

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

Article 2B - Alcoholic Beverages

13.

(a) A Class A beer and light wine license shall be issued by the clerk of the circuit court of the county in which the place of business is located. The license shall authorize the holder thereof to keep for sale, and to sell beer and light wines at retail, in any quantity to any consumers, at the place therein described, and to deliver the same in a sealed package or container, which package or container shall not be opened nor its contents consumed on the premises where sold. The annual fee for the license shall be \$35 and shall be payable to the clerk, before any license is issued, for distribution as hereinafter provided.

(d-1) In Caroline County, the annual license fee is:

- (1) \$600 FOR A 6-DAY LICENSE; AND
- (2) \$900 FOR A 7-DAY LICENSE.

18.

(a) A Class A beer, wine and liquor license shall be issued by the clerk of the circuit court of the county in which the place of business is located, and shall authorize the holder to keep for sale and to sell all alcoholic beverages at retail, in any quantity, at the place therein described, and to deliver the same in a sealed package or container which package or container may not be opened nor its contents consumed on the premises where sold. The annual fee for this license is \$500, except as otherwise provided in this section, and in all cases the fee shall be payable to the clerk before any such license is issued, for distribution as hereinafter provided.

(b) A license may not be issued for any drugstore unless the applicant has been doing business at the location applied for, for at least one year prior to the date of the application for the license, or unless the applicant is the assignee of a business established for that length of time at the location applied for, or unless the applicant has been actually engaged in the retail drug business for a period of not less than three years.

(h) In Caroline County the annual license fee is:

- (1) \$1,250 FOR A 6-DAY LICENSE; AND
- (2) \$1,600 FOR A 7-DAYS LICENSE.