

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

**Chapter 191 of the Acts of 2002**

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect October 1, 2002. [It shall remain effective for a period of 2 years and, at the end of September 30, 2004, with no further action required by the General Assembly, this Act shall be abrogated and of no further force and effect.]

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 2004.

Approved May 11, 2004.

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**CHAPTER 272**

**(Senate Bill 428)**

AN ACT concerning

**State Government - ~~State Team Sport~~ - Lacrosse Designations**

FOR the purpose of designating *the Patuxent River stone as the State gem; designating* lacrosse as the State team sport; and generally relating to ~~the State team sport~~ State designations.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article - State Government

Section 13-308

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1999 Replacement Volume and 2003 Supplement)

BY adding to

Article - State Government

Section 13-319

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1999 Replacement Volume and 2003 Supplement)

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

**Article - State Government**

13-308.

- (A) Jousting is the State sport.
- (B) LACROSSE IS THE STATE TEAM SPORT.