

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1988.

Approved May 2, 1988.

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CHAPTER 179

(House Bill 209)

AN ACT concerning

Forest Conservation and Management Program

FOR the purpose of clarifying certain reassessment provisions under the forest conservation and management program; authorizing the Department of Natural Resources to set certain fees; providing certain penalties if an agreement is terminated at the request of the owner; and generally relating to the forest conservation and management program.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article - Tax - Property  
Section 8-211  
Annotated Code of Maryland  
(1986 Volume and 1987 Supplement)

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

Article - Tax - Property

8-211.

(a) (1) In this section, the following words have the meanings indicated.

(2) "Agreement" means an agreement made under subsection (c) of this section.

(3) "Program" means the forest conservation and management program.

(b) The Department of Natural Resources shall establish the program to:

(1) encourage the preservation or development of land for productive woodland purposes;