

relating to the redeposit of spoil within a certain distance of the Hart-Miller-Pleasure Island chain in Baltimore County; and generally relating to the redeposit of spoil within a certain distance of the Hart-Miller-Pleasure Island chain in Baltimore County.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article - Natural Resources
Section 8-1602.1
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:

Article - Natural Resources

8-1602.1.

(a) (1) [The] EXCEPT FOR DREDGE SPOIL FROM LOCAL DREDGING PROJECTS INITIATED BY BALTIMORE COUNTY IN THE WATERS OF BALTIMORE COUNTY, THE Department may not approve ~~more--than--one~~ ANY contained area for the redeposit of spoil within 5 miles of the Hart-Miller-Pleasure Island chain in Baltimore County.

(2) A contained area described in paragraph (1) of this subsection may not exceed the approximately 1,100 acre size provided in the projects U.S. Army Corps of Engineers permit dated November 22, 1976.

(b) Only (1) EXCEPT AS PROVIDED IN PARAGRAPH (2) OF THIS SUBSECTION, ONLY spoil from the excavation or dredging of Baltimore Harbor, its approach channels and Baltimore County tributary spoil from an approved dredging project in any of the Baltimore County tributaries of the Chesapeake Bay may be redeposited in a contained area described in subsection (a) of this section.

(2) ONLY DREDGE SPOIL FROM LOCAL DREDGING PROJECTS INITIATED BY BALTIMORE COUNTY IN THE WATERS OF BALTIMORE COUNTY MAY BE REDEPOSITED IN ANY ADDITIONAL CONTAINED AREA FOR THE REDEPOSIT OF SPOIL AUTHORIZED UNDER SUBSECTION (A)(1) OF THIS SECTION.

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

Approved May 25, 1989.