

BY: House Judiciary Committee

AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL NO. 965
(Third Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in line 2, strike “Waters” and substitute “Department of Natural Resources”; in the same line, strike “Penalties for Operating Recklessly” and substitute “- Reckless Operation - Subsequent Offenders”; and strike beginning with “operating” in line 7 down through “State” in line 10 and substitute “establishing a certain penalty for a certain subsequent offense relating to operation of a vessel; and generally relating to certain offenses relating to operation of vessels”.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On pages 1 and 2, strike in their entirety the lines beginning with line 20 on page 1 through line 29 on page 2, inclusive, and substitute:

“8-738.1.

(a) A person may not:

(1) Operate a vessel recklessly or in a manner that may endanger another or the property of another on a bay, creek, lake, river, or stream in the State; or

(2) Come into a wharf or bathing shore recklessly or in a manner that may endanger a person or property.

(b) A person who violates this section is guilty of a misdemeanor and on conviction is subject to:

(1) FOR A FIRST CONVICTION, imprisonment [for] not exceeding 30 days or a fine of not less than \$25 and not exceeding \$200 or both; AND

(Over)

(2) FOR A SECOND OR SUBSEQUENT CONVICTION, IMPRISONMENT NOT EXCEEDING 60 DAYS OR A FINE NOT EXCEEDING \$500 OR BOTH.”.