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By: **Dorchester County Delegation**

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CHAPTER_____

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Port of Cambridge - Operation and Maintenance by Maryland Port**
3 **Administration - Jurisdiction**

4 FOR the purpose of altering a provision of law to authorize rather than require the
5 Maryland Port Administration to operate and maintain the port facility located
6 at Cambridge, Maryland; authorizing the Administration to sell, transfer, or
7 otherwise dispose of the Cambridge port facility; and generally relating to the
8 jurisdiction of the Maryland Port Administration over the port facility located at
9 Cambridge, Maryland.

10 BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,
11 Article - Transportation
12 Section 6-204(i)
13 Annotated Code of Maryland
14 (1993 Replacement Volume and 2000 Supplement)

15 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
16 Article - Transportation
17 Section 6-205
18 Annotated Code of Maryland
19 (1993 Replacement Volume and 2000 Supplement)

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

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Article - Transportation

2 6-204.

3 (i) The Administration may acquire, construct, reconstruct, rehabilitate,
4 improve, maintain, lease as lessor or as lessee, repair, and operate either directly or
5 through State created private operating companies port facilities within its territorial
6 jurisdiction, including the dredging of ship channels and turning basins and the
7 filling and grading of land.

8 6-205.

9 Under the authority granted by Section 6-204(i) of this article, the Maryland
10 Port Administration [shall] MAY operate and maintain the port facility presently
11 under its jurisdiction at Cambridge, Maryland. The operation and maintenance may
12 include the leasing of the facility. The Maryland Port Administration may expend the
13 necessary funds for the development of the port facility at Cambridge. THE
14 ADMINISTRATION MAY SELL, TRANSFER, OR OTHERWISE DISPOSE OF THE FACILITY
15 IN ACCORDANCE WITH § 10-305 OF THE STATE FINANCE AND PROCUREMENT
16 ARTICLE.

17 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect
18 October 1, 2001.