

Section 5-805
to be Section 5-804
Annotated Code of Maryland
(1985 Replacement Volume and 1987 Supplement)

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

Article - Agriculture

5-802.

(a) The Secretary may conduct research to determine population trends or economic losses to agriculture caused by nuisance birds, and may develop and implement a plan of action for their control.

(b) The Secretary may demonstrate procedures or render technical assistance for the management of any nuisance birds.

(c) Any actions taken by the Secretary will be performed so as to protect human life, domestic animals, and other wildlife.

(d) The Secretary shall adopt means and methods of control of nuisance birds [in accordance with recommendations of the advisory committee established in § 5-804].

[5-804.

(a) The Secretary shall appoint an advisory committee to aid him in establishing guidelines and to make recommendations with respect to his duties under this subtitle.

(b) The committee shall consist of 11 members appointed for two year terms and shall have balanced representation from federal and State agencies, agricultural interests, conservation, educational, and environmental interests, and the general public.]

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That Section(s) 5-805 of Article - Agriculture of the Annotated Code of Maryland be renumbered to be Section(s) 5-804.

SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1988.

Approved April 12, 1988.
