

CHAPTER 456

(House Bill 385)

AN ACT concerning

Planning Commissions -
Commercial Fishing Activities - Counties on Tidal Waters

FOR the purpose of requiring the planning commissions of certain counties located on tidal waters to designate amend or include in certain plans by a certain date the designation of areas in the counties for certain uses for commercial fishing activities; requiring the designated areas of the counties to be located in certain areas for certain purposes; and generally relating to the location of activities related to commercial fishing in certain areas of certain counties of the State.

BY adding to

Article 66B - Zoning and Planning
Section 3.05(a)(4)
Annotated Code of Maryland
(1983 Replacement Volume and 1986 Supplement)

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

Article 66B - Zoning and Planning

3.05.

(a) (4) (I) AS A COMPONENT OF ITS COMPREHENSIVE PLAN, EACH PLANNING COMMISSION OF A COUNTY THAT IS LOCATED ON THE TIDAL WATERS OF THE STATE AND THAT EXERCISES AUTHORITY UNDER THIS ARTICLE SHALL DESIGNATE AMEND OR INCLUDE IN ITS PLAN BY JANUARY 1, 1988 THE DESIGNATION OF AREAS ON THE TIDAL WATER OR IN CLOSE PROXIMITY TO THE TIDAL WATER FOR THE FOLLOWING PURPOSES:

- SHELLFISH;
1. LOADING AND UNLOADING FINFISH AND
 2. PROCESSING FINFISH AND SHELLFISH; AND
 3. DOCKING AND MOORING COMMERCIAL FISHING
- BOATS AND VESSELS.

(II) THE DESIGNATED AREAS UNDER PARAGRAPH (4)(I) OF THIS SUBSECTION SHALL BE GEOGRAPHICALLY LOCATED IN ORDER: