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By: **Senators Jimeno and DeGrange**

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CHAPTER 33

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Anne Arundel County - Alcoholic Beverages Licenses -**
3 **Baltimore-Washington International Airport**

4 FOR the purpose of allowing certain sublessees at any airport to obtain airport
5 concessionaire licenses to sell alcoholic beverages within airport terminal
6 buildings; authorizing certain persons at Baltimore-Washington International
7 Airport to hold one ~~or more~~ airport concessionaire ~~licenses for~~ license for
8 multiple locations within the terminal building of the Airport, even if they
9 already hold one or more other licenses issued by the Board of License
10 Commissioners of Anne Arundel County; specifying that this Act does not apply
11 to duty free shops; allowing the Board to issue two airport concessionaire
12 licenses for the same premises or concessionaire space at the Airport for a
13 certain purpose under certain conditions; requiring that the Board give
14 precedence to certain license applications; requiring the Board to hold hearings
15 on certain license applications at the Board meeting that immediately follows
16 receipt of the applications; specifying the fee for an airport concessionaire
17 license and one location from which alcoholic beverages may be sold; specifying
18 an annual fee for each additional location from which alcoholic beverages may
19 be sold; making conforming and stylistic changes; making this Act an emergency
20 measure; and generally relating to alcoholic beverages licenses at
21 Baltimore-Washington International Airport.

22 BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,
23 Article 2B - Alcoholic Beverages
24 Section 8-202(a)
25 Annotated Code of Maryland
26 (2001 Replacement Volume and 2003 Supplement)

1 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
2 Article 2B - Alcoholic Beverages
3 Section 8-202(g) and 9-102(a)
4 Annotated Code of Maryland
5 (2001 Replacement Volume and 2003 Supplement)

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

8 **Article 2B - Alcoholic Beverages**

9 8-202.

10 (a) This section applies only in Anne Arundel County.

11 (g) (1) There is an airport concessionaire license.

12 (2) (I) An individual, association of individuals, or a corporation which
13 is a lessee, SUBLESSEE, or a concessionaire at any airport, without further residential,
14 voting or locative qualifications, may [procure a] OBTAIN AN AIRPORT
15 CONCESSIONAIRE license for the sale of any and all alcoholic beverages within [the
16 confines of] the airport terminal buildings.

17 (II) 1. THIS SUBPARAGRAPH DOES NOT APPLY TO DUTY FREE
18 SHOPS.

19 2. A PERSON WHO IS A LESSEE, SUBLESSEE, OR
20 CONCESSIONAIRE AT BALTIMORE-WASHINGTON INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT MAY
21 HOLD ONE ~~OR MORE~~ AIRPORT CONCESSIONAIRE ~~LICENSES FOR~~ LICENSE FOR
22 MULTIPLE LOCATIONS WITHIN THE TERMINAL BUILDING OF
23 BALTIMORE-WASHINGTON INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT, EVEN IF THE PERSON
24 ALREADY HOLDS ONE OR MORE ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES LICENSES OF ANY OTHER
25 TYPE ISSUED BY THE BOARD.

26 (III) 1. THE BOARD MAY ISSUE A SECOND AIRPORT
27 CONCESSIONAIRE LICENSE FOR A LEASED PREMISES OR CONCESSIONAIRE SPACE
28 THAT IS ~~ALREADY LICENSED~~ LICENSED AS OF MARCH 1, 2004, AT
29 BALTIMORE-WASHINGTON INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT TO MAINTAIN SERVICE
30 DURING A TRANSITION INVOLVING DIFFERENT LICENSEES; BUT

31 2. THE FIRST AIRPORT CONCESSIONAIRE LICENSE SHALL
32 EXPIRE WHEN THE PRIVILEGES UNDER THE SECOND ARE EXERCISED.

33 (IV) ON RECEIPT OF AN APPLICATION FOR AN AIRPORT
34 CONCESSIONAIRE LICENSE UNDER SUBPARAGRAPH (II) OR (III) OF THIS PARAGRAPH,
35 THE BOARD SHALL:

36 1. GIVE PRECEDENCE TO THE APPLICATION OVER ALL
37 OTHER LICENSE APPLICATIONS; AND

