

beer manufacturer and the surviving beer distributor under all the terms and conditions of that agreement that were in effect on the date of change of beer manufacturers.

(c) A successor beer manufacturer who violates any of the agreement provisions required to be continued under subsection (b) of this section shall remunerate the beer distributor a sum equal to the total of the gross profit for the sale of the subject brand or brands of beer for 2 years prior calculated from the date of violation.

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

Approved May 21, 1998.

CHAPTER 771

(Senate Bill 592)

AN ACT concerning

Circuit Courts - Efficiency and Equity

FOR the purpose of ~~creating and funding certain State standing master positions in the circuit courts; establishing certain procedures for the appointment of certain State standing masters; providing for the qualifications, duties, compensation, and pensions of certain masters; authorizing the Court of Appeals to adopt certain rules concerning certain State standing masters; providing for State payment for interpreter services and jurors' expenses under certain circumstances; establishing a certain State per diem amount for jurors' expenses; clarifying language; requiring the counties to supplement the State per diem amount of juror compensation unless a certain local ordinance is adopted; requiring the Administrative Office of the Courts to complete a certain report on achieving greater uniformity among judicial masters in the circuit courts; requiring the Administrative Office of the Courts to complete a certain report on court interpreters and juror selection and assignment; and generally relating to certain State standing masters and reports concerning masters, interpreters, and jurors, and to~~ certain expenses related to the circuit courts.

BY adding to

Article - Courts and Judicial Proceedings

Section ~~2-510 and 2-511~~

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1995 Replacement Volume and 1997 Supplement)

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article - Courts and Judicial Proceedings

Section 8-106