

licenses from being issued, except by renewal, to persons, corporations, or limited liability companies that hold an alcoholic beverages license in any other state or Washington, D.C.; and generally relating to alcoholic beverages licenses in Howard County.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article 2B – Alcoholic Beverages

Section 9-102(b-3)

Annotated Code of Maryland

(2001 Replacement Volume and 2003 Supplement)

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

**Article 2B – Alcoholic Beverages**

9-102.

(b-3)(1) In Anne Arundel County, a Class A or Class D beer, beer and light wine, or beer, wine and liquor license may not be issued except by way of renewal to a person, corporation, or limited liability company holding an alcoholic beverage license in any other state, or Washington, D.C.

(2) In Baltimore City, a Class A or Class D beer, beer and light wine, or beer, wine and liquor license may not be issued except by way of renewal to a person, corporation, or limited liability company holding an alcoholic beverage license in any other state.

(3) In Baltimore County, a Class A or Class D beer, beer and light wine, or beer, wine and liquor license may not be issued, except by way of renewal, to a person, corporation, or limited liability company holding an alcoholic beverages license in any other state or in Washington, D.C.

(4) In Calvert County and St. Mary's County, a Class A or Class D beer, beer and light wine, or beer, wine and liquor license may not be issued, except by way of renewal, to a person, corporation, or limited liability company holding an alcoholic beverages license in any other state or in Washington, D.C.

(5) In Charles County, a Class A or Class D beer, beer and light wine, or beer, wine and liquor license may not be issued, except by way of renewal, to a person, corporation, or limited liability company holding an alcoholic beverages license in any other state or in Washington, D.C.

(6) IN HOWARD COUNTY, A CLASS A OR CLASS D BEER, BEER AND LIGHT WINE, OR BEER, WINE AND LIQUOR LICENSE MAY NOT BE ISSUED, EXCEPT BY WAY OF RENEWAL, TO A PERSON, CORPORATION, OR LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY HOLDING AN ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES LICENSE IN ANY OTHER STATE OR IN WASHINGTON, D.C.

(7) In Washington County, a Class A or Class D beer, beer and light wine, or beer, wine and liquor license may not be issued, except by way of renewal, to a