

of the General Assembly of Maryland, the same shall take effect from the date of its passage.

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CHAPTER 577

(House Bill 525)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Sub-section (j) of Section 51 of Article 2B of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1947 Supplement), title "Alcoholic Beverages", sub-title "Procedure for Issue of Licenses", relating to the distribution of the revenues from alcoholic beverage licenses in Charles County.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That Sub-section (j) of Section 51 of Article 2B of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1947 Supplement), title "Alcoholic Beverages", sub-title "Procedure for Issue of Licenses", be and it is hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

51.

(j) (Charles County.) In Charles County, the Clerk of the Circuit Court for said county, shall forthwith remit to the Board of County Commissioners of Charles County all license fees collected by him, less the Clerk's fee, and any refunds shall be paid over by him to the County Commissioners of Charles County, and so much of said funds as shall be necessary shall be applied by said County Commissioners in paying the interest and the principal of the 1937 School Bonds of Charles County. If any balance remains in any year, the said County Commissioners shall pay over to each incorporated town in the county the total amount of license fees paid to the said clerk for places of business located in each such town, respectively; and if the said balance is not sufficient so to pay the entire amount to each town, the County Commissioners shall determine the relative amounts of license fees paid for places of business located in all such towns, and shall pay over the balance to the said towns in the same respective ratios. All such moneys paid to the said towns shall be used for general town purposes. Any balance remaining after such payments to the incorporated towns shall be applied by the County Commissioners to the general funds of the county.