

nation or otherwise, in connection with the State's system of roads and highways, is not necessary or desirable in the maintenance of said system of roads and highways, or whenever, by reason of the re-location of any road or bridge by the State Roads Commission, any land or bridge ceases to be used in the State's system of roads and highways, the State Roads Commission, with the consent and approval of the Board of Public Works, shall be vested with full power and authority to dispose of such land or bridge. Deeds for the transfer of any property disposed of under this section shall be executed by the Chairman of the State Roads Commission and the Board of Public Works. In the event of a sale of such property, the proceeds shall be accounted for and remitted by the State Roads Commission to the State Treasurer, who shall create a special fund thereof, to be used for the construction, reconstruction, maintenance and repair of the State's system of roads and highways, in accordance with the appropriations thereof made by the General Assembly.

SEC. 2 *And be it further enacted*, That this Act shall take effect on the first day of June, 1927.

Approved April 1, 1927.

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## CHAPTER 206.

AN ACT prohibiting the use of beam trawl, trammel net, troll net or any similar device in any waters within the limits of the State of Maryland, and providing penalties for the violation thereof.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That a new section is hereby added to Article 39 of the Code of Public General Laws of Maryland prohibiting the use of any beam trawl, trammel net, troll net or any similar device in any waters within the limits of the State of Maryland, said new section to read as follows:

SEC. 1. The use of any beam trawl, trammel net, troll net or any similar device is absolutely prohibited in any waters within the limits of the State of Maryland. Any person, firm or corporation violating the provisions of this Section shall on conviction thereof before any Justice of the Peace of any County of this State most accessible, forfeit said net or nets, or device, together with all boats, vessels, and tackle used in