
By: Harford County Delegation

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CHAPTER ____

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Harford County - Alcoholic Beverages**
3 **(FBI Checks)**

4 FOR the purpose of requiring the Liquor Control Board of Harford County to obtain
5 criminal records of alcoholic beverages license applicants from a certain unit of
6 State government and forward the fingerprints through that unit to the Federal
7 Bureau of Investigation for a national criminal records check; and generally relating
8 to alcoholic beverages in Harford County.

9 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
10 Article 2B - Alcoholic Beverages
11 Section 10-103(b)(13)(i) 2.
12 Annotated Code of Maryland
13 (1994 Replacement Volume and 1995 Supplement)

14 BY adding to
15 Article 2B - Alcoholic Beverages
16 Section 10-103(b)(13)(viii)
17 Annotated Code of Maryland
18 (1994 Replacement Volume and 1995 Supplement)

19 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF
20 MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

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1 **Article 2B - Alcoholic Beverages**

2 10-103.

3 (b) Except as otherwise provided in this subtitle, every new application for a
4 license shall be made to the Board of License Commissioners upon forms prescribed by
5 the Comptroller and sworn to by the applicant. Every application for a license shall
6 contain the following statements:

7 (13) (i) 2. The respective boards shall destroy the records obtained
8 under subparagraphs (ii), (iv), (v), (vi), [and] (vii), AND (VIII) of this paragraph upon
9 completion of its necessary use of the records;

10 (VIII) IN HARFORD COUNTY:

11 1. THE LIQUOR CONTROL BOARD SHALL:

12 A. OBTAIN CRIMINAL RECORDS OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES
13 LICENSE APPLICANTS FROM THE CRIMINAL JUSTICE INFORMATION SYSTEM
14 CENTRAL REPOSITORY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY AND
15 CORRECTIONAL SERVICES;

16 B. REQUIRE APPLICANTS FOR ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES
17 LICENSES IN THE COUNTY TO BE FINGERPRINTED; AND

18 C. FORWARD THE FINGERPRINTS THROUGH THE CRIMINAL
19 JUSTICE INFORMATION SYSTEM CENTRAL REPOSITORY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF
20 PUBLIC SAFETY AND CORRECTIONAL SERVICES FOR TRANSMITTAL TO THE
21 FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION FOR A NATIONAL CRIMINAL HISTORY
22 RECORDS CHECK; AND

23 2. APPLICANTS FOR LICENSE RENEWAL MAY NOT BE
24 SUBJECT TO THESE PROVISIONS.

25 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect
26 October 1, 1996.