

means of crab seines not exceeding fifty feet in length and provided the seines are hauled up in the water and not on shore; provided, however, that nonresidents of the State of Maryland are prohibited from taking or catching crabs by use of a trot line or trot lines exceeding 100 yards in length, (except from a "for hire" boat operated by the owner who is present on the boat and is licensed to take crabs for market); and provided further that no trot line shall be placed in the water in such manner that the line would intersect or cross another line already placed in the water. Any [resident of Maryland using a trot line of a length greater than one hundred yards] *person or persons having in his or their possession or under his or their care, custody or control on any one boat or watercraft one or more trot lines having a total combined length of more than one hundred yards* shall be deemed to be taking crabs for market and shall first secure a license as required for the taking or catching of crabs for market *or shall be deemed guilty of violating this section.* Any person violating the provisions of this section shall, upon conviction thereof, be fined not more than fifty dollars (\$50.00) for each such violation. The provisions of this section shall not apply to Apes Hole, Johnson Creek, Marumisco Creek and Little Annessex River.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted,* That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1959.

Approved April 28, 1959.

CHAPTER 652

(House Bill 533)

AN ACT to legalize the 1960 Edition of the Code of Public Local Laws of Talbot County, being Article 21 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland, published under the direction of the Board of County Commissioners of Talbot County and edited by Thomas Hunter Lowe, and making provisions for the publication, sale and distribution thereof.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That the 1960 Edition of the Code of Public Local Laws of Talbot County, being Article 21 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland, published under the direction of the Board of County Commissioners of Talbot County and edited by Thomas Hunter Lowe, be and the same is hereby legalized. Said Code shall contain all Public Local Laws relating to Talbot County in effect after the 1960 Regular Session of the General Assembly of Maryland, and it shall contain the charters of the several municipal corporations within Talbot County as in effect on June 1, 1960. The Code shall be deemed and taken in all the Courts of the State and by all Justices of the

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.