

SB 0415 Garrett County Alcoholic Beverages Act of

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The Honorable Paul G. Pinsky, Chair
Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs Committee
2 West Miller Senate Office Building - 11 Bladen Street
Annapolis, MD 21401

RE: SENATE 0415 - GARRETT COUNTY
ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES ACT OF 2022

Dear Chair Pinsky:

The Board of License Commissioners / Liquor Control Board requested the Garrett County Delegation to introduce Senate Bill 0415. The legislative request relates to Title 21 of the Alcoholic Beverages Article specific to Garrett County. The first request is for a new beauty salon and barbershop license. The second request are a few amendments to the quantity and duration on our existing festival licenses.

The request for the beauty salon and barbershop license was a request from one of our hair salon businesses. The owner inquired about the possibility to provide her customers limited alcoholic beverages during scheduled appointments.

The request to amend the Garrett County festival licenses was a result of a few qualifying non-profit organizations seeking additional event days and number of fundraising events throughout the year.

The Board of License Commissioners / Liquor Control Board ask for your favorable consideration of Senate Bill 0415 and thank you for the support you may give this legislative issue.

Sincerely,

Deborah R. Owston

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Administrator of the Board of License Commissioners

cc: Delegate Wendell Beitzel
Senator George Edwards

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By: **Senator Edwards**

Introduced and read first time: January 26, 2022

Assigned to: Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs

A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Garrett County Alcoholic Beverages Act of 2022**

3 FOR the purpose of establishing a barbershop and beauty salon beer and wine license in
4 Garrett County; authorizing the Board of License Commissioners for Garrett County
5 to issue the license to a holder of a certain barbershop or beauty salon permit;
6 altering the maximum number of beer, wine, and beer and wine festival licenses that
7 may be issued in Garrett County and the maximum number of days the festivals
8 may be conducted; and generally relating to alcoholic beverages in Garrett County.

9 BY renumbering

10 Article - Alcoholic Beverages
11 Section 21-1001.1 and 21-1001.2, respectively
12 to be Section 21-1001.2 and 21-1001.3, respectively
13 Annotated Code of Maryland
14 (2016 Volume and 2021 Supplement)

15 BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,

16 Article - Alcoholic Beverages
17 Section 21-102, 21-1304(f), 21-1304.2(h), and 21-1305(g)
18 Annotated Code of Maryland
19 (2016 Volume and 2021 Supplement)

20 BY adding to

21 Article - Alcoholic Beverages
22 Section 21-1001.1
23 Annotated Code of Maryland
24 (2016 Volume and 2021 Supplement)

25 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

26 Article - Alcoholic Beverages
27 Section 21-1304(a) and (e), 21-1304.2(b) and (c)(2), and 21-1305(a) and (f)

2 **UNOFFICIAL COPY OF SENATE BILL 415**

1 Annotated Code of Maryland
2 (2016 Volume and 2021 Supplement)

3 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND,
4 That Section(s) 21-1001.1 and 21-1001.2, respectively, of Article - Alcoholic Beverages of
5 the Annotated Code of Maryland be renumbered to be Section(s) 21-1001.2 and 21-1001.3,
6 respectively.

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

9 **Article - Alcoholic Beverages**

10 21-102.

11 This title applies only in Garrett County.

12 **21-1001.1.**

13 **(A) THERE IS A BARBERSHOP AND BEAUTY SALON BEER AND WINE LICENSE.**

14 **(B) THE BOARD MAY ISSUE THE LICENSE TO A HOLDER OF:**

15 **(1) A BARBERSHOP PERMIT ISSUED UNDER § 4-501 OF THE BUSINESS**
16 **OCCUPATIONS AND PROFESSIONS ARTICLE; OR**

17 **(2) A BEAUTY SALON PERMIT ISSUED UNDER § 5-501 OF THE**
18 **BUSINESS OCCUPATIONS AND PROFESSIONS ARTICLE.**

19 **(C) THE LICENSE AUTHORIZES THE LICENSE HOLDER TO PROVIDE NOT**
20 **MORE THAN TWO 12-OUNCE OFFERINGS OF BEER OR TWO ~~5-OUNCE~~ 6-OUNCE OFFERINGS OF**
21 **WINE BY THE GLASS FOR ON-PREMISES CONSUMPTION BY A CUSTOMER WHILE THE**
22 **CUSTOMER:**

23 **(1) IS PROVIDED A BARBERING SERVICE UNDER § 4-101(L) OF THE**
24 **BUSINESS OCCUPATIONS AND PROFESSIONS ARTICLE;**

25 **(2) IS PROVIDED A COSMETOLOGY SERVICE UNDER § 5-101(N) OF THE**
26 **BUSINESS OCCUPATIONS AND PROFESSIONS ARTICLE; OR**

27 **(3) IS ATTENDING A FUND-RAISING EVENT AT THE BARBERSHOP OR**
28 **BEAUTY SALON.**

29 **(D) THE LICENSE HOLDER:**

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1 (1) MAY PROVIDE BEER AND WINE DURING NORMAL BUSINESS HOURS
2 BUT NOT LATER THAN 9 P.M.; AND

3 (2) MAY PROVIDE BEER AND WINE ON A SUNDAY IN ANY ELECTION
4 DISTRICT OR PRECINCT OF AN ELECTION DISTRICT IN WHICH THE VOTERS IN A
5 REFERENDUM AUTHORIZED BY LAW APPROVED SUNDAY SALES.

6 (E) AN ESTABLISHMENT FOR WHICH THE LICENSE IS ISSUED IS SUBJECT TO
7 THE ALCOHOL AWARENESS TRAINING REQUIREMENTS UNDER § 4-505 OF THIS
8 ARTICLE.

9 (F) ~~(1) THE FEE FOR THE ISSUANCE OF A NEW LICENSE UNDER THIS~~
10 ~~SECTION, WHICH SHALL BE PAID TO THE BOARD BEFORE THE LICENSE IS ISSUED, IS~~
11 ~~\$200.~~

12 ~~(2)~~ THE ANNUAL LICENSE FEE IS \$200.

(G) THE BOARD SHALL CHARGE A ONE-TIME ISSUING FEE FOR A NEW LICENSE
IN AN AMOUNT EQUAL TO THE ANNUAL LICENSE FEE.

13 21-1304.

14 (a) (1) There is a beer festival license.

15 (2) The Board may issue not more than [two] FOUR beer festival licenses
16 each year.

17 (e) The Board shall choose:

18 (1) a fixed period of time for the festival of up to [2] 3 consecutive days,
19 excluding Sunday; and

20 (2) a location that is not already licensed.

21 (f) Notwithstanding subsection (e)(1) of this section, a holder of a beer festival
22 license issued for a location at which Sunday sales are allowed under § 21-2002(e) of this
23 title may make Sunday sales beginning at 10 a.m.

24 21-1304.2.

25 (b) (1) There is a Garrett County Beer and Wine Festival.

26 (2) Under the supervision of the Board, the festival organization may
27 conduct the Festival annually [on the second Saturday of September] FOR A FIXED
28 PERIOD OF TIME OF UP TO 3 CONSECUTIVE DAYS.

29 (c) (2) The Board may issue [one] NOT MORE THAN FOUR beer and wine
30 festival [license] LICENSES each year.

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1 (h) (1) The Board shall choose a location for the festival that is not already
2 licensed.

3 (2) If the location chosen allows for Sunday sales, Sunday sales may begin
4 at 10 a.m.

5 21-1305.

6 (a) (1) There is a wine festival license.

7 (2) The Board may issue [one] **NOT MORE THAN FOUR** wine festival
8 [license] **LICENSES** each year.

9 (f) (1) Subject to paragraph (3) of this subsection, each year the Board shall
10 choose [1 or 2 days] **UP TO 3 CONSECUTIVE DAYS** for the wine festival.

11 (2) The Board shall choose a location that is not already licensed.

12 (3) A day chosen for the wine festival may not:

13 (i) be a Sunday; or

14 (ii) fall on the same weekend as the Maryland Wine Festival in
15 Carroll County.

16 (g) Notwithstanding subsection (f)(3)(i) of this section, a holder of a wine festival
17 license issued for use in a location where Sunday sales are allowed may make Sunday sales
18 beginning at 10 a.m.

19 SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July
20 1, 2022.