

EXHIBIT "O"

**Report of the State Appeal Board for the Fiscal Year
Ending June 30, 1948**

July 1st, 1948

HONORABLE JAMES J. LACY,
Comptroller of the Treasury,
Annapolis, Maryland.

HONORABLE SIR:

We herewith submit a report of cases heard and decisions rendered by the State Appeal Board under the Alcoholic Beverages Law for the fiscal year beginning July 1st, 1947, and ending June 30th 1948.

In Charles, Queen Anne's, Somerset and Worcester Counties, the Board acts as hearing officer as their decision being subject to appeal to the Circuit Courts of these counties. No appeals were taken from the decisions of this Board to the Circuit Courts during the fiscal year.

County	Cases Received	Granted	Refused	Suspended	Revoked	Withdrawn	Cancelled	Pending
Anne Arundel.....	5	2	3					
Charles.....	4	2	2					
Dorchester.....	5	1	1					3
Queen Anne's.....	4	2	2					
Somerset.....	2		1		1			
Wicomico.....	8	1	5			1		1
Worcester.....	6		2			4		
Total Cases	34	8	16	0	1	5	0	4

Bi-monthly meetings are held by the State Appeal Board to render decisions in cases heard, to discuss pending cases, to set cases for re-hearing so as to afford parties an opportunity to present additional evidence, etc., and, where appropriate, to arrange for personal inspection of licensed premises or of premises proposed to be licensed.

Respectfully submitted,

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By: L. FRANKLIN PURNELL,
Chairman.