

BY adding to

Article 2B – Alcoholic Beverages

Section 221

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1990 Replacement Volume)

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

Article 2B – Alcoholic Beverages

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For the purposes of this article and unless otherwise required by the context:

(h) “Wholesaler” means a person who purchases or imports any alcoholic beverage for sale to wholesale or retail dealers only, and includes a county liquor control board, and a county wholesale dispensary.

221.

~~(A) A BEER WHOLESALER SHALL PROVIDE BEER RETAIL DEALERS~~
(A) ANY PERSON WHO SUPPLIES OR SELLS BEER TO A WHOLESALER FOR
RESALE TO RETAIL DEALERS SHALL PROVIDE THE WHOLESALER WITH
WRITTEN INFORMATION STATING THE APPROXIMATE PERCENTAGE OF
ALCOHOL CONTENT BY VOLUME PER SEALED PACKAGE OR SEALED
CONTAINER FOR EACH BRAND OF BEER OFFERED FOR SALE BY THAT
WHOLESALER IN MARYLAND SUPPLIED OR SOLD TO THAT WHOLESALER.

(B) A BEER WHOLESALER SHALL GIVE EACH BEER RETAIL DEALER
WITH WHOM IT DOES BUSINESS THE WRITTEN INFORMATION IT RECEIVES
UNDER SUBSECTION (A) OF THIS SECTION REGARDING THE BEER
SUPPLIED TO THE RETAIL DEALER.

~~(B)~~ (C) THE PENALTY PROVISIONS UNDER § 200 OR § 203 OF THIS ARTICLE DO NOT APPLY TO VIOLATIONS OF THIS SECTION.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1991.

Approved May 14, 1991.