

The building in which any dispensary is located must have a glass front opening on a public street and must be so arranged that the interior thereof is at all times subject to the view of persons passing along the street in front thereof. No chairs or tables shall be permitted in front of the counter of any dispensary and no loitering or loafing shall be permitted in or near any such dispensary. No dispensary shall be operated nearer than five hundred feet (500) to any church or one thousand feet (1000) to any public or private school. Said dispensaries shall not be open on Sundays and on week days shall be open from 9 A. M. to 9 P. M., or for such shorter period as the Board may determine. No alcoholic beverage shall be sold in any dispensary to any person under twenty-one years of age, to anyone who is a habitual drunkard, or to anyone who is under the influence of liquor.

For the purpose of establishing and operating the said dispensaries the Board of County Commissioners of Harford County, the Town Commissioners of Aberdeen and Bel Air and the Mayor and City Council of Havre de Grace are hereby authorized and empowered to advance from time to time to the Liquor Control Board such sum or sums of money as may be necessary to provide adequate working capital for said Liquor Control Board, and the said County, the said Town and the said City are hereby authorized and empowered to borrow upon the credit of said County, Towns and City such sums as may be necessary to meet such advances. The said Liquor Control Board is also authorized to borrow money from time to time upon the credit of said Board from any bank, other institution or individual; provided, however, that the aggregate sum advanced to or borrowed by the Liquor Control Board shall at no time exceed the sum of Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000.00). All sums advanced to the Liquor Control Board shall be obtained at the lowest rate of interest possible and shall be repaid, together with the interest thereon, out of the receipts from sales made by the said Liquor Dispensaries.

1939, ch. 734, sec. 48L.

**79.** The Liquor Control Board shall have full power and authority:

(1) To appoint such employees as may be necessary to conduct said Liquor Dispensaries, fix their compensation and require such bonds for the faithful performance of their duties as the Board may in each case determine.

(2) To purchase from any licensed wholesaler or manufacturer any sparkling or fortified wine or any other alcoholic beverage containing more than fourteen percentum (14%) of alcohol by volume, upon which the tax imposed by this Article has been paid, and to purchase from any non-resident producer or dealer any such alcoholic beverages and import the same for resale, as hereinafter provided; but such importations shall not be resold until the excise tax has been paid.

(3) To sell such alcoholic beverages in sealed containers, as above provided, at such prices as may be determined by the Board, which prices shall be uniform in all stores in the said County and shall in no case be less than the cost of such alcoholic beverages, plus a reasonable profit.

(4) To refuse to sell any such alcoholic beverages to any person or persons who, in the judgment of the Board or its employees, is not a suitable person to purchase or consume such beverages.

(5) To make any and all contracts, rules and regulations which they may deem necessary or desirable to carry out the powers conferred upon them by Sections 78-84.