FOR the purpose of providing that in Wicomico County all alcoholic beverages must be consumed only on the inside of the premises under Class "B" (restaurant) Beer, Wine and Liquor licenses.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article 2B - Alcoholic Beverages Section 19(x)(3) Annotated Code of Maryland (1976 Replacement Volume and 1979 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 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That section(s) of the Annotated Code of Maryland be repealed, amended, or enacted to read as follows: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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(x) (3) This license may be issued in Wicomico County to a restaurant which is a business establishment for the accommodation of the public, fully equipped with a proper and adequate dining room with facilities for preparing and serving regular meals and which has a regular seating capacity at tables (not including seats at bars or counters) for 75 or more persons seated comfortably and adequately, allowing 15 square feet per person, wherein the average daily receipts from the sale of foods for each month exceeds the average daily receipts from the sale of alcoholic beverages. In calculating average daily receipts from the sale of foods, no allocation of food stuff contained in any mixed drink may be included in average daily receipts from the sale of food. The seating and square foot requirements contained herein shall not affect present Class B beer, wine and liquor licensees. THIS LICENSE REQUIRES THE SALE OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES FOR CONSUMPTION ONLY ON THE INSIDE OF THE RESTAURANT PREMISES.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1980.

Approved April 8, 1980.

CHAPTER 102

(House Bill 1158)

AN ACT concerning