

Section 663 of Article 66C of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1951 Edition), title "Natural Resources", sub-title "Oysters and Clams", said new sub-section to be known as Sub-section (e) of said section, to follow immediately after Sub-section (d) thereof, ~~and~~ AND THAT SUB-SECTION (M) OF SECTION 665 BE AND IS HEREBY REPEALED AND RE-ENACTED, WITH AMENDMENTS, ALL to read as follows:

## 663.

*(e) It shall be unlawful to take or catch hard shell clams (Venus mercenaria) with any hydraulic dredge or mechanical dredge of any kind, provided, however, that this Act shall not apply on leased lands or in the Atlantic Ocean.*

## 665.

(m) (Clams.) Any person violating the provisions of Section 663 shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof be fined Twenty-five Dollars (\$25.00) or stand committed to the County Jail in which such violation occurred until said fine is paid. *Provided, however, that any person violating the provisions of Sub-section (e) of Section 663 shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and subject to the penalties provided for the violations of Section 665.*

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted, That this Act shall effect June 1, 1953.*

Approved April 27, 1953.

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 CHAPTER 745

(House Bill 849)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Sub-section (c) of Section 38 of Article 87 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1951 Edition), title "Sheriffs", sub-title "Compensation and Duties", ~~increasing~~ RELATING TO the annual salary of the Sheriff of Baltimore County.

EXPLANATION: *Italics indicate new matter added to existing law.*

[Brackets] indicate matter stricken from existing law.

CAPITALS indicate amendments to bill.

~~Strike out~~ indicates matter stricken out of bill.