and repair of bridges over railway and canal right of ways in the District of Columbia, was omitted as not having general applicability. See section 7-502 of the District of Columbia Code.

§ 64. Jurisdiction over portion of B Street

The jurisdiction over that portion of B Street west of Virginia Avenue, under the control of the Commissioners of the District of Columbia prior to May 27, 1908, shall be under the Director of the National Park Service.

(May 27, 1908, ch. 200, 35 Stat. 356; Feb. 26, 1925, ch. 339, § 3, 43 Stat. 983; Ex. Ord. No. 6166, § 2, eff. June 10, 1933; Mar. 2, 1934, ch. 38, 48 Stat. 389.)

TRANSFER OF FUNCTIONS

For transfer of functions of other officers, employees, and agencies of Department of the Interior, with certain exceptions, to Secretary of the Interior, with power to delegate, see Reorg. Plan No. 3 of 1950, §§ 1, 2, eff. May 24, 1950, 15 F.R. 3174, 64 Stat. 1262, set out in the Appendix to Title 5, Government Organization and Employees.

Ex. Ord. No. 6166 abolished Office of Public Buildings and Public Parks of National Capital and transferred functions thereof to Office of National Parks, Buildings and Reservations of Department of the Interior. Act Mar. 2, 1934, changed name of latter office to National Park Service.

Act May 27, 1908, transferred jurisdiction from Commissioners of District of Columbia to Chief of Engineers. Act Feb. 26, 1925, transferred functions of latter to Director of Public Buildings and Public Parks of National Capital.

§ 65. Omitted

CODIFICATION

Section, R.S. §1813; act June 20, 1874, ch. 337, §2, 18 Stat. 116, which related to limitation on contracts of the District of Columbia commissioners, was omitted as not having general applicability. See section 7-625 of the District of Columbia Code.

§ 66. Improper appropriation of streets

The Secretary of the Interior is directed to prevent the improper appropriation or occupation of any of the public streets, avenues, squares, or reservations in the city of Washington, belonging to the United States, and to reclaim the same if unlawfully appropriated; and particularly to prevent the erection of any permanent building upon any property reserved to or for the use of the United States, unless plainly authorized by act of Congress, and to report to Congress at the commencement of each session his proceedings in the premises, together with a full statement of all such property, and how, and by what authority, the same is occupied or claimed. Nothing herein contained shall be construed to interfere with the temporary and proper occupation of any portion of such property, by lawful authority, for the legitimate purposes of the United States.

(R.S. §1818.)

CODIFICATION

R.S. §1818 derived from Res. June 30, 1864, No. 56, 13 Stat. 412.

Section is also set out in D.C. Code, §7-1409.

CROSS REFERENCES

Ejection of trespassers from public grounds, see section 19 of this title.

§ 67. Omitted

CODIFICATION

Section, acts Mar. 3, 1891, ch. 540, 26 Stat. 868; July 1, 1898, ch. 543, §3, 30 Stat. 570; June 21, 1906, ch. 3506, 34 Stat. 385; Feb. 26, 1925, ch. 339, §3, 43 Stat. 983, which related to permits for extensions of buildings beyond the building line, was omitted as not having general applicability. See section 5-204 of the District of Columbia Code.

§ 68. Buildings on reservations, parks, or public grounds

On and after August 24, 1912 there shall not be erected on any reservation, park, or public grounds, of the United States within the District of Columbia, any building or structure without express authority of Congress.

(Aug. 24, 1912, ch. 355, 37 Stat. 444.)

CODIFICATION

Section is also set out in D.C. Code, §8-128.

§§ 69, 70. Omitted

CODIFICATION

Section 69, act Aug. 5, 1882, ch. 389, 22 Stat. 243, which related to police powers of park watchmen in District of Columbia, was omitted as not having general applicability. See section 4-201 of the District of Columbia Code.

Section 70, act Apr. 28, 1902, ch. 594, 32 Stat. 152, which related to free medical attendance for park

watchmen in the District of Columbia, was omitted as not having general applicability. See section 4-204 of the District of Columbia Code.

§ 71. Physical development of National Capital**(a) General purposes; findings**

It is the purpose of sections 71 to 71i, 72, 73, and 74 of this title to secure comprehensive planning for the physical development of the National Capital and its environs; to provide for the participation of the appropriate planning agencies of the environs in such planning; and to establish the agency and procedures requisite to the administration of the functions of the Federal and District of Columbia governments related to such planning. The Congress finds that the location of the seat of government in the District of Columbia has brought about the development of a metropolitan region extending well into adjoining territory in Maryland and Virginia; that effective comprehensive planning is necessary on a regional basis and of continuing importance to the Federal establishment; that the distribution of Federal installations throughout the region has been and will continue to be a major influence in determining the extent and character of development; that there is needed a central planning agency for the National Capital region to coordinate certain developmental activities of the many different agencies of the Federal and District Governments so that such activities may conform with general objectives; that there is an increasing mutuality of interest and responsibility between the various levels of government that calls for coordinate and unified policies in planning both Federal and local development in the interest of order and economy; that there are developmental problems of an interstate character, the planning of which requires collaboration between Federal, State, and local governments in the interest of equity and constructive action; and that the instrumentalities and procedures herein provided will aid in providing the Congress from time to time with information and advice requisite to legislation. The general objective of said sections is to enable appropriate agencies to plan for the development of the Federal establishment at the seat of government in a manner consistent with the nature and function of the National Capital and with due regard for the rights and prerogatives of the adjoining States and local governments to exercise control appropriate to their functions, and in a manner which will, in accordance with present and future needs, best promote public health, safety, morals, order, convenience, prosperity, and the general welfare, as well as efficiency and economy in the process of development.

(b) Definitions

As used in sections 71 to 71i, 72, 73, and 74 of this title, (1) "region" or "National Capital region" means the District of Columbia; Montgomery and Prince Georges Counties in Maryland; Arlington, Fairfax, Loudoun, and Prince William Counties in Virginia; and all cities now or hereafter existing in Maryland or Virginia within the geographic area bounded by the outer boundaries of the combined area of said counties; (2) "environs" means the territory sur-