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§6–713.

- (a) This section applies only in Dorchester County.
- (b) The Dorchester County Board of License Commissioners may issue a Class B caterer's license to a licensee who:
 - (1) Holds a Class B restaurant or hotel (on-sale) beer and light wine license or Class B restaurant or hotel (on-sale) beer, wine and liquor license;
 - (2) Holds a caterer's license issued by the county health department; and
 - (3) Contracts to provide food and alcoholic beverages to sponsors of public or private events.
- (c) The annual license fee is \$150.
- (d)
 - (1) A Class B caterer's license authorizes the holder to provide alcoholic beverages at events that are held off the premises covered by the Class B beer and light wine license or Class B beer, wine and liquor license.
 - (2) A holder of a Class B beer and light wine license or a Class B beer, wine and liquor license need not have a Class B caterer's license for catering on the premises that is covered by the holder's license.
- (e) The Board of License Commissioners need not publish an application for a Class B caterer's license before issuing the license.
- (f) The holder of a Class B caterer's license:
 - (1) Shall notify the Board in writing at least 7 days before the event for which the license is to be used;
 - (2) Shall provide food as well as alcoholic beverages for consumption at the catered event; and
 - (3) May exercise the privileges of the license only during the hours and days that are authorized for the holder's Class B beer and light wine license or Class B beer, wine and liquor license.
- (g) When catering a public event, a holder of a Class B caterer's license:
 - (1) Shall distribute a wristband to each individual at least 21 years old at the catered event; and

(2) May not serve an alcoholic beverage to an individual at the catered event who does not wear the wristband.

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