

artificial blind in any of the said waters without first taking out a license therefor, as provided in the following Section.

SEC. 321A-5. Any person or persons residing in Dorchester County may erect, set or maintain a booby blind, stake blind or other similar artificial blind as provided for in this Act after first obtaining a license to do so from the Clerk of the Circuit Court for Dorchester County in the same manner and for the same time as gunning licenses are issued, and said clerk is authorized to issue said license upon payment by the applicant of the sum of five dollars (\$5.00), to be paid over by said Clerk to the Treasurer of Dorchester County as part of Game Protection Fund, after deducting therefrom the sum of fifty cents as a fee to be retained by said clerk for issuing said license. And it shall be unlawful for said clerk to issue to any one person or to any club or group of persons having a common interest in the same licenses to erect, maintain or set more than two blinds above mentioned; all licenses issued by the said clerk as provided for in this Act to contain the name of the person or persons to whom said license is issued, together with the number of the blind and the general position in which the same is to be placed.

SEC. 321A-6. When any person or persons shall have obtained a license as provided in the foregoing Section of this Act, and shall have erected a booby blind, stake blind or similar artificial blind as hereinbefore provided for, and the same may have thereafter been destroyed or taken away by ice or by any other causes beyond the control of the holder or holders of said license, he or they shall have ten days from the date of the loss or removal of the blind within which to replace or restore the same without forfeiting or losing the "set" or position in which the same formerly stood, and shall keep the license number of blind conspicuously posted thereon.

SEC. 321A-7. All owners of riparian rights on the said waters shall, by virtue of said ownership, be first entitled to make a choice of the set or position in front of their said property for the purpose of erecting and maintaining said blinds, provided that said riparian owners shall avail themselves of said choice of locality and clearly mark the same within not less than twenty days prior to the open season fixed by law for shooting wild fowl.

SEC. 321A-8. Any person who shall violate any of the provisions of this Act shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor