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CHAPTER\_\_\_\_\_

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Baltimore City - Alcoholic Beverages - Public Hearing on License Transfers**

3 FOR the purpose of requiring the Board of License Commissioners for Baltimore City  
4 to hold a public hearing on the transfer of a license for an establishment in  
5 operation if the hearing is requested by at least a certain number of residents in  
6 the immediate area of the establishment; and generally relating to the transfer  
7 of alcoholic beverages licenses in Baltimore City.

8 BY adding to  
9 Article 2B - Alcoholic Beverages  
10 Section 10-202(e)(3)  
11 Annotated Code of Maryland  
12 (2005 Replacement Volume)

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

15 **Article 2B - Alcoholic Beverages**

16 10-202.

17 (e) (3) THE BOARD OF LICENSE COMMISSIONERS FOR BALTIMORE CITY  
18 SHALL HOLD A PUBLIC HEARING ON THE TRANSFER OF A LICENSE FOR AN  
19 ESTABLISHMENT IN OPERATION IF THE HEARING IS REQUESTED BY AT LEAST 10  
20 RESIDENTS IN THE IMMEDIATE AREA OF THE ESTABLISHMENT.

21 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect  
22 October 1, 2006.

