

HOUSE BILL 494

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By: **Caroline County Delegation**

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CHAPTER 68

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Caroline County - Alcoholic Beverages - Golf Course Licenses**

3 FOR the purpose of establishing in Caroline County a certain golf course alcoholic
4 beverages license; establishing the terms, conditions, and fee for the golf course
5 alcoholic beverages license and the hours and days allowed for the sale of
6 alcoholic beverages under the license; and generally relating to alcoholic
7 beverages in Caroline County.

8 BY adding to
9 Article 2B - Alcoholic Beverages
10 Section 8-507.1
11 Annotated Code of Maryland
12 (2001 Replacement Volume)

13 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
14 Article 2B - Alcoholic Beverages
15 Section 11-403(b)(2)(vi)
16 Annotated Code of Maryland
17 (2001 Replacement Volume)

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

1 **Article 2B - Alcoholic Beverages**

2 8-507.1.

3 (A) THIS SECTION APPLIES ONLY IN CAROLINE COUNTY.

4 (B) THERE IS A CLASS GC 7-DAY (GOLF COURSE) BEER, WINE AND LIQUOR
5 LICENSE.

6 (C) THE LICENSE MAY BE ISSUED TO A GOLF COURSE OR ORGANIZATION
7 THAT:

8 (1) IS OPEN TO THE PUBLIC;

9 (2) IS OPERATED FOR PROFIT;

10 (3) OWNS REAL ESTATE IN THE COUNTY; AND

11 (4) HAS A GOLF COURSE WITH A MINIMUM OF 18 HOLES.

12 (D) THE ANNUAL LICENSE FEE IS \$1,600.

13 (E) THE LICENSEE MAY SELL BEER, WINE, AND LIQUOR FOR CONSUMPTION
14 ONLY ON THE LAND AND IN THE BUILDINGS, INCLUDING THE CLUBHOUSE, USED
15 FOR GOLFING PURPOSES.

16 (F) A PATRON NEED NOT BE SEATED TO BE SERVED.

17 (G) ~~THE HOURS AND DAYS FOR SALE ARE AS SPECIFIED IN § 11-506 OF THIS~~
18 ~~ARTICLE. THE HOURS AND DAYS FOR SALE FOR A CLASS GC 7-DAY (GOLF COURSE)~~
19 ~~BEER, WINE AND LIQUOR LICENSE ARE AS FOLLOWS:~~

20 (1) MONDAY THROUGH SATURDAY FROM 6 A.M. TO 2 A.M. THE
21 FOLLOWING DAY; AND

22 (2) SUNDAY FROM 1 P.M. TO 12 MIDNIGHT.

23 11-403.

24 (b) (2) (vi) In Caroline County, on Sunday:

25 1. A Class A 7-day licensee may sell the alcoholic beverages
26 authorized under the license from 8 a.m. to 12 midnight, except that if the sale of
27 liquor is authorized under the license, liquor may only be sold from 1:00 p.m. to 12
28 midnight;

29 2. A Class C (clubs) beer, wine and liquor licensee may sell
30 beer and wine:

31 A. From 12 midnight to 2 a.m.; and

- 1 B. From 8 a.m. to 12 midnight;
- 2 3. A Class C (clubs) beer, wine and liquor licensee may sell
- 3 liquor:
- 4 A. From 12 midnight to 2 a.m.; and
- 5 B. From 1 p.m. to 12 midnight;
- 6 4. A Class C (clubs) beer licensee may sell beer from 8 a.m. to
- 7 12 midnight; [and]
- 8 5. A Class D (taverns) beer, wine and liquor licensee may sell
- 9 beer, wine, and liquor from 1 p.m. to midnight; AND
- 10 6. A CLASS GC 7-DAY (GOLF COURSE) BEER, WINE AND
- 11 LIQUOR LICENSEE MAY SELL BEER, WINE, AND LIQUOR FROM 1 P.M. TO 12 MIDNIGHT.

12 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect
 13 July 1, 2002.