

certain rivers and bays in Anne Arundel County shall be subject to haul seining with seines not longer than fifty feet and providing a penalty for violation of the provisions of this sub-section.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That Sub-section (d) of Section 261 of Article 66C of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1951 Edition), title "Natural Resources," sub-title "Tidal Waters," be and it is hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:*

261.

(d) It shall be unlawful to drag or use any haul seine for the catching of fish in the waters of Monie Bay and its tributaries easterly of a straight line drawn from Long Point in Somerset County to Wingate Point in Somerset County. *In the waters of Herring Bay in Anne Arundel County from a line drawn from the extreme projection of Parker's Island Point into the Chesapeake Bay to the extreme point of Holland Point, in the waters of South River, Rhode River and West River in Anne Arundel County from a line drawn from the extreme projection from Thomas Point into the Chesapeake Bay to the extreme point of Curtis Point, within the headlands of White Hall Creek in Anne Arundel County and within the headlands of Meredith Creek AND LAKE OGLETON in Anne Arundel County, it shall be unlawful to use any haul seine more than 50 feet in length.* Any person violating the provisions of this sub-section shall [be subject to the penalties imposed by Section 300 of this sub-title, and in addition thereto, any seine or seines, together with any equipment and boats used in the violation of this sub-section, shall be confiscated.] *be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be fined a sum of not less than \$500.00 nor more than \$2,500.00 and shall stand committed in the Baltimore City jail or to the County jail until such fines and costs are paid.*

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

Approved April 11, 1953.