SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

Article 2B - Alcoholic Beverages

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- (s-1) (1) In Somerset County [the members of the board shall receive as compensation the sum of one thousand dollars (\$1,000) annually] EACH OF THE MEMBERS OF THE BOARD, EXCEPT THE CHAIRMAN, SHALL RECEIVE AN ANNUAL SALARY OF \$1,800, AND THE CHAIRMAN SHALL RECEIVE AN ANNUAL SALARY OF \$2,000.
- (2) THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS SHALL PROVIDE A SUM SUFFICIENT TO PAY FOR THE SALARIES OF THE MEMBERS OF THE BOARD.
- (2) (3) THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS SHALL MAY PROVIDE A SUM SUFFICIENT TO PAY FOR ALL EXPENSES OF THE BOARD, INCLUDING:
 - (I) SALARIES OF MEMBERS OF THE BOARD;
 - (II) SALARIES OF OTHER PERSONNEL; AND
- (I) SALARIES OF PERSONNEL OTHER THAN MEMBERS OF THE BOARD; AND
- (III) COSTS OF PRINTING, SUPPLIES, AND OTHER EXPENSES RELATED TO THE OPERATION OF THE BOARD.
- (o) In Somerset County the board shall appoint a clerk to the board at an annual salary of [one thousand dollars (\$1,000)] \$1,800 and may designate an attorney for the board who shall receive an annual salary of [one thousand dollars (\$1,000)] \$2,400.

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- (R) IN SOMERSET COUNTY THE BOARD OF LICENSE COMMISSIONERS MAY IMPOSE A FINE OF NOT MORE THAN \$2,000 OR SUSPEND A LICENSE OR BOTH FOR ANY VIOLATION THAT IS CAUSE FOR SUSPENSION UNDER THE ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE LAWS AFFECTING SOMERSET COUNTY.
- SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That, pursuant to Article III, Section 35 of the Constitution of Maryland, this Act may not be construed to extend or apply to the salary or compensation of the current chairman and associate members of the Somerset County Board of License Commissioners in office on the effective date of this Act, but the provisions of this Act concerning the salary or compensation of the chairman and associate members of the Somerset County Board of License Commissioners shall take effect at the beginning of the next following term of office.

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