

Approved May 26, 2004.

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**CHAPTER 460**

**(Senate Bill 452)**

AN ACT concerning

**State Boat Act - Waterway Improvement Fund - Authorized Uses**

FOR the purpose of altering the amount of certain funds that may be proposed to be used by the Natural Resources Police for marine operations for certain fiscal years; repealing a provision that requires a certain payment to the Comptroller; repealing the authority of the Department of Natural Resources to use certain funds for enforcement of the State Boat Act; providing for a delayed effective date; and generally relating to the enforcement of the State Boat Act.

BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,

Article - Natural Resources  
Section 8-709(a) and 8-723  
Annotated Code of Maryland  
(2000 Replacement Volume and 2003 Supplement)

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article - Natural Resources  
Section 8-716(i) and (k)  
Annotated Code of Maryland  
(2000 Replacement Volume and 2003 Supplement)

BY repealing

Article - Natural Resources  
Section 8-709(c) and 8-716(h) and (j)  
Annotated Code of Maryland  
(2000 Replacement Volume and 2003 Supplement)

BY adding to

Article - Natural Resources  
Section 8-709(c)  
Annotated Code of Maryland  
(2000 Replacement Volume and 2003 Supplement)

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