

Section 4-1201(a), 5-1301(a), 7-801(a), 8-814, 8-1501(a),  
9-501(a), and 10-1101(b)  
Annotated Code of Maryland  
(1983 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 - Natural Resources

1-205.

(D) (1) IF A PERSON FAILS TO COMPLY WITH THE NOTICE TO APPEAR IN A CITATION ISSUED UNDER THIS SECTION, THE COURT MAY:

(I) EXCEPT AS PROVIDED IN PARAGRAPH (4) OF THIS SUBSECTION, ISSUE A WARRANT FOR THE PERSON'S ARREST; OR

(II) AFTER 5 DAYS, NOTIFY THE COURT'S CLERK OF THE PERSON'S NONCOMPLIANCE.

(2) ON RECEIPT OF NOTICE OF NONCOMPLIANCE FROM THE COURT, THE CLERK SHALL NOTIFY THE PERSON BY REGISTERED MAIL AT THE ADDRESS INDICATED ON THE CITATION THAT A WARRANT FOR THE PERSON'S ARREST MAY BE ISSUED BY THE COURT UNLESS, BY THE END OF THE 15TH DAY AFTER THE DATE ON WHICH THE NOTICE IS MAILED, THE PERSON:

(I) PAYS THE FINE ON THE ORIGINAL CHARGE AS PROVIDED FOR IN THE ORIGINAL CITATIONS AND A FINE OF \$100 FOR FAILING TO APPEAR; OR

(II) POSTS BOND OR A PENALTY DEPOSIT AND REQUESTS A NEW TRIAL DATE.

(3) IF A PERSON FAILS TO PAY THE FINES OR POST THE BOND OR PENALTY DEPOSIT UNDER PARAGRAPH (2) OF THE THIS SUBSECTION, THE COURT MAY ISSUE A WARRANT.

(4) WHEN THE ORIGINAL OFFENSE IS NOT PUNISHABLE BY INCARCERATION, A WARRANT MAY NOT BE ISSUED FOR THE PERSON UNDER THIS SUBSECTION UNTIL 20 DAYS AFTER THE ORIGINAL TRIAL DATE.

1-701.

(A) THE CHIEF JUDGE OF THE DISTRICT COURT OF MARYLAND MAY ESTABLISH, BY ADMINISTRATIVE REGULATION UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF § 1-605 OF THE COURTS AND JUDICIAL PROCEEDINGS ARTICLE, A SCHEDULE OF PREPAYABLE FINES FOR FIRST OFFENSE MISDEMEANOR VIOLATIONS OF THIS ARTICLE AND REGULATIONS ADOPTED UNDER THIS ARTICLE. THE AMOUNT OF A PREPAYABLE FINE MAY BE NO MORE THAN THE MAXIMUM AND