

Chapter 188

(House Bill 620)

AN ACT concerning

Dorchester County – Sunday Hunting – Deer Firearms Season

FOR the purpose of authorizing the Department of Natural Resources to allow a person to hunt deer on private property on certain Sundays during the deer firearms season ~~on certain property~~ in Dorchester County, subject to certain provisions of law; and generally relating to Sunday deer hunting in Dorchester County.

BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,

Article – Natural Resources

Section 10–410(a)(1)

Annotated Code of Maryland

(2012 Replacement Volume and 2018 Supplement)

BY adding to

Article – Natural Resources

Section 10–410(a)(12)

Annotated Code of Maryland

(2012 Replacement Volume and 2018 Supplement)

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

Article – Natural Resources

10–410.

(a) (1) Except as otherwise provided in this subsection, a person may not hunt any game bird or mammal on Sundays.

(12) (I) THIS PARAGRAPH APPLIES ONLY IN DORCHESTER COUNTY.

(II) SUBJECT TO ~~§ §§ 10–411 AND 10–415~~ OF THIS SUBTITLE, THE DEPARTMENT MAY ALLOW A PERSON TO HUNT DEER ON PRIVATE PROPERTY ON THE SECOND AND THIRD SUNDAY OF THE DEER FIREARMS SEASON ~~ON:~~

~~1. PRIVATE PROPERTY, SUBJECT TO § 10–411 OF THIS SUBTITLE; AND~~

~~2. PUBLIC LAND THAT IS DESIGNATED FOR SUNDAY HUNTING BY THE DEPARTMENT.~~

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 2019.

Approved by the Governor, April 18, 2019.