

HOUSE BILL 412

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By: **Delegates Glass and Metzgar**

Introduced and read first time: February 9, 2015

Assigned to: Environment and Transportation

A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Natural Resources – Deer Bow Hunting Season – End Date**

3 FOR the purpose of requiring the Department of Natural Resources to include a certain
4 day in the deer bow hunting season in certain years; and generally relating to the
5 deer bow hunting season.

6 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
7 Article – Natural Resources
8 Section 10–405(a)
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 10–405.

15 (a) (1) Pursuant to § 10–205 of this title, the Department shall establish by
16 regulation and publish by July 1 each year the open season to hunt forest and upland game
17 birds and mammals.

18 (2) Except as provided under § 10–410 of this subtitle, the Department may
19 not authorize hunting on a Sunday.

20 (3) (i) 1. Subject to subparagraph 2 of this subparagraph, the
21 Department shall establish by regulation by July 1 of each year a junior deer hunt to occur
22 on a Saturday and Sunday on the same weekend during a deer hunting season.

EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.



