

(c) *Application for County Dredging License.* Every applicant for a license to dredge in the waters of Dorchester, Talbot or Somerset Counties shall make application for said license to the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the county wherein he may reside in the same manner that application is made to the Department of Tidewater Fisheries for a license to dredge in the Chesapeake Bay.

(d) *Issuance of License.* Upon the applicant's oath and upon receipt of application, the Clerk of the Circuit Court shall issue to said applicant a numbered license and a piece of canvas bearing the number of the license painted in red; and for such license and number said applicant shall pay to said Clerk a license fee of Two Dollars (\$2.00) per gross ton for every gross ton said boat shall measure; and in addition thereto shall pay a special fee of fifty cents (50¢) to said Clerk for the issuance of said license.

(e) *Disposition of Fees.* All moneys received from licenses for dredging in county waters, except the Clerk's fee, shall be allocated as follows: One-half to the Comptroller of the Treasury to be credited to the oyster fund, and one-half to the County Commissioners to be used for public schools of the county wherein such licenses are issued.

(f) *Blank Licenses and License Numbers.* The Comptroller of the Treasury shall, before the first day of October of each year, furnish the Clerks of the Circuit Courts of Dorchester, Talbot and Somerset Counties, respectively, a sufficient number of printed license blanks, each provided with space for recording the name of the owner, the number of the boat and the capacity of said boat; and said Comptroller shall also furnish to each Clerk a piece of canvas bearing the number of the license painted in red.

(g) *Display of License Number.* The owner of any licensed dredge boat shall securely fasten the canvass number to his licensed boat on the port side of the mainsail, such number shall be worn in an upright position at all times during the dredging season, and shall not be concealed or defaced.

(h) *Other Provisions on Dredging in County Waters.* All the provisions, restrictions, and obligations imposed by Section 6, Sub-sections (e), (f), (i), (j), (k), (l), (m), (n), and (o), upon boats and the masters or captains of such boats dredging in the Chesapeake Bay, shall apply with equal force to boats and the masters or captains of boats dredging in county waters; and any boat, or the master or captain of any boat, found violating any provision of this sub-section shall be subject to the same penalties provided for similar violations of Section 6.