

629 I. All laws or parts of law which require any permits or impose any restrictions or conditions of any kind upon the establishment or maintenance of farms for prison labor in any county or counties of this State, are hereby repealed to the extent that the same apply or could be construed to apply to the farm for prison labor authorized by this Act.

629 J. Neither the provisions of this Act nor of Chapter 556 of the Acts of the General Assembly of Maryland of 1916 shall apply to the Baltimore City Jail.

SECTION 2. *And be it further enacted*, That this Act is hereby declared to be an emergency law and necessary for the immediate preservation of the public safety, and being passed upon a yea and nay vote supported by three-fifths of all the members elected to each of the two Houses of the General Assembly, the same shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved June 27th, 1917.

CHAPTER 16.

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact with amendments Chapter 419 of the Acts of the General Assembly of Maryland of 1916, title "An Act to regulate the taking or catching of crabs in the waters of Somerset County," so as to make said law applicable to all the waters of the State, and to provide a penalty for violation thereof.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That Chapter 419 of the Acts of the General Assembly of Maryland of 1916 be and the same is hereby repealed and re-enacted with amendments so as to read as follows:

It shall be unlawful for any person or persons to take, catch or have in his or their possession any hard crabs, other than one in the peeler state, measuring less than five inches across the shell from tip to tip of spike, or any peelers or soft crabs