

1894, ch. 623, sec. 184H. 1914 Code, sec. 56.

41. The said Mayor, Counselor and Aldermen shall publicly hear petitions from residents of the ward, or persons living or doing business in the vicinity of the place for which license is prayed, in addition to that of the petition or petitions for license, in favor of, and remonstrance against, the granting of said license, and in all cases the said Mayor, Counselor and Aldermen shall be the sole judges of the propriety of issuing said license, or whether or not the petitioner or petitioners are fit persons to have such license granted; and if sufficient cause shall at any time be shown, or proof be made to said Mayor, Counselor and Aldermen, that the party licensed was guilty of any fraud in procuring such license, or has violated any law of this State relating to the sale of intoxicating liquor, the said Mayor, Counselor and Alderman shall, after giving notice to the person or persons so licensed, revoke said license; and the Circuit Court for Anne Arundel County may in like manner revoke said license if the party should be convicted before it of any such violation, or if such revocation be recommended by the grand jury.

1894, ch. 623. 1892, ch. 598, sec. 184-I. 1914 Code, sec. 57.

42. No license shall be issued to any person or persons until he, she or they shall have paid the license fees provided for in the succeeding sections; and such license may be transferred or assigned to any person competent to take out said license, upon the assignee of any such license complying with all the requirements of the sub-title provided for taking out licenses; and such licenses may be transferred to any other premises for the person or persons holding the same upon the complying with all the requirements of this sub-title provided for taking out licenses, except that no additional charge or fee shall be collected for said transfer.

1900, ch. 31. 1892, ch. 598, sec. 184J. 1914 Code, sec. 58.

43. If, after notice and hearing, the Mayor, Counselor and Aldermen shall decide to grant the license prayed for, they shall notify the applicant of such decision, who shall thereupon pay to the collector and treasurer for said City of Annapolis the sum of money hereinafter specified, to wit, for a hotel, restaurant or other place in which distilled liquors or admixture of distilled liquors containing more than fifteen per cent. of alcohol are sold by retail, the sum of two hundred dollars; for a hotel or restaurant or other place in which only fermented liquor or liquors less than fifteen per cent. of alcohol are sold, the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars; for incorporated social clubs selling liquor as aforesaid to bona fide members thereof and to the guests of such members, the sum of fifty dollars, and on producing to said Mayor, Counselor and Aldermen a receipt from said City Treasurer showing the payment of the fee required for the license applied for, the said Mayor, Counselor and Aldermen shall issue such license; and the license when issued shall show the class for which it is issued, and any person obtaining a license of the latter class who shall sell distilled liquors or any mixture thereof containing more than fifteen per