

Approved May 24, 1983.

CHAPTER 439

(House Bill 696)

AN ACT concerning

Frederick County - Hunting

FOR the purpose of providing that a person in Frederick County may not hunt with a gun on land owned by another person without the written permission of the landowner, agent, or lessee; providing for the liability of certain persons; providing that a person hunting deer on the property of another shall first obtain written permission from the landowner, agent, or lessee; requiring that a person hunting on the land of another shall exhibit the written permission upon request by certain individuals; providing penalties; and generally relating to the requirement that a person hunting on the property of another in Frederick County first secure the written permission of the landowner, agent, or lessee.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article - Natural Resources
Section 10-411(b), (c), and (d)
Annotated Code of Maryland
(1974 Volume and 1982 Supplement)

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

Article - Natural Resources

10-411.

(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;