

## CHAPTER 441.

AN ACT to add new Sections to Article thirty-nine of the Code of Public General Laws, title "Fish and Fisheries," to be known as sub-title, "Chesapeake Bay," to follow Section eighty-nine of said Article thirty-nine, and to be designated as Sections ninety, ninety-one, ninety-two, ninety-three, ninety-four, ninety-five, ninety-six, ninety-seven, ninety-eight, ninety-nine, one hundred and one hundred and one.

**New sections.**

**SECTION 1.** *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That the following new sections be and the same are hereby added to Article 39, Code of Public General Laws, title "Fish and Fisheries," sub-title "Chesapeake Bay," said new sections to be designated as sections 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100 and 101, and to read as follows:

**License to catch fish.**

90. Any resident of this State, desiring to engage in the business of taking or catching of fish for sale, by the use of pound nets, fykes, haul seines or other contrivances, except hook and line, within the waters of the Chesapeake bay, below Pool's island, and within the jurisdictional limits of the State of Maryland, shall first obtain by application to the clerk of the Circuit Court for the county wherein he may reside, or the clerk of the Court of Common Pleas of Baltimore city, a license therefor, and such license shall have effect from the first day of February, in the year in which it may have been obtained, to the first day of February, inclusive, next succeeding; and provided further, that such license shall not authorize the taking or catching of fish, except with hook and line, within the jurisdictional limits of any county or counties in this State.

**Cost of license.**

91. Each and every license to take or catch fish for sale under the provision of section 90 of this article, shall state the name, age and residence of the person to whom the same is to be granted, and every applicant for such license shall pay to the clerk of the Circuit Court or the clerk of the Court of Common Pleas of Baltimore city, when such license shall be granted and before the delivery of the same, the sum of five dollars; the clerk to receive the sum of twenty-five cents per each and every license so issued, as a fee for issuing the same, including the administering of the oath when required; and the said amount of license received for issuing same shall be paid over by the clerk into the treasury of the State of Maryland, to be credited to the "Oyster Fund."