

Company, certified by the Secretary under the seal of the Company, stating any facts in this Section required to be established as a condition of such release or releases, accompanied by a sworn certificate to the like effect of the President or a Vice-president of the Northern Central Railway Company, or of The Pennsylvania Railroad Company, its lessee.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That this Act shall take effect on June 1, 1945.

Approved May 4, 1945.

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CHAPTER 979.

(Senate Bill 540)

AN ACT to add a new section to Article 19A of the Annotated Code of Public General Laws of Maryland (1943 Supplement), title "Conservation of Natural Resources," sub-title "Board of Natural Resources," said new section to be known as Section 4A and to follow immediately after Section 4 of said Article, authorizing the Board of Public Works, on the recommendation of the Board of Natural Resources to acquire by gift or purchase real property adjacent to the Chesapeake Bay and its tributaries to be used as a demonstration area or areas for the social and economic betterment of the people of Maryland.

SECTION 1. *Beit enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That a new section be and it is hereby added to Article 19A of the Annotated Code of Public General Laws of Maryland (1943 Supplement), title "Conservation of Natural Resources," sub-title "Board of Natural Resources," said new section to be known as Section 4A, to follow immediately after Section 4 of said Article and to read as follows:

4A. The Board of Natural Resources is hereby authorized to conduct investigations and inquiries for the purpose of securing a suitable site or sites for a recreation and demonstration area or areas adjacent to the Chesapeake Bay and its tributaries and to make written recommendations to the Board of Public Works concerning its findings. The Board of Public Works is hereby authorized to make a study of the recommendations submitted by the Board of Natural Resources and to determine therefrom the location of a site or sites to be used as a recreation and