

information or data for the preparation of plans, reports or new legislation necessary for any proposed public sewerage system, water works, establishment of corporate boundaries or any extension of the same, highways or improvements thereto, or any public undertaking of like nature.

Right of agents of State Roads Commission to enter upon private lands to make preliminary surveys; damages. *Murphy v. State Roads Commission*, 159 Md. 19.

An. Code, 1924, sec. 20. 1912, sec. 19. 1916, ch. 649, sec. 2.

20. Civil engineers and surveyors, when acting under the authority of this sub-title, shall not damage or destroy any property or lands entered by them in the performance of their work, but they shall have the right to set stakes, markers or monuments or other suitable landmarks or reference points where necessary.

An. Code, 1924, sec. 21. 1912, sec. 20. 1916, ch. 649, sec. 3.

21. No owner, occupant or agent of private lands so entered shall obstruct, impede or annoy civil engineers or surveyors, or their employees, in the performance of their work under this sub-title, nor shall any such owner, occupant, or agent, destroy, obliterate or remove any stakes, markers, monuments or other landmark set or placed by such civil engineers or surveyors; and any owner, occupant, or agent violating the provisions of this sub-title, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and subject to a fine of not less than twenty-five dollars (\$25.00), nor more than one hundred dollars (\$100.00), or to imprisonment for not less than thirty days nor more than sixty days, or both, in the discretion of the Court.