

10. Every person, firm or corporation engaged in the business of packing or dealing in any of the foregoing seafoods shall keep accurate books, statements and accounts showing all the details of said business; and all such books, statements and accounts shall be open to inspection at all reasonable hours, by the duly authorized agents of the Commission. Every person, firm or corporation engaged in the business of packing or dealing in any of the foregoing seafoods, and every person licensed by the Commission to take or catch the same, shall make such reports as may be required from time to time by the Commission, on forms prescribed by it.

11. Any person, firm or corporation violating any of the provisions of this sub-title shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be fined not less than \$10.00 nor more than \$500.00. All monies arising from fines collected under this section shall be remitted to the Comptroller for credit to the Conservation Fund.

SEC. 4. *And be it further enacted*, That Section 42 of Article 19 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1939 Edition), title "State Auditor", be and the same is hereby repealed, and the office of Assistant State Auditor, known as the Seafood Auditor, be and the same is hereby abolished; but the Assistant State Auditor holding such office upon the effective date of this Act shall be continued upon the payroll of the Commission of Tidewater Fisheries and classified under the Merit System law, without any qualifying or other examination. All of the other personnel of the Conservation Commission shall be transferred to the Department of Tidewater Fisheries and retain their merit system status.

SEC. 5. *And be it further enacted*, That a new sub-title and a new Section be added to Article 19A of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1939 Edition), said new sub-title to be known as "Department of Game and Inland Fish", and said new Section to be known as Section 12, to follow after Section 11, and to read as follows:

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12. The Game and Inland Fish Commission is hereby created with the personnel powers and duties of the present Maryland State Game and Inland Fish Commission, as now constituted under Article 99 of the Code. Wherever in the Code the name Maryland State Game and Inland Fish Commission occurs, the name Game and Inland Fish Commission shall be substituted.