

of the jury or court sitting as a jury that he used due caution to establish that such [minor under twenty-one years of age] PERSON was not, in fact [, a minor under twenty-one years of age] UNDERAGED. If any licensee shall be found not guilty, or placed on probation without a verdict, of any alleged violation of this subsection, such finding shall operate as a complete bar to any proceeding by any alcoholic beverage law enforcement or licensing authorities on account of such violation. This subsection shall apply solely to Worcester County and shall stand in place and stead of subsection 118(a) of this article as said subsection applies generally to the counties of this State.

(b) Provided, however, that in Carroll, Somerset, Talbot and Wicomico counties, no licensee under the provisions of this article, or any of his employees, shall sell or furnish any alcoholic beverages OTHER THAN BEER AND LIGHT WINE at any time to a minor under 21 years of age, OR BEER AND LIGHT WINE TO ANY PERSON UNDER 18, either for his own use or for the use of any other person, or to any person who, at the time of such sale, or delivery, is visibly under the influence of any alcoholic beverage. It is hereby expressed to be the legislative intent that the provisions of subsection (a) of this section shall not apply to Carroll, Somerset, Talbot and Wicomico counties and the law in these above mentioned counties shall remain in the same force and effect as if not amended by this section.

(c) In Talbot and Howard counties, it shall be unlawful for any minor under the age of twenty-one years to possess or have upon his person any alcoholic beverages OTHER THAN BEER AND LIGHT WINE AND FOR ANY PERSON UNDER EIGHTEEN YEARS TO POSSESS OR HAVE UPON HIS PERSON ANY BEER OR LIGHT WINE. [The word minor shall apply to every person under twenty-one years of age, except] THE PROVISIONS OF THIS SUBSECTION SHALL NOT APPLY to bona fide employees in the course of their employment and whose employment is not prohibited by this article. Any [minor] PERSON ILLEGALLY having such alcoholic beverages in his possession as aforesaid shall upon conviction be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and shall be fined not more than fifty dollars (\$50.00).

(d) In Kent County, it shall be unlawful for any person under the age of twenty-one years to possess or have upon his person any alcoholic beverages OTHER THAN BEER AND LIGHT WINE AND FOR ANY PERSON UNDER EIGHTEEN YEARS TO POSSESS OR HAVE UPON HIS PERSON ANY BEER OR LIGHT WINE except that this provision shall not apply to such a person who in the regular course of employment to deliver merchandise and other articles may be called upon to deliver a sealed container with alcoholic beverages to