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**By: Senator Amoss**

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Assigned to: Economic and Environmental Affairs

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A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Harford County - Alcoholic Beverages**  
3 **(Sale of Beer for Cash)**

4 FOR the purpose of deleting Harford County from those jurisdictions in which a  
5 manufacturer or wholesaler may not sell any beer to any retail dealer except for  
6 cash; and generally relating to alcoholic beverages in Harford County.

7 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,  
8 Article 2B - Alcoholic Beverages  
9 Section 12-112  
10 Annotated Code of Maryland  
11 (1994 Replacement Volume and 1995 Supplement)

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

14 **Article 2B - Alcoholic Beverages**

15 12-112.

16 (a) This section applies only in the following jurisdictions:

- 17 (1) Baltimore City;
- 18 (2) Caroline;
- 19 (3) Cecil;
- 20 (4) Charles;
- 21 (5) [Harford;
- 22 (6) Kent;
- 23 [(7)] (6) Queen Anne's;
- 24 [(8)] (7) St. Mary's;
- 25 [(9)] (8) Somerset;
- 26 [(10)] (9) Talbot;

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1            [(11)] (10) Wicomico; and

2            [(12)] (11) Worcester.

3            (b) A manufacturer or wholesaler may not sell any beer to any retaildealer except  
4 for cash on delivery.

5            (c) A suit or action ex contractu to enforce or collect any claim for credit  
6 extended in violation of this section may not be maintained in this State.

7            SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect  
8 October 1, 1996.