DEPARTMENT OF GAME AND INLAND FISH

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The Department of Game and Inland Fish, established in 1939 to supersede the Conservation Department, is associated with the Board of Natural Resources. The Department is directed by a nonsalaried five-man commission appointed by the Governor from the several geographical regions of the State for five-year terms, one term expiring each year. The Commission elects a chairman and a vice-chairman from its membership and appoints the Director of the Department. The Department enforces the game and fresh-water fish laws and such additional regulations as it enacts for the conservation of the resources in its charge. Such rules may restrict the terms of the game and freshwater fish laws. The Department also receives the proceeds from the sale of angling and hunting licenses (Code 1957, Art. 66C, secs. 14, 111-233).

As of June 1956, the Department owned game farms and refuges totaling 35,000 acres, as follows: Gwynnbrook State Game Farm in Baltimore County, Montgomery State Game Farm in Montgomery