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(b) (1) A person may not upon any pretense come to hunt with a gun, on the lands owned by another person without the written permission of the landowner, his agent, or lessee. Any person hunting on this private property is liable for any damage he causes to the private property while hunting on it. The landowner shall not be liable for accidental injury or damage to the person whether or not the landowner or his agent gave permission to hunt on it.

(2) The provisions of this subsection apply only in the following counties:

- (i) Calvert County;
- (ii) Cecil County;
- (iii) Charles County;
- (iv) Harford County; [and]
- (v) St. Mary's County; AND
- (VI) WASHINGTON COUNTY.

(d) In Caroline, Kent, Queen Anne's, [and] Talbot, AND WASHINGTON counties, a person who hunts with a gun or other weapon upon the lands of another without first obtaining written permission from the owner or possessor of the land is guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction of a first offense is subject to a fine not exceeding \$1,000. Upon conviction of a second or subsequent offense, the person is subject to a fine not exceeding \$2,000.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1982.

Approved May 20, 1982.

CHAPTER 408

(House Bill 1220)

AN ACT concerning

Hunting - Use of Artificial Lights

FOR the purpose of ~~providing that the operator of a vehicle and not the occupants of the vehicle may receive a penalty on conviction for casting light from the~~