

LIQUOR CONTROL BOARD FOR HARFORD COUNTY, MARYLAND

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ECONOMIC MATTERS COMMITTEE

HB0829 – Harford County – Alcoholic Beverages – Class DLR License Scott Baker – Harford County Liquor Control Board

IN SUPPORT

Chair Davis and Members of the Economic Matters Committee:

HB0829 would permit holders of a Class 1 Distillery License to serve mixed drinks using liquor produced by the distiller and non-alcoholic ingredients in Harford County. Currently, the holder of a Class 1 Distillery, in Harford County, may only provide samples and not sell their product.

HB0829 would provide distillers with the opportunity to feature their product in a variety of drinks. It would also provide the same opportunities that breweries, with a DBR License, have in Harford County.