

the suspension provision applicable to the second offense. The insertion of this provision here creates a slightly stiffer penalty because present sections define a second conviction as one occurring within the same 12 month period.

The third sentence of subsection (b) is added in light of an identical provision in Title 4 proposed by the Legislative Council. It was felt that prior violations of these statutes - most of which involve minor offenses - should not burden someone in perpetuity in terms of the operation of the subsection.

It is intended every fine and cost shall be paid in accordance with Article 38, section 4 of the Code.

10-1102. COLLECTION OF FINES.

(A) FINES COLLECTED BY DISTRICT COURT. - IF ANY FINE IS IMPOSED BY THE DISTRICT COURT FOR A VIOLATION OF ANY PROVISION OF THIS TITLE, THE FINE SHALL BE COLLECTED PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF LAW OF THE DISTRICT COURT SYSTEM.

(B) FINES COLLECTED BY CIRCUIT COURT OR THE CRIMINAL COURT OF BALTIMORE. - IF ANY FINE IS IMPOSED BY THE CIRCUIT COURT OF ANY COUNTY OR THE CRIMINAL COURT OF BALTIMORE CITY, THE FINE, LESS THE COSTS OF COLLECTION, SHALL BE PAID TO THE STATE GAME PROTECTION FUND, UNLESS OTHERWISE PROVIDED FOR.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section is new language identical to proposed section 4-1202, which is derived from Article 66C, section 716 of the Code, as amended by Chapter 181, Acts of 1972. A reference to the State Game Protection Fund is added since this is the only counterpart to the Fisheries Research and Development Fund. No provision of Article 66C, requires funds to be paid to the State Game Protection Fund although all fines collected in circuit court presently go into the Fund. It is added here to maintain consistency with Title 4 and to indicate the procedure for disposing of collected fines. It is intended that fines shall be collected in accordance with