## **Department of Legislative Services**

Maryland General Assembly

## FISCAL NOTE

House Bill 716 (Charles County Delegation)

**Economic Matters** 

**Charles County - Alcoholic Beverages License - Application by Felon Prohibited** 

This bill requires a corporation in Charles County that is an applicant for an alcoholic beverages license to submit a signed statement that neither the applicant nor any stockholders of the corporation have been convicted of a felony. The bill exempts Class B beer, wine and liquor (BLX) luxury restaurant license applicants from this requirement. This is in addition to the current law requirement that an applicant for an alcoholic beverage license submit a signed statement that the applicant has never been convicted of a felony and has never been found guilty of any violation of alcoholic beverage or gambling laws.

## **Fiscal Summary**

State Effect: None.

**Local Effect:** None. Requiring an additional statement by a corporation in an application for an alcoholic beverage license would not directly affect Charles County finances.

Small Business Effect: None.

**Information Source(s):** Charles County, Department of Legislative Services

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