

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 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That section(s) of the Annotated Code of Maryland be repealed, amended, or enacted to read as follows: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) In Harford County the annual license fee for a six day, Monday through Saturday, license is \$125. The fee for a seven day license is \$250. The licenses shall be granted by the liquor control board of Harford County only to proprietors of bona fide retail stores selling food, drugs, or other similar commodities amounting to at least 20 percent of the total monthly receipts. These licenses authorize the licensee to sell for consumption off the premises only, fermented beverages including split bottles and brewed beverages in normal containerized packages. Brewed beverages sold in bottles or cans exceeding 12 ounces in weight or size, for consumption off the premises, may be sold individually. [Brewed beverages may not be authorized to contain more than 6 percent of alcohol by volume and wine] WINE and other fermented beverages may not contain more than 23 percent by volume. The word "premises" for the purpose of this section shall be construed to include any building, parking lot, terrace or grounds which form an integral part of the licensed premises.

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(g) (3) The licenses authorized the licensees to sell for consumption on and off the premises [brewed] WINE AND OTHER FERMENTED beverages as defined in this article with an alcoholic content by volume of no more than [six per centum and wine and other fermented beverages shall contain no more than] 23% by volume. "Off-sales" of licensees shall be limited to fermented beverages including split bottles and brewed beverages in normal containerized packages; provided that brewed beverages sold in bottles or cans exceeding 12 ounces in weight or size, for consumption off the premises, may be sold in a numerical quantity of less than six.

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(f) In Harford County the liquor control board may issue a six day, Monday through Saturday, or a seven day club license for the sale of beer and wine for consumption on the premises only to bona fide clubs as defined by § 2(n), which have held regular meetings at an established headquarters for a period of one year prior to the application for the license. The cost of the six day license is \$150. The cost of a seven day license is \$225. The licensee may sell for consumption on the premises [brewed beverages with an alcoholic content of no more than 6 percent by volume and] fermented beverages containing no more than 23 percent ALCOHOL by volume.