

Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) nor more than Five Hundred Dollars (\$500.00) and costs for each and every offense, and in addition to said fines shall be fined Five Dollars (\$5.00) for each and every game bird, the eggs of same, or game animal sold or offered for sale in violation of the law; the license shall be revoked and game on said property confiscated by order of the Game Warden.

State Game Refuges and Hunting Grounds.

1927, ch. 568, sec. 67.

64. Acquisition. The Game Warden of this State may acquire title to or control of lands or waters within this State, suitable for protection and propagation of game and fish or for hunting purposes to be used as hereinafter provided, by purchase, lease, gift or otherwise, to be known as State Game Lands. The Game Warden may purchase or erect such buildings as may be deemed necessary properly to maintain and protect such lands or for propagation of game and fish, and may also purchase or lease lands from which the ownership of minerals, oil or gas and the right to mine and drill for the same have been excepted.

1927, ch. 568, sec. 68.

65. Title and Control. The title to any land or water acquired by purchase, gift or otherwise, shall be taken in the name of the State of Maryland, for use of the Game Division of the Conservation Department of Maryland. The entire control of such land or water shall be under the direction of the Game Warden and Conservation Commission of this State.

No land or water shall be purchased at a price to exceed Five Dollars (\$5.00) per acre, except where buildings or cultivated lands deemed necessary to the proper maintenance and administration of game refuges or for game and fish propagation are included. The Game Warden may expend for the purchase of lands and waters during any year such amount from the State Game Protection Fund as in his opinion can be allotted to that purpose.

1927, ch. 568, sec. 69.

66. Sale and Exchange. Whenever the Game Warden shall deem it to the best interests of the State, he may, by approval of the Conservation Commission and with the consent of the Governor, authorize the exchange of any lands or waters, or any part thereof, to which title has been acquired by purchase, gift or otherwise, together with the buildings, improvements, appurtenances, thereof, for privately owned lands of equal or greater value, and adapted for State Game Lands for game and fish propagation; or may authorize the sale of any lands or waters to which title has been acquired as aforesaid, or any part thereof, to the party or parties offering the highest price therefor, after advertisement once each week, for two consecutive weeks, in at least one newspaper in the county or counties in which the land or waters are located.