

**Department of Fiscal Services**  
Maryland General Assembly

**FISCAL NOTE**

House Bill 197 (Howard County Delegation)  
Economic Matters

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**Howard County - Alcoholic Beverages (1-Day License Fee)**  
**Ho. Co. 6-97**

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This bill increases the one-day license fee in Howard County for Class C beer or beer and wine licensees from \$5 to \$15.

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**Fiscal Summary**

**State Effect:** None.

**Local Effect:** Howard County revenues would increase by \$3,600 annually. No effect on expenditures.

**Small Business Effect:** Minimal. Although the bill increases the fee for one-day Class C beer or beer and wine licenses, it would not change the competitive marketplace in Howard County.

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**Fiscal Analysis**

**Local Revenues:** The Howard County Board of License Commissioners issues approximately 360 special and temporary licenses annually. The bill increases the daily license fee by \$10, leading to a \$3,600 annual revenue increase.

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**Information Source(s):** Howard County, Department of Fiscal Services

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