levied and imposed by Section 4F 4E of Article 14B of this Code is collected by the Department of Chesapeake Bay Affairs or which are to be titled or numbered in another State. The exemption shall not be applicable to the leasing or rental of new or used vessels.

SEC. 3. And be it further enacted, That if any provision of this Act or the application thereof to any person or circumstance is held invalid for any reason, such invalidity shall not effect AFFECT the other provisions or any other application of this Act which can be given effect without the invalid provision or application, and to this end, all the provisions of any other application of this Act which can be given effect without the invalid provisions or application, and to this end, all the provisions of this Act are hereby declared to be severable.

SEC. 4. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, THAT ALL LAWS OR PARTS OF LAWS, PUBLIC GENERAL OF PUBLIC LOCAL, INCONSISTENT WITH THE PROVISIONS OF THIS ACT, ARE HEREBY REPEALED TO THE EXTENT OF ANY SUCH INCONSISTENCY.

SEC. 45. And be it further enacted, That this Act shall take effect June JULY 1, 1965.

Approved May 4, 1965.

CHAPTER 702

(Senate Bill 109)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Section 9(23) AND SECTION 9(24) of Article 81 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1957 Edition, 1964 Supplement and 1964 Additional Supplement), title "Revenue and Taxes", sub-heading "What Shall Be Taxed and Where", amending the laws relating to State and local property tax exemption of tools, implements, machinery, apparatus, and engines of manufacturers and farmers, so as to provide that exemption of tools, implements, machinery, apparatus and engines of farmers is not mandatory in Anne Arundel, Frederick, and Washington Counties and in the City of Frederick, AND TO REPEAL, RESCIND AND ANNUL CERTAIN RESOLUTIONS PASSED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF KENT COUNTY CONCERNING THE MANUFACTURERS' INVENTORY TAX, DATED JUNE 16, 1959, NOVEMBER 14, 1961, AND MAY 14, 1963, PROVIDING FOR CERTAIN MANUFACTURERS' TAX EXEMPTIONS IN KENT COUNTY IN CONFORMITY WITH THE PROVISIONS OF THE RESOLUTIONS SO REPEALED, WHICH EXEMPTIONS ARE AUTHORIZED BY SAID SECTIONS 9(23) AND 9(24) OF SAID ARTICLE 81.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That Section 9 (23) AND SECTION 9 (24) of Article 81 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1957 Edition, 1964 Supplement and 1964