

# SENATE BILL 888

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CF HB 620

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By: **Senator Eckardt**

Introduced and read first time: February 14, 2019

Assigned to: Rules

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## A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Dorchester County – Sunday Hunting – Deer Firearms Season**

3 FOR the purpose of authorizing the Department of Natural Resources to allow a person to  
4 hunt deer on certain Sundays during the deer firearms 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)  
10 Annotated Code of Maryland  
11 (2012 Replacement Volume and 2018 Supplement)

12 BY adding to  
13 Article – Natural Resources  
14 Section 10–410(a)(12)  
15 Annotated Code of Maryland  
16 (2012 Replacement Volume and 2018 Supplement)

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

19 **Article – Natural Resources**

20 10–410.

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

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

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EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.



1                   **(II) SUBJECT TO § 10-415 OF THIS SUBTITLE, THE**  
2 **DEPARTMENT MAY ALLOW A PERSON TO HUNT DEER ON THE SECOND AND THIRD**  
3 **SUNDAY OF THE DEER FIREARMS SEASON ON:**

4                   **1. PRIVATE PROPERTY, SUBJECT TO § 10-411 OF THIS**  
5 **SUBTITLE; AND**

6                   **2. 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.