

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

**Article 2B - Alcoholic Beverages**

8-308.1.

(a) In this section, "Board" means the Garrett County Board of License Commissioners.

(b) This section applies only in Garrett County.

(c) The Board may issue annually one wine festival license.

(d) Notwithstanding any other provision of this article, an applicant for a wine festival license shall be a holder, within the county, of an existing retail alcoholic beverages license, State Class 3 winery license, or State Class 4 limited winery license.

(e) A wine festival licensee shall:

(1) Only display and sell wine that is:

(i) Manufactured and processed in any state;

(ii) Price filed in accordance with regulations adopted by the Comptroller; and

(iii) Distributed in the State at the time the application is filed; and

(2) Display and sell wine at retail for consumption on or off the licensed premises on the days and for the hours designated for the wine festival.

(f) The Board shall:

(1) Establish the license fee;

(2) Approve one or two days, excluding Sunday, annually for the wine festival provided that the days selected do not occur on the same weekend as the Maryland Wine Festival; and

(3) Approve a location in the county that is not licensed under this article for the wine festival.

(g) (1) Products to be displayed and sold at the wine festival shall be:

(i) Invoiced to the wine festival license holder by a licensed State wholesaler, winery, or limited winery; and

(ii) Delivered to the wine festival from the licensed premises of the wholesaler, winery, or limited winery.

(2) Whenever a wine festival license is issued under this section, holders of wholesale, winery, or limited winery licenses may enter into an agreement with the