

CHAPTER 642.

(Senate Bill 339)

AN ACT to repeal Section 108 of Article 99 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1943 Supplement) title "Birds, Game and Inland Fish", sub-title "Regulations for Taking of Game and Fresh Water Fish in non-tidal Waters", and to enact in lieu thereof two new sections to be known as Section 108 and 108A to follow immediately after Section 107 of said Article relating to the operation of boats on Deep Creek Lake in Garrett County and providing penalties for certain violations.

SECTION 1. *Beit enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland.* That Section 108 of Article 99 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1943 Supplement) title "Birds' Game and Inland Water Fish", sub-title "Regulations for Taking of Game and Fresh Water Fish in non-tidal Waters" be and it is hereby repealed and that two new sections to be known as Sections 108 and 108A be and they are hereby enacted in lieu thereof to follow immediately after Section 107 of said Article and to read as follows:

108. (Boats on Deep Creek Lake.) No motorboat shall be used on Deep Creek Lake unless the owner thereof first secures a license to operate said motorboat from the Game and Inland Fish Commission. Said boats shall conform to the following regulations as set forth in this section.

All boats so used on the waters of the Lake shall be under the supervision of the Game and Inland Fish Commission. It shall be the duty of the game wardens in charge of the area to see that no boats shall be permitted to ply the waters of said Lake that are not complying with the following regulations or which are polluting the waters with oil or other waste, and the said Game and Inland Fish Commission and its Game Wardens are hereby authorized and empowered to arrest anyone using any boat in violation of the regulations contained in this Section and shall be further empowered to revoke the license and remove boats from said Lake if the owner or operator of said boat or boats does not correct the irregularity. All boats operated on the waters of Deep Creek Lake will be assigned a number. Where a Federal number has been assigned by the United States Coast Guard, that number shall be assigned by the Commission. Said number will be painted or displayed on some prominent part of the vessel.