

Annotated Code of Maryland
(1983 Replacement Volume)

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article - Real Property
Section 11-105(e)
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

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(j) (1) In Harford County, if the premises constitute a restaurant, tavern, hotel, club, dance studio, disco, or place of public entertainment, a person, club, organization, or place of public entertainment may not knowingly allow the consumption, possession, or transfer of alcoholic beverages except in a manner specifically permitted or provided for by this article if:

(i) The person, club, organization, or place of public entertainment is in possession or control of the place as owner, lessee, or user;

(ii) The place is open to the general public or in any way licensed by the State of Maryland or by Harford County; and

(iii) The place is not the room of a registered guest in a hotel, motel, or hospice or the property of a volunteer fire company, bona fide catering establishment, community or civic association, swim club, or bona fide social, civic, nonprofit, charitable, fraternal, patriotic, educational, or public service organization, or bona fide religious institution in existence for a minimum of 3 years.

(2) The liquor control board of Harford County may exempt places similar to those listed in subparagraph (iii) of paragraph (1) of this subsection on a case-by-case basis from the provisions of this subsection.

(3) The liquor control board of Harford County shall adopt uniform rules for the administration of exceptions specified in paragraph (1) of this subsection.

(4) Any owner, operator, manager, or employee of premises or places subject to the prohibitions of this subsection who shall knowingly permit such consumption in violation of this subsection shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be fined not more than \$1,000.