CHAPTER 108

(Senate Bill 213)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Sections 20 (j-2), 41 (b-2), 56, 90 (b) (2), 138 and 158 (m) of Article 2B of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1968 Supplement), title "Alcoholic Beverages," subtitles "Beer, Wine and Liquor Licenses," "General Provisions on Issue of Licenses," "Application for License," "Hours and Days for Sale," "Taxation," and "Boards of License Commissioners," amending the alcoholic beverages laws of this State in order to make certain corrections in the language and references thereof.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That Sections 20 (j-2), 41 (b-2), 56, 90 (b) (2), 138 and 158 (m) of Article 2B of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1968 Supplement), title "Alcoholic Beverages," subtitles "Beer, Wine and Liquor Licenses," "General Provisions on Issue of Licenses," "Application for License," "Hours and Days for Sale," "Taxation," and "Boards of License Commissioners," be and the same are hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

20.

(j-2) Same—Montgomery County [Country] country club or local post, etc., of certain national organizations.—Any corporation, club or organization which is a country club as defined in this article or eleemosynary and is a local post, chapter, lodge, council or branch of a national organization having a membership of more than 300,000 and which said local post, chapter, lodge, council or branch has a minimum dues-paying membership of more than 200 members may, upon receiving this license, allow alcoholic beverages to be consumed on its premises. This license provided for above shall permit the consumption of alcoholic beverages by a bona fide member or his guest on the premises of the country club or eleemosynary corporation, club or organization if said alcoholic beverages are supplied by a bona fide member. The hours during which the privileges conferred by this license may be exercised, shall be from 11:00 A.M. of one day to 1:00 o'clock A.M. on the following day. The annual fee for such a license shall be \$150.00.

41.

(b-2) Notwithstanding any other provisions of this section, in Baltimore City the holder of a ["Class B"] Class B (on sale—hotels and restaurants) beer, wine and liquor [licenses] license under this article, by making application in the regular manner and paying the usual fee, may obtain additional ["Class B"] Class B (on sale—hotels and restaurants) beer, wine and liquor licenses for premises operated as a public hotel and having one hundred or more rooms, or as an apartment house having one hundred fifty or more apartments provided, however, that no such licensee may obtain or hold at any one time more than three Class B (on sale—hotels and restaurants) beer, wine and liquor licenses.

56.

Except as otherwise provided in this subtitle, every new application for a license shall be made to the board of license commissioners