

~~(e) A person who willfully misrepresents a material fact on a juror qualification form for the purpose of avoiding or securing service as a juror is subject to a fine of not more than \$500 or imprisonment for not more than 30 days.~~

~~SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That if any provision of this Act or the application thereof to any person or circumstance is held invalid for any reason in a court of competent jurisdiction, the invalidity does not affect other provisions or any other application of this Act which can be given effect without the invalid provision or application, and for this purpose the provisions of this Act are declared severable.~~

SECTION ~~2.~~ 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall be construed to apply only prospectively and may not be applied or interpreted to have any effect on or application to service on any petit jury before ~~July 1, 2006~~ the effective date of this Act.

SECTION ~~4.~~ 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 2005.

Approved May 26, 2005.

CHAPTER 597

(House Bill 1245)

AN ACT concerning

Scrap Tires - Reimbursement of Costs and Grants

FOR the purpose of exempting certain sites from the requirement of reimbursing a certain fund for costs incurred due to the storage, disposal, or processing of scrap tires under certain circumstances; ~~requiring the Secretary of the Environment to include in certain regulations the criterion of whether the owner or operator of the site had any responsibility for the storage, disposal, or processing of scrap tires; requiring the Department of the Environment to recommend a certain grant for owners or operators of sites involving scrap tires under certain circumstances; allowing for the reimbursement of up to a certain percentage of certain cleanup costs if the owner or operator was not responsible for the storage, disposal, or processing of scrap tires; and generally relating to the storage, disposal, or processing of scrap tires.~~

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article - Environment

Section 9-276 through ~~9-278~~

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1996 Replacement Volume and 2004 Supplement)

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