

WHEREAS, Certain groups have raised questions on the accuracy of the population estimates for Canada geese that the Department of Natural Resources made in its aerial surveys in mid-November, 1988 and in midwinter, 1989; and

WHEREAS, The General Assembly intends this Act to provide the Department of Natural Resources with added services in order to add credibility to the Department's population estimates for all wild waterfowl; now, therefore,

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

Article - Natural Resources

10-210.

IN THE PLANNING OF SAMPLING METHODS AND THE COMPILATION OF ESTIMATES OF THE NUMBER OF WILD WATERFOWL IN THE STATE, THE DEPARTMENT SHALL ~~CONSULT--AND--COOPERATE--WITH--AND--USE--THE~~ STATISTICS--OF TAKE ADVANTAGE OF OTHER SURVEYS MADE BY RELIABLE ORGANIZATIONS INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO:

- (1) THE GRAND NATIONAL WATERFOWL HUNT, INCORPORATED;
- AND
- (2) THE MARYLAND OUTFITTERS ASSOCIATION.

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

Approved May 25, 1989.

CHAPTER 764

(House Bill 1576)

AN ACT concerning

Insurance - Delinquency Proceedings -
Conservator, Rehabilitator, or Receiver

FOR the purpose of permitting the Insurance Commissioner to require a conservator, rehabilitator, or receiver appointed by the court to file certain reports; allowing the Insurance Commissioner and certain guaranty associations full access to certain records; permitting the Insurance Commissioner to