## **HOUSE BILL 370**

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## A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning 2 Alcoholic Beverages - On-Premises Promotions and Product Sampling 3 - Holders of Manufacturer's Licenses 4 FOR the purpose of altering a certain exception to allow a holder of any Maryland 5 manufacturer's license to bring certain products onto a retail licensed premises for 6 on-premises promotions and product sampling under certain circumstances; making 7 a certain exception to a provision of law that prohibits an individual from consuming 8 on the licensed premises of a license holder a certain alcoholic beverage; and 9 generally relating to on-premises promotions and product sampling of alcoholic beverages. 10 11 BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments, 12 Article – Alcoholic Beverages 13 Section 1-101(a) and (r)Annotated Code of Maryland 14 (As enacted by Chapter (S.B. )(6lr1406) of the Acts of the General Assembly 15 16 of 2016) 17 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments, Article – Alcoholic Beverages 18 Section 6–319 19 20 Annotated Code of Maryland (As enacted by Chapter \_\_\_ (S.B. \_\_\_)(6lr1406) of the Acts of the General Assembly 21 22 of 2016) SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND. 23 24That the Laws of Maryland read as follows: 25 Article - Alcoholic Beverages

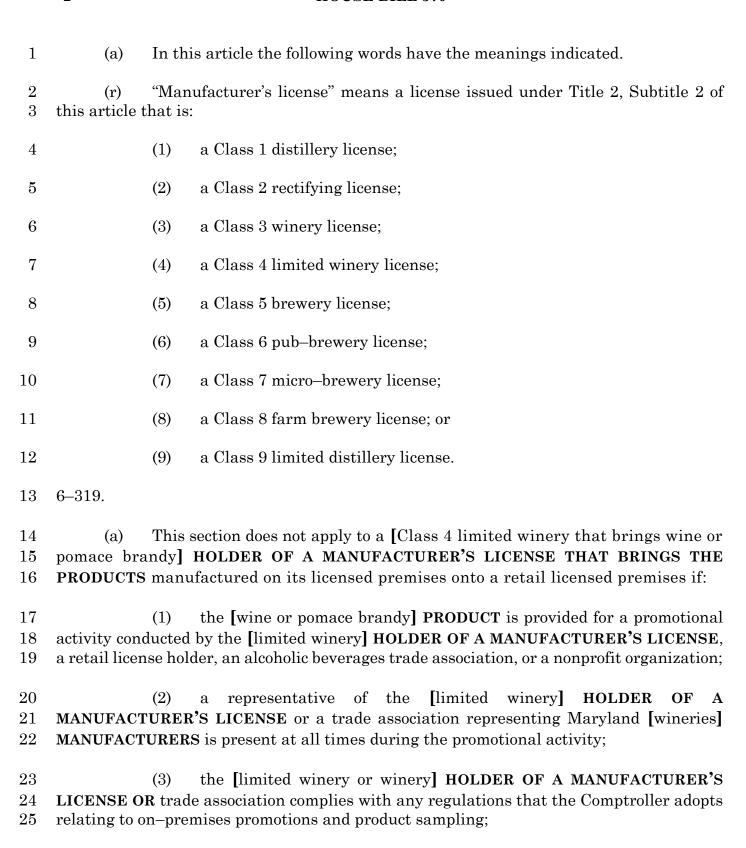
EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.

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26 (4) the [limited winery or winery] HOLDER OF A MANUFACTURER'S
27 LICENSE OR trade association has advance written permission of the retail license holder
28 to bring [wine] THE products on the retail licensed premises for the promotional activity;
29 and

- 1 (5) all unopened or partially consumed containers of [wine and pomace 2 brandy] **THE PRODUCTS** are removed from the retail licensed premises at the end of the 3 promotional activity.
- 4 (b) An individual may not consume on the licensed premises of a license holder 5 an alcoholic beverage that is:
  - (1) not purchased on the premises from the license holder; and

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- 7 (2) not otherwise allowed by this article to be consumed on the premises.
- 8 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 9  $\,$  1, 2016.