APPROPRIATE GOVERNING BODY AND THE COMMITTEE OF WATERMEN OF ANY COUNTY AFFECTED BY THE RESTRICTION.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1984.

Approved May 29, 1984.

CHAPTER 644

(House Bill 704)

AN ACT concerning

Disorderly Conduct and Related Crimes - Penalties

FOR the purpose of altering the penalties for certain crimes relating to disorderly conduct, obstruction of free passage on public streets and highways-7- and disturbance of the public peace7-and-trespass.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article 27 - Crimes and Punishments Section 121, 122, 123, -124, -and -577 and 124 Annotated Code of Maryland (1982 Replacement Volume and 1983 Supplement)

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

Article 27 - Crimes and Punishments

121.

Any person who shall wilfully obstruct or hinder the free passage of persons passing along or by any public street or highway in any city, town or county of this State, or who shall wilfully disturb any neighborhood in such city, town or county by loud and unseemly noises, or shall profanely curse and swear or use obscene language upon or near to any such street or highway within the hearing of persons passing by or along such highway, or shall wilfully hinder or obstruct the free passage of persons passing on or through or out of the station grounds of any railroad in the State, or who shall wilfully act in a disorderly manner within such station grounds by making such loud and unseemly noises, or by catching hold of and soliciting persons on said grounds against the will of such person, shall, upon conviction thereof, be sentenced to a fine of not less than one dollar and not more than [one hundred dollars] \$500 or shall be