Department of Fiscal Services

Maryland General Assembly

FISCAL NOTE

House Bill 582 (Charles County Delegation) Economic Matters

Charles County - Alcoholic Beverages (Unpaid Taxes)

This bill provides that the Charles County Treasurer, not the Office of the County Supervisor of Assessments, must certify that an applicant for an alcoholic beverages license in Charles County does not have any unpaid taxes due to the county or an incorporated municipality before an alcoholic beverages license may be issued. The bill also changes the certification requirements required for renewing or transferring a license. Before the Board of License Commissioners may renew or transfer a license, the Office of the County Supervisor of Assessments must certify the value of merchandise, fixtures, and stock-in-trade for the applicant's business. In addition, the County Treasurer must certify that there are no unpaid taxes due from the applicant.

Fiscal Summary

State Effect: None.

Local Effect: None. The Charles County Treasurer's Office and the Office of the County Supervisor of Assessments could meet the certification requirements with existing resources.

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