

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 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That section(s) of the Annotated Code of Maryland be repealed, amended, or enacted to read as follows: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

4-1106.

(b) (1) The Department shall have licensed oystermen IN EACH TIDEWATER COUNTY OF THIS STATE select a COUNTY committee of five representative licensed tongers, who earn their livelihood by catching oysters, [for each tidewater county of the State. When planting shells or seed oysters or closing or reserving any tonging area,] TO CONFER WITH the Department [shall confer with and procure the advice of the committee of oystermen for the county adjacent or nearest to the area] CONCERNING OYSTER PROPAGATION CONDUCTED BY THE DEPARTMENT IN THAT COUNTY. EACH COUNTY COMMITTEE SHALL ELECT A CHAIRMAN TO SERVE ON A STATEWIDE COMMITTEE OF OYSTERMEN TO ADVISE THE DEPARTMENT ON STATEWIDE ISSUES CONCERNING OYSTER PROPAGATION.

(2) A similar advisory committee [of five] THAT INCLUDES licensed dredgers shall be selected to confer [and advise in] WITH THE DEPARTMENT CONCERNING the propagation of oysters in the dredging areas. THE COMMITTEE SHALL ELECT A CHAIRMAN TO SERVE ON A STATEWIDE COMMITTEE OF OYSTERMEN TO ADVISE THE DEPARTMENT ON STATEWIDE ISSUES CONCERNING OYSTER PROPAGATION.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1980.

Approved May 6, 1980.

CHAPTER 425

(House Bill 896)

AN ACT concerning

Police Training Commission - Training Schools

FOR the purpose of altering the definition of a law enforcement unit with regard to the Police Training Commission.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article 41 - Governor-Executive and
Administrative Departments
Section 70A(a)(4)