

providing that, subject to the referendum, Takoma Park is excepted from certain general provisions prohibiting the issuance of any alcoholic beverages licenses; generally relating to the City of Takoma Park and the issuance, renewal, or transfer of alcoholic beverages licenses; and clarifying a reference to Takoma Park as a city.

BY adding to

Article 2B - Alcoholic Beverages  
Section 37(d)  
Annotated Code of Maryland  
(1981 Replacement Volume and 1982 Supplement)

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article 2B - Alcoholic Beverages  
Section 37(a)  
Annotated Code of Maryland  
(1981 Replacement Volume and 1982 Supplement)

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

Article 2B - Alcoholic Beverages

37.

(a) (1) In Montgomery County, no license for the sale of alcoholic beverages authorized by this article shall be issued for any place of business located in any one of the following election districts or towns of said county: Laytonsville (1st district), Clarksburg (2nd district), Darnestown (6th district), and Damascus (12th district), and the towns of Barnesville, Kensington, [Takoma Park and] Washington Grove AND THE CITY OF TAKOMA PARK. In the town of Barnesville, the Montgomery County board of license commissioners may issue a special 7 day on-sale beer, wine, and liquor license to any bona fide religious, fraternal, civic, or charitable organization.

(2) THE CITY OF TAKOMA PARK IS EXCEPTED FROM THE PROVISIONS OF PARAGRAPH (1) OF THIS SUBSECTION IF SUBSECTION (D) OF THIS SECTION BECOMES EFFECTIVE.

(D) THE MONTGOMERY COUNTY BOARD OF LICENSE COMMISSIONERS MAY ISSUE, RENEW, AND TRANSFER AND OTHERWISE PROVIDE FOR 3 CLASSES OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES LICENSES IN THE MONTGOMERY COUNTY SECTION OF TAKOMA PARK AS FOLLOWS:

(1) CLASS B (ON-SALE) BEER AND LIGHT WINE, HOTEL AND RESTAURANT LICENSES;

(2) CLASS H (ON-SALE) BEER AND LIGHT WINE, HOTEL AND RESTAURANT LICENSES; AND