SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect October July 1, 1993.

Approved May 11, 1993.

CHAPTER 317

(House Bill 588)

AN ACT concerning

Alcoholic Beverages - Multiple Licenses

FOR the purpose of prohibiting elarifying the current prohibition against a person specifying a certain prohibition against an individual, for himself the individual or for the use of certain entities, from holding an more than one of certain classes of alcoholic beverages license, with an exception, both in Baltimore City and another county or in two or more counties; licenses in the State; requiring a certain statement from applicants for an alcoholic beverages license; requiring that a board of license commissioners disapprove an application for a license if it determines that the applicant holds a license or has a pecuniary interest in the license in Baltimore City or any county; providing for the construction of this Act; and generally relating to multiple licenses.

BY repealing and reenacting, with without amendments,

Article 2B - Alcoholic Beverages

Section 41(a), 56(b)(12), and 60(a)

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1990 Replacement Volume and 1992 Supplement)

BY adding to

Article 2B - Alcoholic Beverages

Section 47A

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1990 Replacement Volume and 1992 Supplement)

Preamble

WHEREAS, It has been a long standing policy of this State that alcoholic beverages licenses licensees have only one licensed establishment in a particular jurisdiction in the State; and

WHEREAS, More recently this-policy has been called into question and it is important that this issue be clarified; and

WHEREAS,—The intent of this legislation is to make it clear that those who hold alcoholic beverages licenses do so only in one jurisdiction; now, therefore, and