

(1968 Replacement Volume and 1975 Supplement)

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That Section 28(j) of Article 2B - Alcoholic Beverages, of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1968 Replacement Volume and 1975 Supplement) be and it is hereby repealed and reenacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

Article 2B - Alcoholic Beverages

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(j) (1) In Anne Arundel County the board of license commissioners is authorized to approve the issue of a license, to be known as a motel-restaurant complex or hotel-restaurant complex license, covering "on-sales" of beer, wine and liquor to any person, without further residential, voting or locative qualifications being required of the applicant, for the sale of any and all alcoholic beverages within the confines of the motel-restaurant complex or hotel-restaurant complex. These licenses [will] SHALL be issued only to the person, firm, or corporation owning or leasing motel-restaurant complexes or hotel-restaurant complexes that have a capital investment of not less than [five hundred thousand dollars (\$500,000.00)] \$500,000, [one hundred (100)] 100 rooms or more, and an enclosed dining room which serves full-course meals from menus at least twice daily.

(2) The cost of this license for each separate establishment is [twenty-five hundred dollars (\$2,500.00)] \$3,000 each year, to be paid [the first of May,] ON MAY 1 [payable] to the clerk of the Circuit Court for Anne Arundel County and entitles the holder to sell at one or more locations within the hotel-restaurant or motel-restaurant complex on each and every day and permits playing of music and dancing and no provision contained in subsection (a) of this section relating to special Sunday licenses applies to the holder of a license issued under the provisions of this subsection.

(3) The licenses and the licensees [hereunder] are subject to all laws, rules and regulations applicable in Anne Arundel County to the sale of alcoholic beverages, not inconsistent with the provisions of this subsection. This license permits the sale at bars or counters, but not for consumption off the premises.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1976.

Approved May 4, 1976.
