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THE SENATE OF MARYLAND Annapolis, Maryland 21401

Senate Bill 428 - Garrett County Alcoholic Beverages Act of 2024

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Dear Chair Beidle, Vice Chair Klausmeier, and Members of the Committee,

The purpose of the bill is simple and establishes a Class B-resort beer license, a resort beer and wine license, and a beer, wine, and liquor festival license in Garrett County. This bill will alter the hours of sale for alcoholic beverages on Sundays for certain licenses as well as requiring that at least one applicant be a resident of the State of Maryland. This will also prohibit alcoholic beverages from being brought into places of adult entertainment to be consumed or transferred.

I thank you all for your time and ask for a favorable report.

Sincerely,

Senator Mike McKay, District 1

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