

SUBJECT TO THE APPROVAL OF THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS, THE COMMITTEE SHALL ADOPT REGULATIONS TO GOVERN GAMBLING ACTIVITIES AND THE ISSUANCE OF PERMITS UNDER § 13-703 OF THIS SUBTITLE.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section is new language derived without substantive change from former Art. 27, § 255(i)(2) through (6).

In subsection (a)(3)(ii) of this section, the reference to the "chairperson" is substituted for the former reference to the "chairman" because SG § 2-1238 requires the use of words that are neutral as to gender to the extent practicable.

Defined terms: "Committee" § 13-701

"County commissioners" § 13-701

13-705. BINGO — COMMERCIAL.

(A) INSTANT BINGO.

FOR PURPOSES OF THIS SECTION, A GAME OF INSTANT BINGO CONDUCTED UNDER A CLASS NG BEACH LICENSE IS CONSIDERED TO BE BINGO.

(B) LICENSE REQUIRED.

BEFORE A PERSON MAY CONDUCT BINGO IN THE COUNTY, THE PERSON SHALL OBTAIN A LICENSE FROM THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS.

(C) QUALIFICATIONS.

NOTWITHSTANDING ANY OTHER PROVISION OF THIS ARTICLE, A PERSON WHO COMPLIES WITH THIS SECTION MAY CONDUCT BINGO IN THE COUNTY.

(D) APPLICATION.

(1) (I) THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS MAY NOT ISSUE A LICENSE UNLESS THE APPLICATION WAS FILED AT LEAST 30 DAYS BEFORE THE DATE OF ISSUANCE.

(II) AN APPLICANT FOR A LICENSE SHALL:

1. FILE AN APPLICATION ON A FORM THAT THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS PROVIDE; AND

2. SIGN THE APPLICATION UNDER OATH.

(III) THE APPLICATION SHALL INCLUDE:

1. THE NAME OF THE APPLICANT;

2. THE ADDRESS OF THE APPLICANT;

3. ANY TRADE NAME OF THE APPLICANT;

4. IF THE APPLICANT IS A PARTNERSHIP, THE NAME AND ADDRESS OF EACH PARTNER;