

(3) FOR THE PURPOSE OF CERTIFICATION OF THE INSTALLATION AND TESTING OF MECHANICAL CROSS CONNECTION CONTROL DEVICES, A LOCAL JURISDICTION MAY ADOPT REGULATIONS OR ENACT LAWS THAT HAVE QUALIFICATIONS COMPARABLE TO OR MORE STRINGENT THAN PARAGRAPH (2) OF THIS SUBSECTION.

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

Approved May 21, 1998.

CHAPTER 641

(Senate Bill 704)

AN ACT concerning

Alcoholic Beverages – Micro-Breweries – Temporary Delivery Agreements

FOR the purpose of authorizing a holder of a Class 7 micro-brewery license under certain conditions to enter into a temporary agreement with a distributor for delivery of beer to a beer festival or wine and beer festival and the return of any unused beer; specifying that certain provisions of law do not apply to temporary agreements; and generally relating to holders of Class 7 micro-brewery licenses.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article 2B – Alcoholic Beverages

Section 2-208(c)(1), 17-103, and 17-104

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:

Article 2B – Alcoholic Beverages

2-208.

(c) (1) A holder of a Class 7 micro-brewery license:

(i) May brew and bottle malt beverages at the license location;

(ii) May obtain a Class 2 rectifying license for a premises located within 1 mile of the existing Class 7 micro-brewery location to bottle malt beverages brewed at the micro-brewery location only;

(iii) May contract with the holder of a Class 5 brewery license, a Class 7 micro-brewery license, or a Class 2 rectifying license held under § 2-203 of this subtitle or the holder of a nonresident dealer's permit to brew and bottle malt beverages on their behalf;