

to assure that the primary focus of the Festival is the promotion of Maryland wine; establishing certain requirements concerning the delivery of products displayed and sold at the Festival; requiring the Board to adopt certain regulations; defining certain terms; and generally relating to alcoholic beverages in Wicomico County.

BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,

Article 2B – Alcoholic Beverages

Section 6–201(x)(1)

Annotated Code of Maryland

(2001 Replacement Volume and 2002 Supplement)

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Article 2B – Alcoholic Beverages

Section 6–201(x)(3), 6–401(x), and 11–523(c)(3), (4), and (6)

Annotated Code of Maryland

(2001 Replacement Volume and 2002 Supplement)

BY adding to

Article 2B – Alcoholic Beverages

Section 8–313.1

Annotated Code of Maryland

(2001 Replacement Volume and 2002 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.

(x) (1) This subsection applies only in Wicomico County.

(3) (i) There is a Class B–Conference Center license.

(ii) The annual license fee is \$1,100.

(iii) The conference center shall have a minimum capacity of 500 persons and the following facilities:

1. Kitchen;
2. Dining; and
3. Meeting space.

(iv) Licensees may sell beer, wine and liquor for on–premises consumption to persons attending an event at the conference center.

(v) An existing Class B license may be amended to one for conference center use.