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(Senate Joint Resolution 55)

A Senate Joint Resolution concerning

Potomac River - Hunting-and Fishing

FOR the purpose of permitting hunting—and—trapping fishing along the northern shoreline of the Pctomac River between Washington and Cumberland under certain conditions.

WHEREAS, The Potomac River is one of Maryland's richest natural resources both economically and recreationally and should provide full utilization by the citizens of Maryland; and

WHEREAS,-Outdoorsmen-have-had-unebstructed-access-to the-Potomac-River-for-hunting-and--trapping--since--early colonial-days;-and

WHEREAS, The northern shoreline of the Potomac River between Washington and Cumberland has been closed to hunting and trapping fishing since 1971 with the enactment of PL91-664 creating the CSO National Historical Fark; and

WHEREAS, The U. S. Congress will be considering in this session a proposed Potomac National River Bill or bills which would include the C&O National Historical Park; now, therefore, be it