

CHAPTER 213.

AN ACT to add ten new sections to Article 56 of the Code of Public General Laws of Maryland, Edition of 1924, title "Licenses", sub-title "Additional License Fees for the State", said new sections to follow immediately after Section 104, to be known as Sections 104A, 104B, 104C, 104D, 104E, 104F, 104G, 104H, 104-I and 104J, to authorize the manufacture, sale and transportation of, and to regulate the sale and distribution of beer, lager beer, porter, and wine, fermented malt or vinous liquor, or fruit juice, containing one-half of one per centum or more of alcohol by volume, and not more than 3.2 per centum of alcohol by weight; to require a license for the sale and distribution of such beverages, and to provide the manner and terms of the issuance of, and the determination of objections to the granting of such licenses, and the revocation thereof; to exempt certain political units from the provisions of this Act; to provide penalties for the violation of this Act; and to repeal all public general and public local laws inconsistent or in conflict with the provisions of this Act to the extent of such inconsistency or conflict.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That ten new sections be and the same are hereby added to Article 56 of the Code of Public General Laws of Maryland, Edition of 1924, title "Licenses", sub-title "Additional License Fees for the State", the said new sections to follow immediately after Section 104, to be placed under a new sub-title reading "Beer and Other Brewed or Fermented Beverages", to be known as 104A, 104B, 104C, 104D, 104E, 104F, 104G, 104H, 104 I and 104J, and to read as follows:

104A: The manufacture, sale, transportation within this State and the importation and exportation of beer, lager beer, porter, and wine, fermented malt or vinous liquor, or fruit juice, containing one-half of one per centum or more of alcohol by volume, and not more than 3.2 per centum of alcohol by weight, are hereby legalized and authorized anywhere within this State, and each and every public general and public local law prescribing a lower per centum for said beverages by weight or volume, or otherwise inconsistent or in conflict with this section or with any other provision of this Act is hereby repealed to the extent of such inconsistency or conflict.