

Article - Alcoholic Beverages

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§9–223.

- (a) This section applies only in Wicomico County.
- (b)
 - (1) In this section the following words have the meanings indicated.
 - (2) “Church” means a building principally used for religious services.
 - (3) “Downtown Plaza” means that area in the City of Salisbury from the intersection of Camden Avenue and Carroll Street eastward along Carroll Street to U.S. Route 13, thence in a northerly direction to U.S. Route 50, thence in a westerly direction to Mill Street, thence in a southerly direction to the point of origin. The area includes only the area encompassed within the polygon and does not include businesses located on the opposite sides of the streets.
 - (4) “Measurement” means the recording of the distance as a person could walk directly between the 2 points and not in a direct linear form commonly expressed as “how the crow flies”.
 - (5) “School” means a public or private elementary or secondary institution of education.
- (c) The Board of License Commissioners may not issue any license to sell alcoholic beverages within a 500 foot measurement from the main entrance of the building that is the proposed establishment for which the license is requested to the main entrance of a school or of a church or other place of worship.
- (d) A person may apply for a license within 6 months following the termination of a license at an existing location that falls within the restrictions imposed by subsection (c) of this section.
- (e) This section does not apply to:
 - (1) The issuance of special or temporary licenses; or
 - (2) The Downtown Plaza.

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