SEC. 3. And be it further enacted, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1969.

Approved May 14, 1969.

CHAPTER 639 (House Bill 225)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Sections 9(h), 9A(a), 14(h) and 14A(b) of Article 2B of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1968 Replacement Volume) title "Alcoholic Beverages," subtitles "Beer Licenses" and "Beer and Light Wine Licenses," to prohibit the issuance of a Class B or Class H Beer License or Class B or Class H Beer and Light Wine License in Montgomery County to any restaurant located within a bowling alley, drugstore or billiard hall or for use upon any premises which has a passageway providing direct public access to any bowling alley, billiard hall or drugstore.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That Sections 9(h), 9A(a), 14(h) and 14A(b) of Article 2B of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1968 Replacement Volume) title "Alcoholic Beverages," subtitles "Beer Licenses" and "Beer and Light Wine Licenses," are hereby repealed and re-enacted with amendments to read as follows:

9. Beer license, Class B (on sale)—Hotels and restaurants.

(h) Montgomery County.—In Montgomery County the annual license fee for such license shall be two hundred and fifty dollars (\$250.00), [except no license shall be issued to any restaurant located within a bowling alley, drugstore or billiard hall.] except no license shall be issued to, or for use in conjunction with, or upon the premises of any restaurant located within a bowling alley, drugstore or billiard hall or for use upon any premises which has a door, archway, opening or other passageway providing direct public access to any bowling alley, billiard hall or drugstore.

9A. Beer license, Class H (on sale only)—Hotels and restaurants.

(a) General provisions.—A Class H beer license shall be issued by the clerk of the circuit court of the county in which the place of business is located, and shall authorize the holder thereof to keep for sale and sell beer at retail at any hotel or restaurant at the place therein described, for consumption on the premises. The annual fee for such license shall be two hundred dollars (\$200.00) and shall be payable to said clerk, before any such license is issued, for distribution as hereinafter provided, [except no license shall be issued to any restaurant located within a bowling alley, drugstore or billiard hall.] except no license shall be issued to, or for use in conjunction with, or upon the premises of any restaurant located within a bowling alley, drugstore or billiard hall or for use upon any premises which has a door, archway, opening or other passageway providing direct public access to any bowling alley, billiard hall or drugstore.