

# HOUSE BILL 998

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Assigned to: Environment and Transportation

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## A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Natural Resources – Striped Bass Permits – Annual Fees**

3 FOR the purpose of altering the annual fee for the commercial striped bass permit;  
4 providing for the termination of this Act; and generally relating to annual fees for  
5 striped bass permits.

6 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

7 Article – Natural Resources

8 Section 4–701(f)

9 Annotated Code of Maryland

10 (2012 Replacement Volume and 2014 Supplement)

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

13 **Article – Natural Resources**

14 4–701.

15 (f) For a tidal fish license, the Department may issue a permit for any of the  
16 following activities for which the indicated annual fee has been paid:

17 (1) To catch for sale:

18 (i) Striped bass:

19 1. **[\$200] \$160** for a licensee authorized under subsection  
20 (d)(2)(ii)2A of this section; or

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EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.



