CHAPTER 177

(House Bill 79)

AN ACT concerning

Fish and Fisheries - License to Catch Oysters and Clams Commercially

FOR the purpose of imposing a duty to possess and display the appropriate license when catching oysters or clams for [[commerical]] commercial purposes, and generally revising the law relating to the possession and display of hard-shell clam licenses.

BY repealing

Article - Natural Resources Section 4-1025 Annotated Code of Maryland (1974 Volume and 1974 Supplement)

BY adding to

Article - Natural Resources Section 4-1004(g) Annotated Code of Maryland (1974 Volume and 1974 Supplement)

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That Section 4-1025 of Article - Natural Resources, of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1974 Volume and 1974 Supplement) be and it is hereby repealed:

Article - Natural Resources

[4-1025.

The captain or master of any boat licensed to take hard-shell clams with a handscrape, shinnecock rake, or by hydraulic or mechanical dredge in Tangier or Pocomoke sounds, shall have the pertinent license on board his boat and shall exhibit it on demand to any Natural Resources Police officer, law enforcement officer, or duly authorized employee of the Department. Each person when working on a boat catching clams with a handscrape,