

VETOES

Article - Environment
Section 4-401 and 4-411
Annotated Code of Maryland
(1987 Replacement Volume and 1988 Supplement)

BY adding to

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

Article - Environment

4-401.

(a) In this subtitle, the following words have the meanings indicated.

(b) "Discharge" means the addition, introduction, leaking, spilling, or emitting any [pollutant] OIL to State waters or the placing of any pollutant in a location where it is likely to [pollute] REACH STATE WATERS.

[(c) "National pollutant discharge elimination system" means the national system for the issuance of permits as designated by the 1972 amendments to Federal Water Pollution Control Act.]

(d) "Permit" means a permit to discharge pollutants into waters of the State issued under this subtitle.

(e) "Pollutant" means any wastes or wastewaters discharged from any publicly owned treatment works or industrial source and all other liquid, gaseous, solid or other substances which will pollute any waters of the State.]

(C) (1) "OIL" MEANS OIL OF ANY KIND AND IN ANY LIQUID FORM INCLUDING:

(I) PETROLEUM;

(II) PETROLEUM BY-PRODUCTS;

(III) FUEL OIL;

(IV) SLUDGE CONTAINING OIL OR OIL RESIDUES;