

County; establishing the requirements for this special license; establishing an annual fee; providing the Liquor Control Board with complete discretion as to the number of licenses to be issued and to whom the licenses shall be issued; prohibiting any off-sale privileges with this license; and generally relating to the issuance of a special Class B on-sale license to new restaurants in Harford County.

BY adding to

Article 2B - Alcoholic Beverages
Section 19(n)(7)
Annotated Code of Maryland
(1981 Replacement Volume and 1983 Supplement)

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

Article 2B - Alcoholic Beverages

19.

(n) (7) (I) IN HARFORD COUNTY THERE IS IN ADDITION TO THE CLASSES PROVIDED FOR, A SPECIAL CLASS B ON-SALE LICENSE KNOWN AS CLASS BNR WHICH IS ISSUED ONLY TO NEWLY OPENED RESTAURANTS THAT:

1. HAVE A MINIMUM CAPITAL INVESTMENT OF \$250,000 FOR NEW DINING ROOM FACILITIES AND NEWLY INSTALLED KITCHEN EQUIPMENT, WHICH SUM MAY NOT INCLUDE THE COST OF LAND, BUILDINGS, OR A LEASE;

2. COMPLY WITH ARTICLE 2B SECTION 19(N)(3)(I) AND (II); AND

3. ARE AS FURTHER DEFINED BY THE RULES AND REGULATIONS OF THE LIQUOR CONTROL BOARD.

(II) THE ANNUAL FEE FOR A CLASS BNR LICENSE IS \$2,000.

(III) THE LICENSEE MAY SERVE ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES ON MONDAY THROUGH SUNDAY AND ONLY BETWEEN 8 A.M. AND 2 A.M. THE FOLLOWING MORNING.

(IV) THE LIQUOR CONTROL BOARD HAS COMPLETE DISCRETION AS TO:

1. THE NUMBER OF LICENSES TO BE ISSUED;
AND

2. TO WHOM THESE LICENSES SHALL BE ISSUED.