Chapter 411

(House Bill 1292)

AN ACT concerning

Calvert County - Alcoholic Beverages Licenses - Retirement Communities and Appeals

FOR the purpose of establishing a Continuing Care Retirement Community license in Calvert County; authorizing the license to be issued for a club that meets certain requirements; authorizing a licensee to sell beer, wine, and liquor to certain individuals under certain circumstances; providing for an annual license fee; <u>authorizing a court to remand certain proceedings to the local licensing board of Calvert County</u>; and generally relating to alcoholic beverages licenses in Calvert County.

BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,

Article 2B – Alcoholic Beverages

Section 6–301(f)(1)

Annotated Code of Maryland

(2011 Replacement Volume and 2012 Supplement)

BY adding to

Article 2B – Alcoholic Beverages

Section 6-301(f)(3)

Annotated Code of Maryland

(2011 Replacement Volume and 2012 Supplement)

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article 2B – Alcoholic Beverages

Section 16–101(e)(4)(ii)

Annotated Code of Maryland

(2011 Replacement Volume and 2012 Supplement)

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

Article 2B - Alcoholic Beverages

6-301.

(f) (1) This subsection applies only in Calvert County.

- (3) (I) THERE IS A CONTINUING CARE RETIREMENT COMMUNITY LICENSE.
 - (II) THE LICENSE MAY BE ISSUED FOR A CLUB THAT:
- 1. IS COMPOSED OF RESIDENTS OF A CONTINUING CARE RETIREMENT COMMUNITY THAT HAS OBTAINED A CERTIFICATE OF REGISTRATION FROM THE STATE DEPARTMENT OF AGING UNDER TITLE 10, SUBTITLE 4 OF THE HUMAN SERVICES ARTICLE;
 - 2. HAS AT LEAST 50 BONA FIDE MEMBERS; AND
- 3. HAS ANNUAL DUES THAT AVERAGE AT LEAST \$5 PER MEMBER.
- (III) A LICENSEE MAY KEEP FOR SALE AND SELL AT RETAIL BEER, WINE, AND LIQUOR TO A MEMBER OR A GUEST WHEN ACCOMPANIED BY A MEMBER AT THE PLACE DESCRIBED IN THE LICENSE.
 - (IV) THE ANNUAL LICENSE FEE IS \$500.

<u>16–101.</u>

- (e) (4) (ii) In addition to the other powers of the court provided in this article, the court may remand the proceedings to the local licensing board in the following jurisdictions:
 - <u>1.</u> <u>Anne Arundel County;</u>
 - 2. Baltimore City;
 - 3. CALVERT COUNTY;
 - [3.] 4. Carroll County;
 - [4.] **5.** Charles County;
 - [5.] 6. Frederick County;
 - [6.] 7. Harford County;
 - **[7.] 8.** *Howard County;*
 - [8.] 9. <u>Montgomery County</u>;

[9.] 10. Prince George's County; and

[10.] 11. St. Mary's County.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That § 16–101(e)(4)(ii)3 of Article 2B, as enacted by Section 1 of this Act, may not be applied to any case for which a final judgment has been rendered and for which all judicial appeals have been exhausted before the effective date of this Act.

SECTION $\stackrel{2}{=}$ 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect $\frac{July}{June}$ 1, 2013.

Approved by the Governor, May 2, 2013.