

HOUSE BILL 842

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(6lr1986)

ENROLLED BILL

— *Economic Matters/ Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs* —

Introduced by **Frederick County Delegation**

Read and Examined by Proofreaders:

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Sealed with the Great Seal and presented to the Governor, for his approval this

_____ day of _____ at _____ o'clock, _____ M.

Speaker.

CHAPTER _____

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Frederick County – Alcoholic Beverages – Art Gallery Beer and Wine License**

3 FOR the purpose of authorizing the Board of License Commissioners for Frederick County
4 to issue an art gallery beer and wine license to nonprofit and for-profit retail
5 businesses that display and sell original artwork *or certain copies of original artwork*
6 by an individual or a group of artists; prohibiting a certain type of business from
7 being issued the license; specifying that a holder of the license may sell or serve beer
8 and wine at retail for on-premises consumption when snacks are served during
9 certain hours; specifying a license fee; prohibiting the license from being transferred
10 from the location for which the license was originally issued to another location; and
11 generally relating to an art gallery license in Frederick County.

12 BY renumbering

13 Article – Alcoholic Beverages

14 Section 20-1001

EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.

Underlining indicates amendments to bill.

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

Italics indicate opposite chamber/conference committee amendments.



1 to be Section 20–1001.1
2 Annotated Code of Maryland
3 (As enacted by Chapter ___ (S.B.____)(6lr1406) of the Acts of the General Assembly of
4 2016)

5 BY adding to
6 Article – Alcoholic Beverages
7 Section 20–1001
8 Annotated Code of Maryland
9 (As enacted by Chapter ___ (S.B.____)(6lr1406) of the Acts of the General Assembly of
10 2016)

11 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND,
12 That Section(s) 20–1001 of Article – Alcoholic Beverages of the Annotated Code of Maryland
13 be renumbered to be Section(s) 20–1001.1.

14 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That the Laws of Maryland read
15 as follows:

16 **Article – Alcoholic Beverages**

17 **20–1001.**

18 (A) (1) THE BOARD MAY ISSUE AN ART GALLERY BEER AND WINE
19 LICENSE TO A NONPROFIT OR FOR–PROFIT RETAIL BUSINESS ENGAGED IN THE
20 DISPLAY AND SALE OF ORIGINAL ARTWORK, OR COPIES OF ORIGINAL ARTWORK THAT
21 ARE REPRODUCED NO MORE THAN 300 TIMES, BY AN INDIVIDUAL ARTIST OR A
22 GROUP OF ARTISTS.

23 (2) A BUSINESS THAT DISPLAYS AND SELLS COMMERCIALY
24 PREPARED OR MASS–PRODUCED ARTISTIC PRODUCTS MAY NOT BE ISSUED THE
25 LICENSE.

26 (B) THE LICENSE HOLDER MAY SELL OR SERVE BEER AND WINE AT RETAIL
27 FOR ON–PREMISES CONSUMPTION WHEN SNACKS ARE SERVED DURING NORMAL
28 BUSINESS HOURS BUT NOT LATER THAN MIDNIGHT.

29 (C) THE ANNUAL LICENSE FEE IS \$100.

30 (D) THE LICENSE MAY NOT BE TRANSFERRED FROM THE LOCATION FOR
31 WHICH THE LICENSE WAS ORIGINALLY ISSUED TO ANOTHER LOCATION.

32 SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July
33 1, 2016.