

**HB1052/193620/1**

BY: Finance Committee

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL 1052  
(Third Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in line 4, after “of” insert “authorizing the Board of License Commissioners for Baltimore City to issue a certain number of new alcoholic beverages licenses within a certain bounded area;”; in line 7, strike “of License Commissioners for Baltimore City”; in line 10, strike “an” and substitute “certain”; in the same line, strike “license” and substitute “licenses”; in the same line, in each instance, strike “a”; in line 11, strike “conversion” and substitute “conversions”; in the same line, after “circumstances,” insert “prohibiting the Board from authorizing a license for a certain recipient of a certain State grant under certain circumstances;”; after line 22, insert:

“BY adding to

Article - Alcoholic Beverages and Cannabis  
Section 12-1604(j)  
Annotated Code of Maryland  
(2016 Volume and 2023 Supplement)”;

in line 20, after “Section” insert “12-1604(b).”; and in the same line, after “12-1605(b)” insert a comma.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, after line 5, insert:

“12-1604.

(b) Except as provided in subsections (c), (d), [and] (i), AND (J) of this section, the Board may not issue a new license in the 46th alcoholic beverages district.

**(J) (1) IN THE AREA BOUNDED ON THE NORTH BY INTERSTATE 95, ON THE EAST BY THE SOUTH LOCUST POINT TERMINAL, AND ON THE SOUTH AND WEST BY THE PATAPSCO RIVER, THE BOARD MAY ISSUE NOT MORE THAN:**

**(I) A TOTAL OF 10 NEW CLASS B-D-7 LICENSES; AND**

**(II) A TOTAL OF 2 NEW CLASS A-7 LICENSES.**

**(2) ANY LICENSE ISSUED UNDER THIS SUBSECTION MAY NOT BE TRANSFERRED OUTSIDE THE BOUNDED AREA AS DEFINED UNDER PARAGRAPH (1) OF THIS SUBSECTION.**

**(3) THE BOARD MAY NOT AUTHORIZE THE TRANSFER OF A LICENSE INTO THE BOUNDED AREA AS DEFINED UNDER PARAGRAPH (1) OF THIS SUBSECTION.”.**

On page 5, in line 18, after “(a)” insert “(1)”; in line 22, strike “(b)” and substitute “(2)”; and after line 27, insert:

**“(3) Notwithstanding § 12-2202 of the Alcoholic Beverages and Cannabis Article, a Class B-D-7 license issued for a premises in the 1600 block of Eastern Avenue shall be considered unexpired until the end of July 1, 2025, for the purpose of completing a transfer of ownership and transfer of location to a premises in the 600 block of South Caroline Street.**

**(4) (i) Notwithstanding § 12-2202 of the Alcoholic Beverages and Cannabis Article, a Class B license issued for a premises in the 3500 block of Boston Street shall be considered unexpired until the end of July 1, 2025, for the purpose of completing a transfer of ownership and a transfer of location to a premises in the 3600 block of Boston Street.**

(ii) If a Class B license transferred to the 3600 block of Boston Street under subparagraph (i) of this paragraph was originally issued as a Class B–D–7 license, the license holder may apply to the Board to convert the Class B license back to a Class B–D–7 license.

(5) Notwithstanding § 12–2202 of the Alcoholic Beverages and Cannabis Article, a Class B–D–7 license issued for a premises in the 600 block of South Luzerne Avenue shall be considered unexpired until the end of July 1, 2025, for the purpose of being renewed to the current license year by the licensee.

(b) The Board may not authorize the transfer of a license in ward 24, precinct 5 to a person or a location that has received and retained funding awarded under a legislative bond initiative.”.