

licenses is subject to a certain limitation on the number of certain Class B licenses that can be issued in Prince George's County; and generally relating to Class B beer, wine and liquor licenses in Prince George's County.

BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,

Article 2B – Alcoholic Beverages

Section 6–201(r)(1) and 9–217(a)

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1998 Replacement Volume and 1999 Supplement)

BY adding to

Article 2B – Alcoholic Beverages

Section 9–217(f)(5)

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1998 Replacement Volume and 1999 Supplement)

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

Article 2B – Alcoholic Beverages

6–201.

(r) (1) (i) This subsection applies only in Prince George's County.

(ii) 1. In this subsection the following words have the meanings indicated.

2. "Board" means the Board of License Commissioners.

3. "Restaurant" means any establishment:

A. Located in a permanent building with ample space and accommodations commonly known as a restaurant where hot meals are habitually prepared, sold and served to the public during the hours it is regularly open for business;

B. Having at least the minimum sanitary facilities required for an establishment by the regulations of the county health department and shall meet the minimum health requirements of these regulations;

C. Having a dining area or areas with sufficient tables, chairs or booths to comfortably seat and accommodate patrons;

D. Equipped with a kitchen having complete facilities and utensils for preparing hot and cold meals to the public;

E. Employing a sufficient number of cooks, waiters or waitresses to serve the number of patrons provided for in the dining area or areas; and