

# HOUSE BILL 807

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By: **Montgomery County Delegation**

Introduced and read first time: February 3, 2020

Assigned to: Environment and Transportation

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## A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Montgomery County – Housing Opportunities Commission – Selection of Chair**

3 **MC 1–20**

4 FOR the purpose of requiring the Montgomery County Executive to select the chair of the  
5 Housing Opportunities Commission of Montgomery County from among the  
6 Commissioners; and generally relating to the Housing Opportunities Commission of  
7 Montgomery County.

8 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,  
9 Article – Housing and Community Development  
10 Section 16–106  
11 Annotated Code of Maryland  
12 (2019 Replacement Volume and 2019 Supplement)

13 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND,  
14 That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

15 **Article – Housing and Community Development**

16 16–106.

17 (a) (1) The Montgomery Commission consists of seven Commissioners  
18 nominated by the County Executive and approved by the County Council.

19 (2) The County Council shall conduct a public interview with each nominee  
20 before voting on whether to approve the nominee’s appointment.

21 (b) **THE COUNTY EXECUTIVE SHALL SELECT THE CHAIR OF THE**  
22 **MONTGOMERY COMMISSION FROM AMONG THE COMMISSIONERS.**

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EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.



1           **(C)**    The term of a Commissioner is 5 years.

2           **[(c)] (D)**    Removal of a Commissioner by the County Executive requires the  
3 approval of the County Council.

4           SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect  
5 October 1, 2020.