

Department of Legislative Services
Maryland General Assembly

FISCAL NOTE

Senate Bill 799 (Senator Dorman)

Economic and Environmental Affairs

Prince George's County - Alcoholic Beverages - Nudity and Sexual Displays
PG 322-98

This bill specifies that the prohibition against alcoholic beverages being brought, consumed, or transferred on premises which have entertainment containing nudity or sexual displays applies only to establishments which do not have an alcoholic beverages license. Under current law, the prohibition applies to any establishment that provides entertainment containing nudity or sexual displays.

The bill also provides a penalty of \$5,000 for each violation or imprisonment of up to one year, or both. Under current law, each violation carries a fine of \$5,000.

Fiscal Summary

State Effect: The civil\criminal penalty provisions of this bill are not expected to significantly affect State finances or operations.

Local Effect: The civil\criminal penalty provisions of this bill are not expected to significantly affect local finances or operations.

Small Business Effect: Minimal impact on small businesses.

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