

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That the waters of Dickinson's Bay, in Talbot county, Maryland, a tributary of the Choptank river, be exempt from the provisions of Article 99, section 2 of the Code of Public General Laws of Maryland.

SEC. 2. It shall be unlawful for any person at any time, in, on or over the waters of Dickinson's Bay, to shoot at or shoot any wild fowl from any booby blind, stake blind, floating blind, sink box, or artificial point of any description, or to erect, set or maintain the same in said waters, at a greater distance than two hundred yards from the natural shore at mean low water mark, from which the same may be extended.

SEC. 3. It shall be unlawful for any person at any time to erect or maintain or set said booby blinds, stake blinds, floating blinds, sink boxes or artificial points of any description, for the purpose of shooting wild fowl in said waters above referred to, distant from each other less than five hundred yards, measured in a straight line in any direction.

SEC. 4. It shall be unlawful for any person or persons to erect or maintain or set a booby blind, stake blind, floating blind, sink box or artificial blind of any description in said waters without first taking out a license therefor, as provided in the following section.

SEC. 5. Any person or persons residing in Talbot county may erect, set or maintain a booby blind, stake blind, floating blind, sink box or artificial point of any description, as provided for in this act, after first obtaining a license to do so from the clerk of the Circuit Court for Talbot County on or before the first day of November in each year, and said clerk is authorized to issue said license upon payment by the applicant of the sum of five dollars (\$5.00), to be paid over by said clerk to the treasurer of the board of county school commissioners, for the use of the public schools of said county located in Trappe Election District, after deducting therefrom the sum of fifty cents as a fee to be retained by said clerk for issuing said license. And it shall be unlawful for said county clerk of Talbot county to issue to any one person or to any club or group of persons having a common interest in same, licenses to erect, maintain or set more than two booby blinds, stake blinds, floating blinds, sink boxes, or artificial points of any description; all licenses issued by said county clerk as provided for in this act to contain the name of the person or persons to whom said license is issued, together with the number of the blind and the general position in which the same is to be placed.