

the approbation of this State. *The position of Notary Public shall not be considered an office of profit within the meaning of this Article.*

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted,* That the foregoing section hereby proposed as an amendment to the Declaration of Rights of the Constitution of the State of Maryland shall, at the next general election, to be held in this State in the year 1964, be submitted to the legal and qualified voters of the State for their adoption or rejection in pursuance of the directions contained in Article 14 of the Constitution of this State, and at the said general election, the vote on the said proposed amendment shall be by ballot, and upon each ballot there shall be printed the words "For the Constitutional Amendment" and "Against the Constitutional Amendment" as now prescribed by law, and immediately after said election, due returns shall be made to the Governor of the vote for and against said proposed amendment, as directed by said Article 14 of the Constitution.

Approved April 7, 1964.

CHAPTER 130

(House Bill 129)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Section 132 (a) of Article 66C of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1963 Supplement), title "Natural Resources," subtitle "Birds, Game and Inland Water Fish," subheading "Upland and Migratory Game Birds and Game Animals," to change the open seasons for the taking of bear, male and antlerless deer, to eliminate certain exceptions and special seasons, to provide for a uniform method of prescribing antlerless deer seasons throughout the State, and relating generally to the hunting of deer and bear.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That Section 132 (a) of Article 66C of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1963 Supplement), title "Natural Resources," subtitle "Birds, Game and Inland Water Fish," subheading "Upland and Migratory Game Birds and Game Animals," be and it is hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

Sec. 132.

(a) The open season for game birds and game animals shall be set by regulations of the Game and Inland Fish Commission under authority conferred upon it by Sec. 115 of this article within the prescribed dates listed below. The Game and Inland Fish Commission shall adopt and publish seasons on game birds and game animals annually on or before April 25 of each year, *and antlerless deer seasons, if any, before November 1 of each year,* provided, however, that whenever the Game and Inland Fish Commission, in the exercising of its powers and authority, restricts or reduces the number of days normally allowed for the hunting, taking, capturing, killing, possession, sale, purchase, shipment, transportation, carriage or export of