

## Coastal Facilities Review Act - Natural Gas

FOR the purpose of subjecting certain natural gas facilities to the provisions of the Coastal Facilities Review Act.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article - Natural Resources  
Section 6-501(e)  
Annotated Code of Maryland  
(1974 Volume and 1976 Supplement)

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That Section 6-501(e) of Article - Natural Resources, of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1974 Volume and 1976 Supplement) be and it is hereby repealed and reenacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

## Article - Natural Resources

6-501.

(a) "Facility" means:

(1) Any pipeline carrying crude oil or natural gas ashore from offshore sources;

(2) Any intermediate production terminal or refinery which is designed to process at least ten thousand barrels of crude oil per calendar day;

(3) Any crude oil storage facility

(i) Whose total design capacity is at least 100,000 barrels; or

(ii) Which occupies at least fifty acres; or

(iii) Whose average throughput is at least ten thousand barrels per calendar day;

(4) ANY FACILITY FOR THE PROCESSING, TRANSMISSION, OR STORAGE OF NATURAL GAS WITH A TOTAL DESIGN CAPACITY FOR AT LEAST ~~FIVE ONE~~ ONE BILLION TWO HUNDRED MILLION CUBIC FEET FOR STORAGE OR ~~ONE BILLION~~ TWO HUNDRED MILLION CUBIC FEET FOR PROCESSING.

[ (4) ] (5) Any operations base which:

(i) Includes port and harbor facilities, and

(ii) Occupies at least twenty-five