

(II) The annual fee for this special license shall be \$25.

(III) IF A BOAT OWNER PURCHASES THE SPECIAL LICENSE UNDER THIS PARAGRAPH, THE BOAT OWNER MAY FISH ANYWHERE IN THE CHESAPEAKE BAY, WHETHER THE BOAT OWNER IS FISHING IN THE OWNER'S BOAT, IN ANOTHER PERSON'S BOAT, ON LAND, OR ELSEWHERE.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1985.

Approved May 21, 1985.

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CHAPTER 408

(House Bill 1123)

AN ACT concerning

Merit System - Examinations - Credit

FOR the purpose of requiring the Secretary of Personnel to give credit to applicants for employment with the Division of Correction who are residents of counties in the State that have had a certain unemployment rate; providing for termination of this Act; and generally relating to examinations given under the Merit System of the State.

BY adding to

Article 64A - Merit System  
Section 18(d-1)  
Annotated Code of Maryland  
(1983 Replacement Volume and 1984 Supplement)

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

Article 64A - Merit System

18.

(1) IN THIS SUBSECTION, "AVERAGE UNEMPLOYMENT RATE" MEANS A ROLLING AVERAGE FOR THE PRECEDING 9-MONTH PERIOD.

(D-1) IN AN EXAMINATION FOR INITIAL APPOINTMENT AND EMPLOYMENT WITH THE DIVISION OF CORRECTION OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY AND CORRECTIONAL SERVICES, THE SECRETARY OF PERSONNEL SHALL GIVE CREDIT OF 5 POINTS TO A RESIDENT OF ANY