

County a tax of 2 cents for each 12-ounce container or less and 5 1/3 cents for each container in excess of 12 ounces but not in excess of 32 ounces, and 6 cents per gallon or fraction for each container in excess of 32 ounces, which additional tax shall be paid to the liquor control board of Garrett County for the general use of the county before any beer shall be delivered into Garrett County. The payment of this tax shall be by a method other than the use of tax-paid crowns or stamps to be approved by the liquor control board of Garrett County. In order to sell draft beer, any establishment regularly licensed to sell beer shall obtain a special license from the liquor control board of Garrett County and the fee for the license is \$75. THE ISSUING FEE FOR NEW LICENSES, IN ADDITION TO THE ANNUAL FEE, IS \$75.

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The liquor control board of each county shall have full power and authority within its county:

(a) (1) To appoint such employees as may be necessary to conduct such county liquor dispensary or branch dispensaries, fix their compensation and require such bonds from the faithful performance of their duties as the board may in each case determine. In Montgomery County, effective July 1, 1951, the positions of general manager and treasurer of the liquor control board are hereby abolished. All existing employees of the board, except those whose positions are abolished herein, shall be entitled to continue to be employed on probation of six months duration at their existing salaries subject to passing qualifying examinations and regulations of the county personnel board. All employees of the department except the director shall be appointed and hold their positions subject to said regulations. The office of the county attorney shall furnish legal services to the department.

(2) THIS SECTION APPLIES ONLY TO GARRETT COUNTY. THE POSITION OF CLERK OF THE BOARD OF LICENSE COMMISSIONERS IS ABOLISHED AS OF JULY 1, 1987. THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS SHALL PROVIDE ADMINISTRATIVE, CLERICAL, AND ACCOUNTING SERVICES TO THE BOARD OF LICENSE COMMISSIONERS AS ARE NEEDED IN THE EXECUTION OF THEIR DUTIES UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF THIS ARTICLE. THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS SHALL PROVIDE LEGAL COUNSEL TO THE BOARD OF LICENSE COMMISSIONERS THROUGH THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY ATTORNEY OR BEAR THE EXPENSE OF COMPETENT PRIVATE LEGAL COUNSEL FOR THE BOARD.

~~SECTION--2--AND--BE--IT--FURTHER--ENACTED--That--Article--2B--§ 63(1)(2)--(3)--(4)--and--(5)--shall--be--void--and--of--no--effect--as--of June--30--1991--~~