

ACT IN VIOLATION OF ANY PROVISION OF ARTICLE 14B OR RULES AND REGULATIONS ADOPTED PURSUANT THERETO GENERALLY KNOWN AS THE "STATE BOAT ACT" AND EXCEPT FOR THE OFFENSES SPECIFICALLY ENUMERATED IN ARTICLE 26, SECTION 70-2 (D) (2).

SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this act shall take effect July 1, 1973, and shall apply to all offenses committed on and after July 1, 1973.

Approved April 26, 1973.

CHAPTER 130

(House Bill 115)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Section 335 of Article 66C of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1970 Replacement Volume, 1972 Supplement), title "Natural Resources," subtitle "Fish and Fisheries," to increase the minimum size for the possession, sale, or transportation of lobsters.

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That Section 335 of Article 66C of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1970 Replacement Volume, 1972 Supplement), title "Natural Resources," subtitle "Fish and Fisheries," be and it is hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

335.

It shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation to possess, sell or offer to sell or transport any [spawning] EGG BEARING OR SCRAPED lobster or any lobster measuring less than $3\frac{1}{8}$ $3\frac{3}{16}$ inches from the rear end of the eye socket along a line parallel to the center line of the body shell (carapace) to the rear of such body shell (carapace).

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1973.

Approved April 26, 1973.

CHAPTER 131

(House Bill 119)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Section 5 of Article 45 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1971 Replacement Volume), title "Husband and Wife"; to add new Section 128(e) to Article 83 of the Code (1969 Replacement Volume), title "Sales and Notices," subtitle "Retail Installment Sales," to follow immediately after Section 128(d) thereof; and to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Section 153C(b) of the same Article and title, subtitle "Retail Credit Accounts Law," to forbid discrimination against certain persons in certain financial relationships because of the sex or marital status of the