Department of Legislative Services

Maryland General Assembly 1999 Session

FISCAL NOTE

House Bill 503 (Delegate Redmer. et al.)

Environmental Matters

Natural Resources - Senior Consolidated Hunting License - Eligibility

This bill allows Maryland residents to purchase either a lifetime or annual senior consolidated license beginning in the calendar year in which they attain the age of 65 rather than waiting until the resident's 65th birthday as required by current law.

This bill takes effect July 1, 1999.

Fiscal Summary

State Effect: None. The bill would not materially alter the Department of Natural Resources' (DNR) operations or finances.

Local Effect: None.

Small Business Effect: None.

Fiscal Analysis

Background: DNR sold 1,822 senior consolidated licenses and 920 senior lifetime licenses in 1998. A senior consolidated license costs \$1.25 and a senior lifetime license costs \$12.50 As a result, DNR received \$2,280 from the sale of senior consolidated licenses and \$11,500 from the senior lifetime licenses, for a total of \$13,780.

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