HOUSE BILL 543

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By: **Allegany County Delegation** Introduced and read first time: February 3, 2016 Assigned to: Economic Matters

Committee Report: Favorable House action: Adopted Read second time: March 9, 2016

CHAPTER _____

1 AN ACT concerning

2 Allegany County – Alcoholic Beverages – Minimum Age to Serve Liquor

- FOR the purpose of altering in Allegany County the minimum age for an individual to serve
 liquor; and generally relating to alcoholic beverages in Allegany County.
- 5 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
- 6 Article Alcoholic Beverages
- 7 Section 9–1902
- 8 Annotated Code of Maryland
- 9 (As enacted by Chapter ____(S.B. ____)(6lr1406) of the Acts of the General Assembly 10 of 2016)

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

- 13 Article Alcoholic Beverages
- 14 9–1902.
- 15 (a) A license holder may employ an individual between the ages of 18 and 21 16 years.

17 (b) To be allowed to sell or serve beer [and], light wine, AND LIQUOR, an 18 individual shall be at least 18 years old.

EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.

<u>Underlining</u> indicates amendments to bill.

Strike out indicates matter stricken from the bill by amendment or deleted from the law by amendment.



1 [(c) To be allowed to sell or serve liquor, an individual shall be at least 21 years 2 old.]

3 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 4 1, 2016.

Approved:

Governor.

Speaker of the House of Delegates.

President of the Senate.