SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1985.

Approved May 28, 1985.

CHAPTER 693

(House Bill 1303)

AN ACT concerning

Worcester County - Alcoholic Beverages Licenses - Clubs and Corporations

FOR the purpose of requiring that a sworn statement be given to the Worcester County Board of License Commissioners containing certain information regarding the stockholders of any corporation applying for the issuance or transfer of an alcoholic beverages license in Worcester County; establishing certain procedures for substituting a name on a license for a corporation or club; and establishing fees for substitution of a name on a Class C license.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article 2B - Alcoholic Beverages Section 40(g), 68(h)(1), and 74(j) Annotated Code of Maryland (1981 Replacement Volume and 1984 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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- (g) (1) In Worcester County, an alcoholic beverage license, except a Class B, beer, wine and liquor license, may not be issued to a corporation unless one of the applicants has been a registered voter, a taxpayer and a resident of Worcester County and owns at least 10 percent of the total issued capital stock of the corporation.
- (2) Any license holder holding a license issued prior to May 1, 1977 is exempt from this subsection.
- (3) IN ADDITION, THE APPLICANTS FOR THE CORPORATION SHALL FURNISH THE BOARD OF LICENSE COMMISSIONERS A SWORN