

the collector and treasurer of said city ten dollars for the expenses connected therewith, which shall be credited on the license fee hereafter prescribed, if the same shall be actually issued.

1892, ch. 598, sec. 184F. 1914 Code, sec. 54.

39. Said petition shall contain first, the name and residence of the applicant, and how long he has resided there; second, the particular place for which a license is desired, designating the same by street and number if practicable, and if not, by such other apt description as definitely locates it; third, the place of birth of such applicant, and if a naturalized citizen, when and where naturalized; fourth, the name of the owner of the premises upon which the business is to be carried on; fifth, a statement that the applicant is a citizen of the United States, and that it is necessary for the accommodation of the public that the place should be licensed; sixth, that the applicant is not, or if the applicant is from a firm, that none of the applicants are, in any manner pecuniarily interested in the profits of the business conducted in any other place in said city where any intoxicating liquors are sold or kept for sale; seventh, that no person except the applicant is in any manner pecuniarily interested in the business petitioned to be licensed, and that no other person shall be pecuniarily interested therein during the continuance of the license; eighth, that the applicants have not nor has any of them had a license for the sale of intoxicating liquors in this State revoked, nor has been convicted of any crime within one year preceding the filing of said petition; ninth, the petition must be certified by the affidavit of the petitioner, made before a justice of the peace; if any false statement is made in any part of said petition, the petitioner or petitioners shall be deemed guilty of perjury, and upon indictment and conviction thereof his license shall be revoked, and he shall be subject to the penalties provided by law for that crime.

*Howes v. State*, 141 Md. 532.

1894, ch. 623, sec. 184G. 1914 Code, sec. 55.

40. There shall be annexed to said application a certificate signed by at least ten reputable taxpayers bona fide residents, or doing business in the vicinity in which the applicant proposes to conduct the business under the license applied for, who have not signed an application for such license for the same year for any other person, in which each of the persons certifying shall state his or her residence or place of business; that he or she is over twenty-five years of age; how long he or she has known the applicant; that he or she believes the statement contained in the application to be true; that from his or her knowledge of the applicant or applicants, and that from his or her acquaintance with him or them, he or she believes the applicant or applicants to be a proper person or persons to have the privilege of selling spirituous or fermented liquors, and he or she, accordingly, recommends the issuing of the license applied for; and that he or she has not signed an application for such license for any other person within six months from the date of such application.