

THE ICCAL GOVERNING BODY MAY ESTABLISH A SCENIC RIVER ADVISORY BOARD FOR EACH DESIGNATED SCENIC OR WILD RIVER WITHIN ITS JURISDICTION. EACH BOARD, AS CONSTITUTED BY THE ICCAL AUTHORITY MAY RECOMMEND SUCH POLICIES, LAWS, RULES, AND REGULATIONS, IN FURTHERANCE OF THE AIMS OF THIS SUBTITLE TO THE APPROPRIATE ICCAL GOVERNING BODY. IF A SCENIC OR WILD RIVER FLOWS THROUGH MORE THAN ONE COUNTY, THE SCENIC RIVER ADVISORY BOARD MAY CONSIST OF AN EQUAL NUMBER OF MEMBERS FROM EACH COUNTY.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1978.

Approved May 29, 1978.

CHAPTER 963

(House Bill 2029)

AN ACT concerning

Criminal Proceedings - Jury Trials

FOR the purpose of permitting a defendant to waive his right to trial by jury anytime ~~prior to the swearing of the jury~~ up to 72 hours prior to trial; and providing that the court may allow a change in the election of a jury trial anytime before trial, upon motion and for good cause shown.

BY adding to

Article - Courts and Judicial Proceedings
Section 8-305
Annotated Code of Maryland
(1974 Volume and 1977 Supplement)

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That section(s) of the Annotated Code of Maryland be repealed, amended, or enacted to read as follows:

Article - Courts and Judicial Proceedings

8-305.

IN ANY CRIMINAL PROCEEDING THE DEFENDANT MAY WAIVE HIS RIGHT TO TRIAL BY JURY AT ANYTIME ~~PRIOR TO THE JURY BEING SWORN UP TO 72 HOURS PRIOR TO THE TIME OF TRIAL.~~ UPON WAIVER OF JURY TRIAL THE DEFENDANT SHALL BE TRIED BY THE COURT SITTING WITHOUT A JURY. THE COURT MAY AT ANYTIME BEFORE TRIAL, UPON MOTION AND FOR GOOD CAUSE SHOWN, ALLOW A CHANGE IN THE ELECTION OF A JURY TRIAL.