

(C) A DRAINAGE FACILITIES DISTRICT MAY BE CREATED BY THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS AFTER A PUBLIC HEARING AT WHICH TIME THE RESIDENTS AND TAXPAYERS WITHIN THE PROPOSED DRAINAGE FACILITIES DISTRICT SHALL BE GIVEN AN OPPORTUNITY TO BE HEARD.

(D) NOTICE OF THE HEARING SHALL BE PUBLISHED AT LEAST ONCE IN A NEWSPAPER OF GENERAL CIRCULATION IN THE AREA WHERE THE PROPOSED DRAINAGE FACILITIES DISTRICT IS TO BE LOCATED.

(E) FOLLOWING THE HEARING THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS MAY ESTABLISH THE DRAINAGE FACILITIES DISTRICT AND LEVY ON ALL PROPERTY THAT IS SUBJECT TO ORDINARY COUNTY TAXES AND LOCATED WITHIN THE DISTRICT ~~AD-VALOREM-TAXES-AT-A-RATE-SUFFICIENT-TO-PAY~~ A SPECIAL ASSESSMENT OVER A 15 YEAR PERIOD TO RECOVER THE COSTS OF THE CONSTRUCTION AND MAINTENANCE OF THE DRAINAGE FACILITIES.

(F) ALL SUCH ~~TAXES~~ SPECIAL ASSESSMENTS SHALL BE LEVIED IN THE SAME MANNER, UPON THE SAME ASSESSMENTS, FOR THE SAME PERIOD OR PERIODS, AND AS OF THE SAME DATE OR DATES OF FINALITY AS ARE PRESCRIBED BY LAW.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1989.

Approved April 11, 1989.

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CHAPTER 37

(Senate Bill 246)

AN ACT concerning

Fish Traps - Hedging Twine Size

FOR the purpose of requiring hedging and leads used for trap nets, pound nets, and fyke nets to be constructed from certain materials.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article - Natural Resources  
Section 4-710(c)  
Annotated Code of Maryland  
(1983 Replacement Volume and 1988 Supplement)

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