

(iii) THE DEPARTMENT OF PERMITS AND LICENSES MAY CHARGE A FEE FOR THE PERMIT AND THE COUNTY EXECUTIVE SHALL DETERMINE THE AMOUNT OF THE FEE.

(7) THERE SHALL BE NO MORE THAN 6 PERMITS ISSUED TO A BONA FIDE ORGANIZATION IN ANY ONE CALENDAR YEAR.

(8) NOTWITHSTANDING ANY OTHER PROVISION OF THIS SECTION, DICE GAMES, GAMES KNOWN AS "CRAP" GAMES, AND SLOT MACHINES ARE NOT PERMITTED IN HOWARD COUNTY.

(9) ANY BET OR WAGER PERMITTED UNDER THIS SECTION MAY NOT EXCEED \$10. THIS PARAGRAPH DOES NOT APPLY TO THE SALE OF A RAFFLE TICKET.

(10) ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES MAY NOT BE CONSUMED ON OR ABOUT THE PREMISES IN WHICH AN EVENT UNDER THIS SECTION IS CONDUCTED, UNLESS:

(i) THE ORGANIZATION HAS OBTAINED A LICENSE ISSUED BY THE HOWARD COUNTY BOARD OF LICENSE COMMISSIONERS, OR

(ii) THE OWNER OF THE PREMISES WHERE THE EVENT IS HELD HAS IN EFFECT A VALID LICENSE FOR DISPENSING ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES FROM THE HOWARD COUNTY BOARD OF LICENSE COMMISSIONERS.

(11) AN EVENT CONDUCTED UNDER AUTHORITY OF THIS SUBSECTION MAY BE HELD ONLY BETWEEN THE HOURS OF 4 P.M. AND 2 A.M.

(12) ANY PERSON, ASSOCIATION, OR CORPORATION OPERATING OR ATTEMPTING TO HOLD AN EVENT PERMITTED UNDER THIS SECTION, IN VIOLATION OF ANY OF THE PROVISIONS OF THIS SECTION, SHALL, UPON CONVICTION OF SUCH VIOLATION, BE SUBJECT TO A FINE NOT EXCEEDING \$1,000, OR IMPRISONMENT NOT EXCEEDING 1 YEAR, OR BOTH.

(3) IN HOWARD COUNTY, NOTWITHSTANDING THE PROVISIONS OF SUBSECTION (B) OF THIS SECTION:

(I) CARD GAMES, DICE GAMES, ROULETTE, AND ANY EVENTS COMMONLY KNOWN AS CASINO NIGHTS, ARE PROHIBITED; AND

(II) AN ORGANIZATION OR CORPORATION DESCRIBED UNDER SUBSECTION (B) OF THIS SECTION MAY AWARD PRIZES IN CASH OR IN MERCHANDISE BY SUCH DEVICES AS ARE COMMONLY DESIGNATED AS PADDLE WHEELS, WHEELS OF FORTUNE, CHANCE BOOKS, BINGO, OR OTHER GAMING DEVICES, EXCEPT FOR CARD GAMES, DICE GAMES, OR ROULETTE.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act is declared to be an emergency measure and necessary for the immediate preservation of the public health and safety and having