

(h) Members of the several boards shall receive compensation as follows:

(2) In Harford County:

(i) The Chairman of the Board shall receive an annual compensation of [~~\$4,500~~] **\$7,000**;

(ii) Each member of the Board shall receive an annual compensation of [~~\$4,000~~] **\$6,000**; and

(iii) The Chairman and each member of the Board shall receive any additional compensation that the County Council deems appropriate.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That, pursuant to Article III, § 35 of the Maryland Constitution, this Act may not be construed to extend or apply to the salary or compensation of the Chairman or regular members in office on the effective date of this Act, but the provisions of this Act concerning the salary or compensation of the Chairman or regular members shall take effect at the beginning of the next following term of office.

SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 2007.

May 17, 2007

The Honorable Thomas V. Mike Miller, Jr.
President of the Senate
State House
Annapolis, MD 21401

Dear Mr. President:

In accordance with Article II, Section 17 of the Maryland Constitution, today I have vetoed Senate Bill 201 - *Somerset County - Alcoholic Beverages - License Fees*.

This bill increases the annual fees for all retail alcoholic beverages licenses in Somerset County.

House Bill 121, which was passed by the General Assembly and signed by me, accomplishes the same purpose. Therefore, it is not necessary for me to sign Senate Bill 201.