

# HOUSE BILL 619

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CF SB 890

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By: **Delegate Adams**

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Assigned to: Environment and Transportation

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Committee Report: Favorable with amendments

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

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Dorchester County – Sunday Hunting – Deer Muzzle Loader Season**

3 FOR the purpose of authorizing the Department of Natural Resources to allow a person to  
4 hunt deer on private property on Sundays during the deer muzzle loader season ~~on~~  
5 ~~certain property~~ in Dorchester County, subject to certain provisions of law; and  
6 generally relating to Sunday deer hunting in Dorchester County.

7 BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,  
8 Article – Natural Resources  
9 Section 10–410(a)(1)  
10 Annotated Code of Maryland  
11 (2012 Replacement Volume and 2018 Supplement)

12 BY adding to  
13 Article – Natural Resources  
14 Section 10–410(a)(12)  
15 Annotated Code of Maryland  
16 (2012 Replacement Volume and 2018 Supplement)

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

19 **Article – Natural Resources**

20 10–410.

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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 (a) (1) Except as otherwise provided in this subsection, a person may not hunt  
2 any game bird or mammal on Sundays.

3 (12) (I) THIS PARAGRAPH APPLIES ONLY IN DORCHESTER COUNTY.

4 (II) SUBJECT TO ~~§~~ §§ 10-411 AND 10-415 OF THIS SUBTITLE,  
5 THE DEPARTMENT MAY ALLOW A PERSON TO HUNT DEER ON PRIVATE PROPERTY  
6 ON A SUNDAY DURING THE DEER MUZZLE LOADER SEASON ~~ON:~~

7 1. ~~PRIVATE PROPERTY, SUBJECT TO § 10-411 OF THIS~~  
8 ~~SUBTITLE; AND~~

9 2. ~~PUBLIC LAND THAT IS DESIGNATED FOR SUNDAY~~  
10 ~~HUNTING BY THE DEPARTMENT.~~

11 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July  
12 1, 2019.

Approved:

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Governor.

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Speaker of the House of Delegates.

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President of the Senate.