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By: Delegate Adams

Introduced and read first time: February 6, 2019 Assigned to: Environment and Transportation

## A BILL ENTITLED

| 1          | AN ACT concerning   |
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| 2          | Dorchester County - Sunday Hunting - Deer Muzzle Loader Season                          |
| 3          | FOR the purpose of authorizing the Department of Natural Resources to allow a person to |
| 4          | hunt deer on Sundays during the deer muzzle loader season on certain property in        |
| 5          | Dorchester County, subject to certain provisions of law; and generally relating to      |
| 6          | Sunday deer hunting in Dorchester County.   |
| 7          | BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,  |
| 8          | Article – Natural Resources   |
| 9          | Section 10–410(a)(1)  |
| 0          | Annotated Code of Maryland  |
| 1          | (2012 Replacement Volume and 2018 Supplement)   |
| $^{12}$    | BY adding to  |
| 13         | Article – Natural Resources   |
| 4          | Section 10–410(a)(12)   |
| 15         | Annotated Code of Maryland  |
| 16         | (2012 Replacement Volume and 2018 Supplement)   |
| L <b>7</b> | SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND,                           |
| 18         | That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:  |
| 9          | Article – Natural Resources   |

21 (a) (1) Except as otherwise provided in this subsection, a person may not hunt

22 any game bird or mammal on Sundays.

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10-410.

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

- 1 (II) SUBJECT TO § 10-415 OF THIS SUBTITLE, THE
- 2 DEPARTMENT MAY ALLOW A PERSON TO HUNT DEER ON A SUNDAY DURING THE
- 3 DEER MUZZLE LOADER SEASON ON:
- 1. Private property, subject to § 10-411 of this
- 5 SUBTITLE; AND
- 6 PUBLIC LAND THAT IS DESIGNATED FOR SUNDAY 7 HUNTING BY THE DEPARTMENT.
- 8 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 9  $\,$  1, 2019.