

over so much land as has been or may be hereafter acquired for the public purposes of the United States; provided, that the jurisdiction hereby ceded shall not vest until the United States of America shall have acquired the title to the lands, by grant or deed, from the owner or owners thereof, and the evidences thereof shall have been recorded in the office where, by law, the title to such land is required to be recorded; and the United States of America are to retain such jurisdiction so long as such lands shall be used for the purposes in this section mentioned, and no longer; and such jurisdiction is granted upon the express condition that the State of Maryland shall retain a concurrent jurisdiction with the United States in and over the said lands, so far as that civil process in all cases not affecting the real or personal property of the United States, and such criminal or other process as shall issue under the authority of the State of Maryland, against any person or persons charged with crimes or misdemeanors committed within or without the limits of the said lands, may be executed therein, in the same way and manner as if no jurisdiction had been hereby ceded.

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SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That all lands and tenements which may be granted as aforesaid to the United States shall be and continue so long as the same shall be used for the purposes in the last section mentioned, exonerated and discharged from all taxes, assessments and other charges which may be imposed under the authority of the State of Maryland; provided, however, that nothing in this Act shall apply to Charles county.

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SEC. 3. *And be it further enacted*, That this Act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved April 8, 1902.

CHAPTER 264.

AN ACT to repeal Chapter 371 of the Acts of the General Assembly of Maryland of 1900, entitled an Act to add two additional Sections to Article 99 of the Code of Public General Laws of Maryland, entitled "Wild Fowl, Birds and Game," to be known as Sections eighteen and nineteen, and to re-enact the same with amendments.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That chapter 371 of the Acts of the General Assembly of Maryland of 1900, entitled an Act to add two additional sections to Article 99 of the Code of Public General Laws of Maryland, entitled "Wild Fowl, Birds and Game,"