

A005-0102

10 AN ACT CONCERNING

20 **Adultery - Conviction - Fine**

30 FOR the purpose of creating a harsher punishment for peoples convicted of committing the crime of
40 adultery.

50 BY repealing

60 Article - Crimes and Punishments

70 Section 3

80 Annotated Code of Maryland

90 (2001 Replacement Volume)

100 BY adding to

110 Article - Crimes and Punishments

120 Section 3

130 Annotated Code of Maryland

140 (2001 Replacement Volume)

150 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE MARYLAND STUDENT LEGISLATURE, That the Laws
160 of Maryland read as follows:

170 **Article -Crimes and Punishments**

180 § 3. Crimes and Punishments

190 Any person who shall commit adultery shall upon conviction thereof in any of the circuit courts for
200 the counties in this State be fined ~~ten~~ FIFTEEN dollars and be found to be at fault in any subsequent
210 divorce.

220 SECTION 2. BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, that this act shall take effect on October 1, 2002.

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