

SECTION 1. ~~BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND~~ 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

Article – Natural Resources

10-101.

(E) "FLIGHTED MALLARD DUCKS" MEANS PEN-REARED MALLARD DUCKS THAT ARE PROPERLY BANDED BY THE LICENSEE AND ARE RELEASED AND SHOT IMMEDIATELY AFTER RELEASE.

10-410.

(a) [Except for the use of State certified raptors for hunting game birds or mammals during open season, a person may not hunt any game bird or mammal on Sundays. However, an unarmed person participating in an organized fox chase may chase foxes on Sundays.]

(1) EXCEPT AS PROVIDED IN PARAGRAPH (2) OF THIS SUBSECTION, A PERSON MAY NOT HUNT ANY GAME BIRD OR MAMMAL ON SUNDAYS.

(2) THE FOLLOWING PERSONS MAY HUNT THE SPECIFIED GAME BIRDS AND MAMMALS ON SUNDAYS:

(I) A PERSON USING STATE CERTIFIED RAPTORS TO HUNT GAME BIRDS OR MAMMALS DURING OPEN SEASON;

(II) AN UNARMED PERSON PARTICIPATING IN AN ORGANIZED FOX CHASE TO CHASE FOXES; AND

(III) A PERSON:

1. USING A REGULATED SHOOTING GROUND UNDER § 10-906 OF THIS TITLE TO HUNT PEN-REARED GAME BIRDS, INCLUDING PHEASANTS, BOBWHITE QUAIL, CHUKAR, PARTRIDGE, FLIGHTED MALLARD DUCKS, WILD TURKEY, AND GROUSE; AND

2. HAVING THE WRITTEN PERMISSION OF THE OWNER OF THE LAND OR OTHER PERSON DESIGNATED BY THE OWNER OF THE LAND, IF THE LAND IS OWNED OR LEASED BY A PERSON OTHER THAN THE PERSON HUNTING ON SUNDAYS.

10-906.

(a) Any person desiring to establish and operate a regulated shooting ground shall first obtain:

(1) [a] permit from the Department; AND