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LAWS OF MARYLAND

Finance and Procurement Article.

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

Approved May 25, 1989.

CHAPTER 623

(Senate Bill 828)

AN ACT concerning

State Conservation Reserve Program - Participation by Department of Natural Resources

FOR the purpose of authorizing the Department of Natural Resources to contribute a certain annual expenditure for new enrollment in the State Conservation Reserve Program in the State Department of Agriculture; providing certain limitations and conditions on the amount of money that the Department of Natural Resources may expend under this Act; and generally relating to the participation, under certain limitations and conditions, of the Department of Natural Resources in the State Conservation Reserve Program.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article - Agriculture Section 8-804 Annotated Code of Maryland (1985 Replacement Volume and 1988 Supplement)

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

Article - Agriculture

8-804.

- (A) An amount not to exceed \$40,000 in general funds may be expended each year by the STATE Department OF AGRICULTURE to fund new enrollment in the State Conservation Reserve Program.
- (B) (1) THE DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES MAY COOPERATE IN THE FUNDING OF NEW ENROLLMENT IN THE STATE CONSERVATION RESERVE PROGRAM IN AN AMOUNT NOT EXCEEDING \$100 PER ACRE FOR THE FIRST YEAR ONLY OF PARTICIPATION IN THE PROGRAM, IF THE FARMLAND: