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By: Frederick County Delegation

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## A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning 2 Frederick County - Gaming Events - Sunday Hours of Operation 3 FOR the purpose of specifying that, in Frederick County, a gaming permit authorizes a gaming event to be conducted on a Sunday during the hours of sale for the alcoholic 4 5 beverages sold at the establishment where the gaming event is conducted; and 6 generally relating to gaming in Frederick County. 7 BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments, 8 Article – Criminal Law 9 Section 13-1301 and 13-1302 10 Annotated Code of Maryland 11 (2012 Replacement Volume and 2016 Supplement) 12 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments, Article – Criminal Law 13 Section 13-1304 14 15 Annotated Code of Maryland (2012 Replacement Volume and 2016 Supplement) 16 17 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, 18 That the Laws of Maryland read as follows: 19 Article - Criminal Law 20 13-1301. 21In this subtitle, "gaming event" includes: 22 (1) a bazaar:

EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.

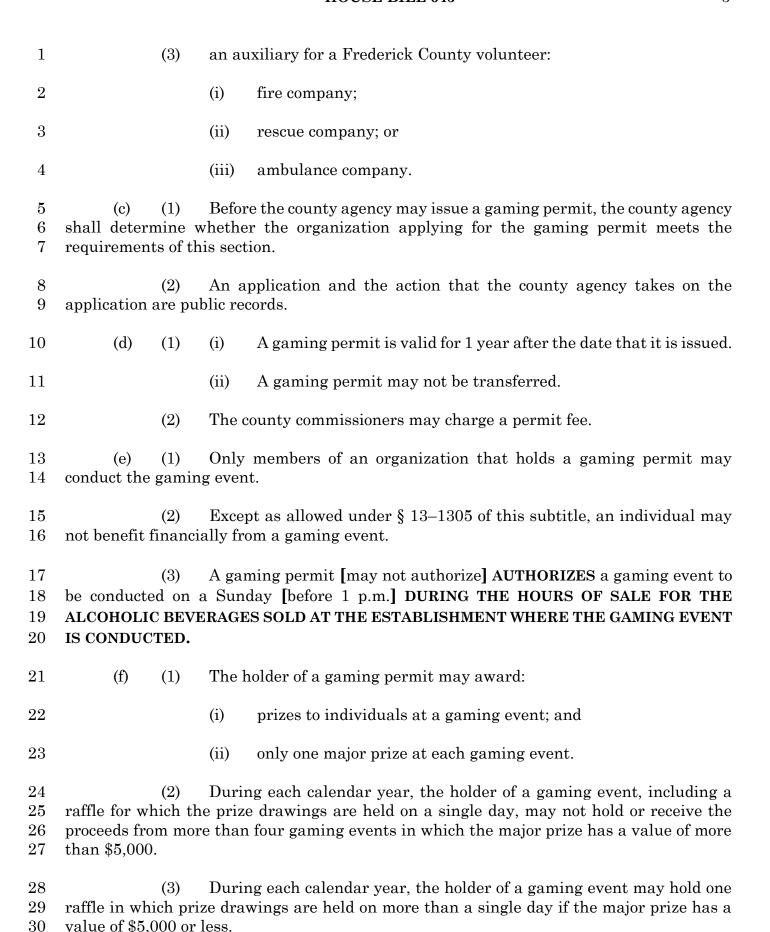
a carnival;

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1		(3)	a raff	le;
2		(4)	a tip j	ar; and
3		(5)	a pun	chboard.
4	13–1302.			
5	This subtitle applies only in Frederick County.			
6	13–1304.			
7 8 9	(a) Before an organization listed in subsection (b) of this section may conduct a gaming event, the organization shall obtain a permit from the county agency that the county commissioners designate.			
10 11	(b) An organization may conduct a gaming event for its own benefit if the organization is:			
12		(1)	a bon	a fide:
13			(i)	religious organization;
14			(ii)	fraternal organization;
15			(iii)	civic organization;
16			(iv)	war veterans' organization;
17			(v)	hospital;
18			(vi)	amateur athletic organization;
19			(vii)	patriotic organization;
20			(viii)	educational organization; or
21			(ix)	charitable organization;
22		(2)	a Fre	derick County volunteer:
23			(i)	fire company;
24			(ii)	rescue company; or
25			(iii)	ambulance company; or



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- 1 (4) The county commissioners may regulate the number of permits to 2 conduct a raffle that an organization may receive in 1 calendar year.
- 3 (g) The county commissioners may adopt regulations to carry out this section and 4 \$13-1305 and 13-1307 of this subtitle.
- 5 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect 6 October 1, 2017.