Also in subsection (b) of this section, the specific reference to "Baltimore City" is retained because Baltimore City is included in the defined term "county" for this article.

Also in subsection (b) of this section, the former specific references to "Annapolis" and "Frederick" are deleted as unnecessary because they are both municipal corporations. Similarly, the former reference to the "commissioners" of an incorporated town is deleted as surplusage.

Defined term: "Billiard table" § 17-501

17-503. LICENSE REQUIRED.

A PERSON MUST HAVE A BILLIARD TABLE LICENSE WHENEVER THE PERSON KEEPS A BILLIARD TABLE FOR COMMERCIAL USE IN THE STATE.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section is new language derived without substantive change from former Art. 56, § 15, as it related to the requirement that a person get a license for a billiard table.

It is rephrased in standard language to state affirmatively that a person must be licensed to keep a billiard table for commercial use in the State.

The former words "exhibiting" and "exhibited" are deleted as included in the general word "keeps".

Defined terms: "Billiard table" § 17-501

"Billiard table license" § 17-501

"Person" § 1-101

17-504. LICENSE FEES.

AN APPLICANT FOR A BILLIARD TABLE LICENSE SHALL PAY TO THE CLERK A LICENSE FEE OF:

- (1) \$10 FOR EACH BILLIARD TABLE IN A COUNTY OTHER THAN BALTIMORE CITY; OR
 - (2) \$40 FOR EACH BILLIARD TABLE IN BALTIMORE CITY.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section is new language derived without substantive change from former Art. 56, § 14(b) and the first clause of (a).

In the introductory language of this section, the words "license fee" are substituted for the former words "sum" and "fee", respectively, to conform to the language used throughout this title.

In item (2) of this section, the former exception for "Washington County" is deleted because a billiard table is considered an "amusement device" in Washington County. See Ch. ____, Acts of 1992, which transferred former Art. 56, § 20C to Art. 24 of the Code.