

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1995. It shall remain effective for a period of 3 years and, at the end of June 30, 1998, and with no further action required by the General Assembly, this Act shall be abrogated and of no further force and effect.

Approved May 9, 1995.

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**CHAPTER 320**

**(House Bill 1073)**

AN ACT concerning

**Transportation of Shellfish**

FOR the purpose of clarifying the time a licensed harvester has to transport shellfish in a vehicle to a licensed food establishment without having to meet temperature requirements established by the Department of Health and Mental Hygiene; and generally relating to the transportation of shellfish.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article - Health - General

Section 21-350

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1990 Replacement Volume and 1994 Supplement)

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

**Article - Health - General**

21-350.

(a) (1) Any vehicle that is used to transport, store, or sell shellfish for commercial purposes or processed crabs for commercial purposes shall be capable of maintaining the shellfish or processed crabs at a temperature established by the Department.

(2) This subsection does not apply to a licensed harvester of shellfish who delivers the shellfish in a vehicle to a processor, retailer, or wholesaler ON THE DAY OF HARVEST.

(b) Any shellfish or processed crabs that are transported by, sold from, or stored in any vehicle for commercial purposes shall be maintained at a temperature established by the Department.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect October 1, 1995.