Chapter 449

(House Bill 1051)

AN ACT concerning

Harford County - Alcoholic Beverages - Community College License

FOR the purpose of establishing a Class CC (community college) beer and wine license in Harford County; authorizing the Board of License Commissioners to issue the license to an officer officers of a community college for use on certain parts of the community college campus; providing that the license authorizes the sale of beer and wine for on-premises consumption to individuals who attend certain public events and to members of certain groups and their guests who attend events held for those groups; prohibiting a license holder from selling beer and wine at certain events; limiting the number of days per year the license holder may sell beer and wine at certain events; prohibiting a license holder from allowing alcoholic beverages to be consumed during a certain time; prohibiting, with a certain exception, a license holder from allowing an individual to carry alcoholic beverages onto or from the licensed premises; providing for an annual license fee; and generally relating to alcoholic beverages licenses in Harford County.

BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,

Article – Alcoholic Beverages Section 22–102 Annotated Code of Maryland (As enacted by Chapter ____ (S.B. ____)(6lr1406) of the Acts of the General Assembly of 2016)

BY adding to

Article – Alcoholic Beverages Section 22–807.1 Annotated Code of Maryland (As enacted by Chapter ____ (S.B. ____)(6lr1406) of the Acts of the General Assembly of 2016)

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

Article – Alcoholic Beverages

22 - 102.

This title applies only in Harford County.

22-807.1.

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(A) THERE IS A CLASS CC (COMMUNITY COLLEGE) BEER AND WINE LICENSE.

(B) THE BOARD MAY ISSUE THE LICENSE TO AN OFFICER OFFICERS OF A COMMUNITY COLLEGE FOR USE ON ENCLOSED PARTS OF THE COMMUNITY COLLEGE CAMPUS THAT ARE:

(1) OWNED BY THE COMMUNITY COLLEGE; AND

(2) USED AND EQUIPPED BY THE COMMUNITY COLLEGE TO PROMOTE OR HOST EVENTS, INCLUDING ARTISTIC, CULTURAL, OR CIVIC EXHIBITS, MEETINGS, FESTIVALS, SHOWS, OR OTHER ENTERTAINMENT PRODUCTIONS.

(C) THE LICENSE AUTHORIZES THE LICENSE HOLDER TO SELL BEER AND WINE, AT RETAIL, AT THE PLACE DESCRIBED IN THE LICENSE, FOR ON-PREMISES CONSUMPTION TO:

(1) INDIVIDUALS WHO ATTEND AN EVENT THAT IS OPEN TO THE PUBLIC; AND

(2) MEMBERS OF A CLUB, A SOCIETY, OR AN ASSOCIATION AND THEIR GUESTS WHO ATTEND AN EVENT THAT IS HELD FOR THAT GROUP.

(D) (1) THE LICENSE HOLDER MAY NOT SELL BEER AND WINE ON THE COMMUNITY COLLEGE CAMPUS AT:

(1) (1) A STUDENT SPORTING EVENT; OR

(2) (II) AN EVENT THAT IS SPONSORED BY STUDENTS.

(2) THE LICENSE HOLDER MAY SELL BEER AND WINE AT EVENTS THAT ARE HELD ON THE COMMUNITY COLLEGE CAMPUS FOR A MAXIMUM OF 25 DAYS PER YEAR.

(E) AFTER AN EVENT IS OVER, THE LICENSE HOLDER MAY NOT ALLOW ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES TO BE CONSUMED ON THE LICENSED PREMISES FROM MIDNIGHT TO NOON THE FOLLOWING DAY.

(F) A LICENSE HOLDER MAY NOT ALLOW AN INDIVIDUAL TO CARRY ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES ONTO OR FROM THE LICENSED PREMISES, EXCEPT A WHOLESALER OF BEER OR WINE WHO CONDUCTS BUSINESS REGARDING AN EVENT FOR WHICH A LICENSE HAS BEEN ISSUED UNDER THIS SECTION.

(G) THE ANNUAL LICENSE FEE IS \$1,500.

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

Approved by the Governor, May 10, 2016.