

## Article 2B - Alcoholic Beverages

## Section 15-112(d)(2)

## Annotated Code of Maryland

(1996 Replacement Volume and 1997 Supplement)

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

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15-112.

(a) (1) The boards of license commissioners in this State may issue the alcoholic beverages licenses provided for by this article in their respective jurisdictions.

(2) Each board may employ a secretary and inspectors, clerical and other assistance as is necessary, and fix the compensation of the employees, except as otherwise provided by this article.

(3) In this section, "Board" means the Board of License Commissioners, unless otherwise noted.

(d) (1) This subsection applies only in Baltimore City.

(2) A commissioner or employee of the Board [may not]:

(i) [Have] MAY NOT HAVE any interest, direct or indirect, either proprietary or by means of any loan, mortgage or lien, or in any other manner, in or on any premises where alcoholic beverages are manufactured or sold;

(ii) [Have] MAY NOT HAVE any interest, direct or indirect, in any business wholly or partially devoted to the manufacture or sale of alcoholic beverages; OR

(iii) [Own] MAY NOT OWN any stock in any corporation which has any interest, proprietary or otherwise, direct or indirect, in any premises where alcoholic beverages are manufactured or sold or in any business wholly or partially devoted to the manufacture or sale of alcoholic beverages; [or] ~~BUT~~

~~(iv)~~ (3) AN EMPLOYEE OF THE BOARD MAY NOT HOLD ANY OTHER FEDERAL, STATE, OR LOCAL PUBLIC OFFICE OR EMPLOYMENT.

(4) A COMMISSIONER OF THE BOARD [Hold] MAY HOLD any other public office or employment, federal, State or local, UNLESS THAT PUBLIC OFFICE OR EMPLOYMENT WOULD POSE A CONFLICT OF INTEREST.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect October 1, 1998.

Approved April 28, 1998.