

728.

Any party to the appeal to the Board of Review may take an appeal within ~~ninety~~ THIRTY days after the decision of the Board of Review to the circuit court in the county in which the land is located. The court in a jury trial at the election of either party shall hear the case de novo without the right of removal, and the appeal shall not be subject to the Administrative Procedure Act. If the court finds that the action appealed from is an unreasonable exercise of the police power, it may set aside or modify the order.

729.

The court may order the State to pay court costs due because of any appeal made pursuant to Section 725 or 728, if it finds that the financial situation of the person so appealing warrants such action.

730.

Any person who violates the rules and regulations validly promulgated by the Secretary or any provisions of this subheading shall be punished by a fine of not more than one hundred dollars (\$100.00) or imprisonment for not more than one (1) month, or by both such fine and imprisonment. Any person who knowingly KNOWINGLY violates the said rules and regulations or any provision of this subheading shall be liable to the State for the ~~cost of~~ restoration of the affected wetland to its condition prior to such violation insofar as that is possible. THE APPROPRIATE COURT SHALL SPECIFY A REASONABLE TIME FOR COMPLETION OF RESTORATION. The Circuit Court for the county or the Superior Court of Baltimore City shall have jurisdiction in equity to restrain a violation of this subheading at the suit of the Department of Natural Resources of the State of Maryland, or of any duly authorized agency or officer thereof.

Riparian Rights

731.

It is the intent of this subtitle that no riparian owner shall be in any way deprived of any rights, privileges or enjoyment of such riparian ownership that he had prior to July 1, 1970, except as specifically provided by the provisions of this subtitle, and that the provisions of this subtitle not be construed to transfer the title or ownership of any lands or interest therein.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted, That Section 485 of Article 27 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1967 Replacement Volume), title and subtitle "Crimes and Punishments," subheading "Rivers, Harbors, etc." be and it is hereby repealed, and that Sections 45, 46 and 47 of Article 54 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1968 Replacement Volume), title "Hall of Records," subtitle "Land Patents," be and they are hereby repealed.*

SEC. 3. *And be it further enacted, That the provisions of this Act shall in no way affect the provisions of Sections 15A and 15B of the Code of Public Local Laws of Worcester County and the provisions of these sections shall remain in effect notwithstanding any provision of this Act.*