

caused by sediment loss, animal wastes and chemicals for the public benefit; defining eligible costs and setting certain dollar limits on cost sharing funds available under this Act; requiring the Secretaries of Agriculture and Health and Mental Hygiene to promulgate certain rules and regulations to administer the cost sharing program; providing certain standards for the selection of projects and the degree of State cost sharing; providing for certain technical assistance from the appropriate soil conservation district; establishing certain conditions precedent to the availability of State cost sharing funds including execution of a cost sharing agreement with certain terms and conditions, approval by the Board of Public Works and certain certification by the appropriate soil conservation district; providing for the recordation of a memorandum of cost sharing agreement; providing for the disbursement of cost sharing funds; prohibiting the use of State general funds for cost sharing under this Act; providing for the enforcement of cost sharing agreements by the Attorney General and for a certain civil remedy upon breach of the agreement by a person; making this Act contingent upon passage of another Act which authorizes use of the proceeds of the Water Quality Loan Act of 1974 for cost sharing projects to control agriculturally related nonpoint sources of water pollution; generally relating to the establishment of a cost sharing program to control certain pollution; and generally relating to the establishment of a cost sharing program to control certain causes of water pollution in this State.

~~BY-repealing-and-reenacting,-with-amendments,~~

~~Article---Agriculture
Section-8-101
Annotated-Code-of-Maryland
(1974-Volume-and-1981-Supplement)~~

BY adding to

Article - Agriculture
Section 8-701 and-8-702 through 8-705 to be under the
new subtitle "Subtitle 7. Cost Sharing - Water
Pollution Control"
Annotated Code of Maryland
(1974 Volume and 1981 Supplement)

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

Article - Agriculture