

(e) In the case of contracts of the State of Maryland, or any board, commission, or agency thereof, the aforesaid bonds OR OTHER SECURITY shall be payable to the State of Maryland and shall be approved by the Attorney General as to form. In the case of all other contracts subject to this section, the bonds OR OTHER SECURITY shall be payable to the public body concerned, and shall be approved by its attorney as to form.

(f) Bonds, OTHER SECURITY, OR EVIDENCE OF ANY TRUST ACCOUNT ESTABLISHED AS SECURITY payable to the State of Maryland shall be filed in the office of the State Comptroller. All other bonds, OTHER SECURITY, OR EVIDENCE OF ANY TRUST ACCOUNT ESTABLISHED AS SECURITY shall be filed in the office of the public body concerned.

(g) The State Comptroller or officer in charge of the office wherein the aforesaid bonds OR OTHER SECURITY are required to be filed is authorized and directed to furnish, to any person making application therefor who submits an affidavit that he has supplied labor, or materials, for such work and payment therefor has not been made or that he is being sued on any such bond, a certified copy of the bond, OF A CERTIFIED STATEMENT OF OTHER SECURITY PROVIDED, OR OF EVIDENCE OF ANY TRUST ACCOUNT ESTABLISHED which copy shall be prima facie evidence of the contents, execution, and delivery of the [original] BOND OR OTHER SECURITY, AS APPLICABLE. Applicants shall pay for such certified copies such reasonable fees as the State Comptroller or the aforesaid officer shall fix to cover the cost of preparation thereof.

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

Approved May 20, 1980.

CHAPTER 656

(House Bill 1589)

AN ACT concerning

Baltimore Howard and Harford Counties - Animal Traps

FOR the purpose of restricting the use of certain types of animal traps by owners and lessees of privately owned land in Baltimore Howard and Harford Counties; and clarifying language.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article - Natural Resources