

(House Bill 2049)

AN ACT concerning

Prince George's County - Alcoholic Beverages
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FOR the purpose of providing for the issuance of a special Sunday on-sale permit to sell alcoholic beverages in Prince George's County under certain conditions relating to daily receipts.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article 2B - Alcoholic Beverages
Section 19(i)(4)
Annotated Code of Maryland
(1968 Replacement Volume and 1975 Supplement)

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That Section 19(i)(4) 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Beverages, of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1968 Replacement Volume and 1975 Supplement) be and it is hereby repealed and reenacted, with amendments, to read as follows: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

19.

(i) In Prince George's County,

(4) The board of license commissioners may issue to the holders of a beer, wine and liquor license, Class B, meeting the qualifications specified in paragraph (1) of this subsection a special Sunday "on-sale" permit to allow the holder thereof to keep for sale and to sell at retail beer, wine and liquor on Sunday for consumption on the licensed premises between the hours of twelve o'clock noon and two o'clock a.m. the day following; providing the average daily receipts from the sale of food equals forty percent (40%) of the total daily receipts from the sale of "ON-SALE" food and alcoholic beverages in the establishments where it is proposed to locate such a permit, and such ratio of food sales to the sale of alcoholic beverages has been maintained for at least six months prior to the application for such a permit except that in the case of a newly licensed establishment the board of license commissioners may immediately authorize the issuance of a special Sunday "on-sale" permit if in the opinion of the board and upon good cause shown the newly licensed establishment meets the specifications of paragraph (1) of this subsection pertaining to the preparation, serving and sale of food and provided further that the holder of the license thereafter complies with the provision of this paragraph (4). Applicants for a special Sunday