

# SENATE BILL 152

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By: **Senators Glassman, Harris, and Jacobs**

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Assigned to: Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs

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## CHAPTER \_\_\_\_\_

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Harford County – Sheriff’s Office – Power to Enforce Noise Control Laws**

3 FOR the purpose of authorizing the Secretary of the Environment to delegate  
4 enforcement of certain noise control provisions in Harford County to the Sheriff  
5 of Harford County; and generally relating to enforcement of noise control  
6 provisions in Harford County.

7 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,  
8 Article – Environment  
9 Section 3–403(a)  
10 Annotated Code of Maryland  
11 (2007 Replacement Volume and 2009 Supplement)

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

14 **Article – Environment**

15 3–403.

16 (a) **(1)** The Department shall enforce the sound level limits and noise  
17 control rules and regulations adopted under this title.

18 **(2) IN HARFORD COUNTY, THE SECRETARY MAY DELEGATE**  
19 **ENFORCEMENT UNDER PARAGRAPH (1) OF THIS SUBSECTION TO THE SHERIFF**

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EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.

Underlining indicates amendments to bill.

~~Strike-out~~ indicates matter stricken from the bill by amendment or deleted from the law by amendment.



1 **OF HARFORD COUNTY, EXCEPT REGARDING TRAPSHOOTING, SKEETSHOOTING,**  
 2 **OR OTHER TARGET SHOOTING BETWEEN THE HOURS OF 9 A.M. AND 10 P.M. AT A**  
 3 **SHOOTING SPORTS CLUB THAT IS CHARTERED AND IN OPERATION IN HARFORD**  
 4 **COUNTY.**

5 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect  
 6 ~~October~~ June 1, 2010.

Approved:

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Governor.

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President of the Senate.

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Speaker of the House of Delegates.