

BY: Economic Matters Committee

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL NO. 878

(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, in line 31, strike "MAY" and substitute "SHALL".

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 3, in line 19, strike "section" and substitute "SUBSECTION"; in line 25, strike "AUTOMATICALLY"; in line 30, after "(5)" insert "UNLESS REVOKED OR NOT RENEWED FOR GOOD CAUSE,"; in lines 30 and 31, strike "IN PERPETUITY, UNLESS REVOKED FOR GOOD CAUSE" and substitute "AND BE RENEWED, SUBJECT TO PAYMENT OF THE ANNUAL LICENSE FEE"; and in line 32, strike "WITHOUT THE APPROVAL OF THE BOARD".

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On pages 3 and 4, strike in their entirety the lines beginning with line 39 on page 3 through line 5 on page 4, inclusive.

AMENDMENT NO. 4

On page 5, in line 15, strike "AUTOMATICALLY"; in line 18, after "(IV)" insert "UNLESS REVOKED OR NOT RENEWED FOR GOOD CAUSE,"; in lines 18 and 19, strike "IN PERPETUITY, UNLESS REVOKED FOR GOOD CAUSE" and substitute "AND BE RENEWED, SUBJECT TO PAYMENT OF THE ANNUAL LICENSE FEE"; and after line 29, insert:

"(VII) THE MONTGOMERY COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES MAY NOT CHARGE AN ANNUAL FEE TO THE CLASS -TP LICENSEES UNTIL JANUARY 1, 1998.

(3) (I) NOTWITHSTANDING THAT CLASS -TP LICENSEES AS OF JULY 1, 1997 ARE SUBJECT TO MONTGOMERY COUNTY LAWS AND REGULATIONS, THOSE

(Over)

SAME LICENSEES MAY RETAIN THE PARTICULAR PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES LICENSE THEY POSSESSED PRIOR TO UNIFICATION.

(II) THE PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY LICENSE SHALL REMAIN VALID IN EVERY SENSE EXCEPT THAT IT DOES NOT APPLY TO THE LICENSED PREMISES TO WHICH THE CLASS -TP LICENSE APPLIES, BUT IS AN OPEN-LOCATION LICENSE. THE PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY LICENSEE MAY TRANSFER, TO ANOTHER PERSON OR TO A NEW LOCATION WITH THE SAME LICENSEE, THE LICENSE INTO PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY WITHOUT STATUTORY OR REGULATORY RESTRICTION.

(III) WHILE THE CLASS -TP LICENSEE REMAINS IN THE SAME LOCATION WHERE IT WAS LOCATED ON JULY 1, 1997, ANOTHER LICENSE ISSUED BY PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY MAY NOT BE GRANTED OR TRANSFERRED TO ANOTHER PRINCE GEORGE'S LICENSEE IF THE PREMISES FOR WHICH THAT LICENSE WAS ISSUED IS LOCATED WITHIN 300 FEET OF THE PREMISES LICENSED UNDER THE CLASS -TP LICENSE."