

AN ACT concerning

Carroll County - Alcoholic Beverages
(Issue of Licenses)

FOR the purpose of providing that before a hotel or restaurant may qualify for a certain class license in Carroll County it must be assessed at a certain value; and providing that this standard be applicable from a certain date.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article 2B - Alcoholic Beverages
Section 19(h)
Annotated Code of Maryland
(1976 Replacement Volume and 1978 Supplement)

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That section(s) of the Annotated Code of Maryland be repealed, amended, or enacted to read as follows:

Article 2B - Alcoholic Beverages

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(h) (1) In Carroll County the annual fee for a license is \$1,500 for a restaurant and \$1,500 for a hotel.

(2) This license may be issued in Carroll County to a bona fide hotel which (i) is an establishment for the accommodation of the public providing service ordinarily found in hotels, (ii) is equipped with not fewer than 25 rooms, a lobby with registration and mail desk, seating facilities and a dining room which serves full-course meals at least twice daily and which has a regular seating capacity at tables (not including seats at bars or counters) for 50 or more persons, and (iii) is operated in facilities which are valued for purposes of State and local assessment and taxation at not less than [\$20,000] \$50,000.

(3) This license may be issued in Carroll County to a restaurant which meets the following requirements and conditions: (i) serves full-course meals at least twice daily; (ii) has a regular seating capacity at tables (not including seats at bars or counters) for 50 or more persons; and (iii) is operated in facilities which are valued for purposes of State and local assessment and taxation at not less than [\$20,000] \$50,000. This license in a restaurant does not permit sales for consumption anywhere except inside the building in which the meals are prepared and served, but sales of beer only for consumption off the premises may be made under this license on any day of the week.

(4) Whenever application is made for licensing under this subsection for any new or improved building, the