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CHAPTER 687

(Senate Bill 116)

AN ACT concerning

Real and Property Tax Exemption - Izaak Walton League

FOR the purpose of ~~exempting certain real and personal property owned by the Izaak Walton League under certain conditions, from State, county, and city ordinary taxation,~~ changing the conditions concerning an exemption from State, county, and city ordinary taxation on real and personal property owned by the Izaak Walton League.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article 81 - Revenue and Taxes

Section 9(1-2)

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1975 Replacement Volume and 1976 Supplement)

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That Section 9(1-2) of Article 81 - Revenue and Taxes, of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1975 Replacement Volume and 1976 Supplement) be and it is hereby repealed and reenacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

Article 81 - Revenue and Taxes

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(1-2) Real and personal property which is owned by the Izaak Walton League and is used solely for maintenance of natural areas for public use, for sanctuaries, or [or] for wildlife, [provided that, by agreement, the property shall become the property of the State or any of its subdivisions upon release by the league] ~~OR GENERALLY FOR PROMOTING CONSERVATION,~~ PROVIDED THAT, UPON ANY TRANSFER OF TITLE OR INTEREST BY THE IZAAK WALTON LEAGUE, THE TRANSFERRED PROPERTY SHALL BE USED FOR THE ABOVE PURPOSES. CONSERVATION OR OPEN SPACE PURPOSES ONLY.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1977.

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