

and contain an affidavit signed by the applicant that he is a resident of the county. Upon payment by the applicant of an annual fee of \$10.50, the designated person may issue a license supplied by the Department to the designated person. As compensation for each bait dealer's license issued, the designated person shall retain 50 cents. Any money collected for license fees during a month shall be forwarded to the Department on the first day of each succeeding month. The Department shall account for the money to the State Treasurer.

(b) A live bait dealer may sell only minnows, chubs measuring less than 6 inches in length, and killifishes and mad toms procured from the waters of the Potomac River. He may not possess more than 750 bait fish of every type at one time. The bait boxes of the live bait dealer shall be open for a Natural Resources police officer to inspect at any reasonable time.

(c) A live bait dealer may not sell more than 35 bait fish to any person in any day. A licensee may not transport bait fish out of the county where purchased or sell it outside that county. A purchaser from the licensee may not resell bait fish but may transport it outside of the county where purchased.]

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect October 1, 2008.

Approved by the Governor, April 8, 2008.

CHAPTER 57

(House Bill 227)

AN ACT concerning

Agriculture - Animal Health - Administrative Penalties

FOR the purpose of altering and extending the authority of the Secretary of Agriculture to impose certain penalties on any person who violates animal health requirements; and generally relating to administrative penalties imposed by the Secretary of the Maryland Department of Agriculture.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
Article - Agriculture
Section 3-116
Annotated Code of Maryland