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-- Economic Matters/Economic and Environmental Affairs --

Introduced by **Prince George's County Delegation**

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CHAPTER \_\_\_\_\_

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Prince George's County - Alcoholic Beverages - License Fees and Inspector**  
3 **Salaries**  
4 **PG 306-00**

5 FOR the purpose of increasing the annual fees for certain classes of alcoholic  
6 beverages licenses in Prince George's County; altering the salaries of certain  
7 inspectors in Prince George's County; and generally relating to alcoholic  
8 beverages license fees and inspector salaries in Prince George's County.

9 BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,  
10 Article 2B - Alcoholic Beverages  
11 Section 3-101(a), 3-201(a), 3-301(a), 3-401(a), 5-101(a), 5-201(a), 5-301(a),  
12 5-401(a), 6-101(a), 6-201(a), and 6-301(a)  
13 Annotated Code of Maryland  
14 (1998 Replacement Volume and 1999 Supplement)

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2 Article 2B - Alcoholic Beverages  
3 Section 3-101(r), 3-201(r), 3-301(r), 3-401(r), 5-101(r), 5-201(r), 5-301(r),  
4 5-401(r), 6-101(r), 6-201(r), 6-301(r), 8-409, 8-505, 8-702, ~~and 8-1001~~  
5 8-1001, and 15-112(r)(3)(iii)  
6 Annotated Code of Maryland  
7 (1998 Replacement Volume and 1999 Supplement)

8 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF  
9 MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

10 **Article 2B - Alcoholic Beverages**

11 3-101.

12 (a) (1) A Class A beer license shall be issued by the license issuing authority  
13 of the county in which the place of business is located. The holder of the license may  
14 keep for sale and sell beer at retail in any quantity to any consumers at the place  
15 described in the license. The holder shall deliver the beer in a sealed package or  
16 container, which may not be opened nor its contents consumed on the premises where  
17 sold.

18 (2) The annual fee for the license shall be paid to the local collecting  
19 agent before any license is issued, for distribution as provided.

20 (r) In Prince George's County the annual license fee is [~~\$200~~] \$220.

21 3-201.

22 (a) (1) A Class B license shall be issued by the license issuing authority of  
23 the county in which the place of business is located. The holder of the license may  
24 keep for sale and sell beer at retail at any hotel or restaurant at the place described in  
25 the license for consumption on the premises or elsewhere.

26 (2) The annual fee for the license shall be paid to the local collecting  
27 agent before any license is issued, for distribution as provided.

28 (r) (1) In Prince George's County the annual license fee is [~~\$300~~] \$330.

29 (2) Notwithstanding the provisions of subsection (a) of this section, the  
30 Board of License Commissioners for Prince George's County may not issue any Class  
31 B beer license with other than the privilege of selling beer for consumption on the  
32 licensed premises (on-sale only). However, licensees holding this class of license prior  
33 to July 1, 1975, who have been exercising the privilege of selling beer for consumption  
34 off the licensed premises may continue to exercise this privilege.

1 3-301.

2 (a) (1) A Class C beer license shall be issued by the local licensing authority  
3 of the county in which the place of business is located. The holder of the license may  
4 keep for sale and sell beer at retail to bona fide members and their guests, at any  
5 club, at the place described in the license for consumption on the premises only.

6 (2) The annual fee for the license shall be paid to the local collecting  
7 agent before any license is issued, for distribution as provided.

8 (r) In Prince George's County the annual license fee is [~~\$200~~] \$220.

9 3-401.

10 (a) (1) A Class D beer license shall be issued by the license issuing authority  
11 of the county in which the place of business is located. The holder of the license may  
12 keep for sale and sell beer at retail at the place described in the license. The beer may  
13 be consumed on the premises or elsewhere, but a license may not be issued for any  
14 drugstore.

15 (2) The annual fee for the license shall be paid to the local collecting  
16 agent before any license is issued, for distribution as provided.

17 (r) In Prince George's County the annual license fee is [~~\$300~~] \$330.

18 5-101.

19 (a) (1) A Class A beer and light wine license shall be issued by the license  
20 issuing authority of the county in which the place of business is located. The holder of  
21 the license may keep for sale and sell beer and light wines at retail, in any quantity to  
22 any consumers, at the place described in the license. The holder shall deliver the beer  
23 and light wines in a sealed package or container, which package or container may not  
24 be opened nor its contents consumed on the premises where sold.

25 (2) The annual fee for the license shall be paid to the local collecting  
26 agent before any license is issued, for distribution as provided.

27 (r) In Prince George's County the annual license fee is [~~\$200~~] \$220.

28 5-201.

29 (a) (1) A Class B beer and light wine license shall be issued by the license  
30 issuing authority of the county in which the place of business is located. The holder  
31 may keep for sale and sell beer and light wines at retail at any hotel or restaurant, at  
32 the place described in the license, for consumption on the premises or elsewhere.

33 (2) The annual fee shall be paid to the local collecting agent before any  
34 license is issued.

35 (r) (1) This subsection applies only in Prince George's County.

1           (2)     The annual license fee is [\$300] \$330.

2           (3)     (i)     Notwithstanding the provisions of subsection (a) of this section,  
3 the Board of License Commissioners may not issue any Class B beer and light wine  
4 license with other than the privilege of selling beer and light wine for consumption on  
5 the licensed premises (on-sale only).

6                   (ii)     However, licensees holding this class of license prior to July 1,  
7 1975, who have been exercising the privilege of selling alcoholic beverages for  
8 consumption off the licensed premises may continue to exercise this privilege.

9           (4)     (i)     There is a Class B-Stadium beer and light wine license.

10                   (ii)     The annual license fee is [\$2,000] \$2,200.

11                   (iii)     The license is a special 7-day Class B-Stadium (baseball  
12 stadium) license for on-sale consumption only for exclusive use on the premises of a  
13 baseball stadium owned or operated by the Maryland-National Capital Park and  
14 Planning Commission.

15                   (iv)     The license may be issued either to the Maryland-National  
16 Capital Park and Planning Commission or to a private concessionaire that is under  
17 contract with the Commission.

18                   (v)     Alcoholic beverages may be sold only by employees who are 18  
19 years old or older.

20                   (vi)     The residency requirement specified by § 9-101 of this article  
21 does not apply to an applicant for a Class B-Stadium license.

22                   (vii)     Any profit from the sale of beer or light wine made by the  
23 licensee may accrue to the benefit and use of either the Commission or the  
24 concessionaire.

25 5-301.

26     (a)     (1)     A Class C beer and light wine license shall be issued by the license  
27 issuing authority of the county in which the place of business is located. The holder of  
28 the license may keep for sale and sell beer and light wines at retail to bona fide  
29 members and their guests, at any club, at the place described in the license, for  
30 consumption on the premises only.

31                   (2)     The annual fee for the license shall be paid to the local collecting  
32 agent before any license is issued, for distribution as provided.

33     (r)     In Prince George's County the annual license fee is [\$200] \$220.

34 5-401.

35     (a)     (1)     A Class D beer and light wine license shall be issued by the license  
36 issuing authority of the county in which the place of business is located. The license

1 authorizes its holder to keep for sale and to sell beer and light wines at retail, at the  
2 place described in the license, for consumption on the premises or elsewhere. The  
3 license may not be issued for any drugstore.

4 (2) The annual fee shall be paid to the local collecting agent before any  
5 license is issued, for distribution as provided in this article.

6 (r) In Prince George's County the annual license fee is [~~\$300~~] \$330.

7 6-101.

8 (a) (1) A Class A beer, wine and liquor license shall be issued by the license  
9 issuing authority of the county in which the place of business is located. The license  
10 authorizes the holder to keep for sale and to sell all alcoholic beverages at retail, in  
11 any quantity, at the place described in the license. The licensee shall deliver the  
12 alcoholic beverages in a sealed package or container and the package or container  
13 may not be opened nor its contents consumed on the premises where sold.

14 (2) The annual license fee shall be paid to the local collecting agent  
15 before the license is issued, for distribution as provided.

16 (3) A license may not be issued for any drugstore unless the applicant:

17 (i) Has been doing business at the location applied for, for at least  
18 1 year prior to the date of the application for the license;

19 (ii) Is the assignee of a business established for that length of time  
20 at the location applied for; or

21 (iii) Has been actually engaged in the retail drug business for a  
22 period of not less than 3 years.

23 (r) In Prince George's County the annual license fee is [~~\$750~~] \$825.

24 6-201.

25 (a) (1) A Class B beer, wine and liquor license shall be issued by the license  
26 issuing authority of the county in which the place of business is located, and the  
27 license authorizes its holder to keep for sale and sell all alcoholic beverages at retail  
28 at any hotel or restaurant at the place described, for consumption on the premises or  
29 elsewhere, or as provided in this section.

30 (2) The annual fee for this license is payable to the local collecting agent  
31 before any license is issued, for distribution as provided in this article.

32 (3) (i) Except in Montgomery County or in the case of a contrary  
33 provision in this subtitle, this license shall be issued, on approval of the application by  
34 the board of license commissioners in any county in which a license may be issued for  
35 the sale of beer, wine, and liquor, to the owner of any hotel which meets the following  
36 minimum provisions:

1                                   1.       The hotel building shall be originally constructed for hotel  
2 purposes; be at least three stories in height; and contain at least one passenger  
3 elevator;

4                                   2.       The hotel shall contain no less than 100 rooms for the  
5 accommodation of the public;

6                                   3.       The hotel shall contain a dining room with facilities for  
7 preparing and serving regular meals for at least 125 persons at one seating; and

8                                   4.       The capital investment in the hotel facility may not be less  
9 than \$500,000.

10                               (ii)     The annual fee for this license is \$2,000.

11       (r)     (1)     (i)     This subsection applies only in Prince George's County.

12                               (ii)     1.       In this subsection the following words have the meanings  
13 indicated.

14                               2.       "Board" means the Board of License Commissioners.

15                               3.       "Restaurant" means any establishment:

16                               A.       Located in a permanent building with ample space and  
17 accommodations commonly known as a restaurant where hot meals are habitually  
18 prepared, sold and served to the public during the hours it is regularly open for  
19 business;

20                               B.       Having at least the minimum sanitary facilities required  
21 for an establishment by the regulations of the county health department and shall  
22 meet the minimum health requirements of these regulations;

23                               C.       Having a dining area or areas with sufficient tables,  
24 chairs or booths to comfortably seat and accommodate patrons;

25                               D.       Equipped with a kitchen having complete facilities and  
26 utensils for preparing hot and cold meals to the public;

27                               E.       Employing a sufficient number of cooks, waiters or  
28 waitresses to serve the number of patrons provided for in the dining area or areas;  
29 and

30                               F.       Maintaining and displaying a menu advertising the  
31 serving of a variety of hot meals. There shall be on the premises at all times sufficient  
32 food to fill orders made from the menu.

33                               (2)     (i)     1.       The annual license fee is [\$1,200] \$1,320.



1 theatrical productions, social receptions, and any bona fide entertainment conducted  
2 by any club, society or association, or for any bona fide religious, fraternal, civic, war  
3 veterans, hospital or charitable organizations upon payment of a license fee of [\$50]  
4 \$55 per day for the period of this license.

5 (ii) At least one officer of the corporation or the concessionaire,  
6 whichever applies for the license, shall be a resident of the State of Maryland. The  
7 residency requirements specified in § 9-101 of this article as it pertains to Prince  
8 George's County do not apply to an issuance, renewal or transfer of this license.

9 (4) (i) There is a special Class B license known as Class BH, which  
10 may be issued only to hotels.

11 (ii) The annual license fee is [~~\$3,500~~] \$3,850.

12 (iii) In this paragraph "hotel" means an establishment:

13 1. Which is recognized as a hotel for the accommodation of  
14 the public providing services ordinarily found in hotels;

15 2. Which is equipped with:

16 A. Not less than 45 bedrooms;

17 B. A lobby with registration and mail desk and seating  
18 facilities; and

19 C. A dining room with facilities for preparing and serving  
20 regular meals;

21 3. Where the average daily receipts from the hire of rooms  
22 and the sale of food exceeds the average daily receipts from the sale of alcoholic  
23 beverages; and

24 4. Where the capital investment in the facility, including the  
25 building or buildings and all fixtures and systems contained therein and components  
26 thereof, parking compound, swimming pool and other recreational areas, landscaping,  
27 site preparation and improvements and infrastructure, engineering, architectural  
28 and other similar costs but excluding the cost of land furnishings and removable  
29 equipment and personal property, is not less than \$30,000 per bedroom.

30 (iv) Class BH licenses are subject to all other provisions pertaining  
31 to Class B beer, wine and liquor licenses, except that any restrictions against the sale  
32 of alcoholic beverages on Sunday appearing in § 11-517 of this article and elsewhere  
33 in this article do not apply; and any alcoholic beverages may not be sold, served or  
34 consumed on the licensed premises on Sunday after 2 a.m. and before 12 noon.

35 (v) 1. In addition to the other privileges granted under this  
36 paragraph, a holder of a Class BH beer, wine and liquor (on-sale) license for hotel use

1 may sell alcoholic beverages in sealed containers to hotel guests who are 21 years of  
2 age or older if:

3                                   A.       The alcoholic beverages, other than beer and wine, are  
4 sold in sealed containers of under 200 milliliters;

5                                   B.       The alcoholic beverages are sold from locked prestocked  
6 private bars located within individual guest rooms; and

7                                   C.       The charges for the alcoholic beverages sold are indicated  
8 on the respective guest room bill.

9                                   2.       If a room is rented to a guest under 21 years of age, the  
10 hotel management is responsible for removing the bar key from the room.

11                               (vi)     Notwithstanding the provisions of § 9-102 of this article or  
12 other provisions of this article, an individual, partnership, or corporation may not  
13 hold or have an interest in more than four Class BH licenses.

14                               (vii)    The Board shall adopt regulations to establish compliance with  
15 the provisions of this paragraph.

16                               (5)     (i)       There is a special Sunday "on-sale" permit.

17                               (ii)     The annual fee for a special Sunday "on-sale" permit is [\$700]  
18 \$770, which is in addition to the annual fee for the Class B beer, wine and liquor  
19 license to which it is attached.

20                               (iii)    1.       The Board may issue to the holders of a Class B beer, wine  
21 and liquor license who meet the qualifications specified in paragraph (2) of this  
22 subsection a special Sunday "on-sale" permit to allow the holder to keep for sale and  
23 to sell at retail beer, wine and liquor on Sunday for consumption on the licensed  
24 premises.

25                               2.       Sales may be made between the hours of 12 noon and 2  
26 a.m. the following day.

27                               3.       The average daily receipts from the sale of food shall equal  
28 40 percent of the total daily receipts from the sale of "on-sale" food and alcoholic  
29 beverages in the establishments where it is proposed to locate this permit, and the  
30 ratio of food sales to the sale of alcoholic beverages has been maintained for at least 6  
31 months prior to the application for this permit. For a newly licensed establishment  
32 the Board may immediately authorize the issuance of a special Sunday "on-sale"  
33 permit if in the opinion of the Board and upon good cause shown the newly licensed  
34 establishment meets the specifications of paragraph (2) of this subsection pertaining  
35 to the preparation, serving and sale of food and if the holder of the license complies  
36 with the provisions of this paragraph. Applicants for a special Sunday "on-sale"  
37 permit shall furnish the Board with any proof it considers necessary indicating the  
38 qualifications of the establishment to be issued this permit.

1 (iv) The holder of a special Sunday "on-sale" permit is subject to all  
2 other provisions of this article pertaining to Class B beer, wine and liquor licenses,  
3 except that any restrictions on the sale of alcoholic beverages on Sunday appearing in  
4 § 11-517 of this article and elsewhere may not apply. Holders of this permit shall  
5 submit to the Board, from time to time at regular intervals to be established by the  
6 Board, a statement indicating in detail the ratio of food sales to the sales of alcoholic  
7 beverages. If the average daily receipts from the sale of food fail for 3 successive  
8 months to equal 40 percent of the total daily receipts from the sale of food and  
9 alcoholic beverages, the Board shall cancel this permit. Class B beer, wine and liquor  
10 licensees with a special Sunday "on-sale" permit and Class BH licensees may sell  
11 beer, wine and liquor by the drink from the bar or a cocktail lounge to persons on the  
12 licensed premises.

13 (v) The Board may adopt regulations it considers necessary  
14 relating to the issuance, suspension, and cancellation of these permits in furtherance  
15 of this subsection.

16 (6) (i) There is a Class BLX license, which is a special Class B license.

17 (ii) The annual license fee is [\$2,500] \$2,750.

18 (iii) 1. Class BLX licenses may be issued only to luxury type  
19 restaurants, a term which shall be defined by the regulations of the Board.

20 2. The restaurant shall have a minimum capital investment  
21 of \$800,000 for dining room facilities and kitchen equipment, which sum may not  
22 include the cost of land, buildings or a lease.

23 3. The restaurant shall have a minimum seating capacity of  
24 100 persons.

25 4. The Board has complete discretion as to whom these  
26 licenses may be issued, the number to be issued, and whether an existing license  
27 holder of an alcoholic beverages license may also have an interest in one Class BLX  
28 license.

29 5. Subject to sub-subparagraphs 6, 7, and 8 of this  
30 subsection, an individual or corporation may hold not more than 6 Class BLX  
31 licenses.

32 6. A license holder may be issued a fifth BLX license only if  
33 the date of application for a fifth license is at least 1 year after the date the license  
34 holder was issued the fourth license.

35 7. A license holder may be issued a sixth BLX license only if  
36 the date of application for a sixth license is at least 1 year after the date the license  
37 holder was issued the fifth license.







- 1 IV. Exemplifies the cultural, economic, industrial, social,  
2 political, or historical heritage of the community; or
- 3 V. Embodies the distinctive characteristics of a type, period,  
4 or method of construction; or
- 5 VI. Represents an established and familiar visual feature of  
6 the neighborhood, community, or County due to its singular physical characteristic or  
7 landscape; and
- 8 VII. Possesses high artistic values; or
- 9 C. A building that has been constructed or reconstructed on a  
10 site that is classified as a historic site in the historic sites and districts' plan for Prince  
11 George's County, and that meets the criteria of parts B. IV, B. V, and B. VII of this  
12 paragraph.
- 13 2. In addition to the criteria in sub-subparagraph 1 of this  
14 subparagraph, a country inn must meet all the following criteria:
- 15 A. The exterior of the building must give the appearance of  
16 appropriate age.
- 17 B. The grounds must include appropriate landscaping,  
18 gardens, and appurtenances.
- 19 C. Except for restrooms, the interior of the building in all  
20 areas open to the public must be decorated and furnished in the style appropriate to  
21 the period in which the building was constructed, or the period the building was  
22 constructed to exemplify. However, electric lighting may be used if the lighting  
23 fixtures are of a style compatible with the decor of the inn.
- 24 D. The employees of the country inn who regularly and  
25 customarily are in view of patrons in the dining area must be attired in clothing or  
26 costume appropriate to the period exemplified by the inn.
- 27 E. Any entertainment provided by the country inn must  
28 exemplify the kind of entertainment typical of the period represented by the inn.
- 29 3. The Board may adopt regulations that specify additional  
30 standards and criteria not inconsistent with this section.
- 31 (v) The Board may determine to whom these licenses shall be  
32 issued, the number to be issued, and whether an existing license holder of an alcoholic  
33 beverages license in Prince George's County may also have an interest in one Class  
34 B-CI license.
- 35 (vi) A licensee may not hold more than two Class B-CI licenses.

1 (vii) Class B-CI licenses are limited and restricted to the purpose of  
2 providing alcoholic beverages for consumption on the licensed premises only, with no  
3 off-sale privileges to be exercised therewith.

4 (viii) The Board may not issue more than two Class B-CI licenses.

5 (11) (i) There is a Class [B/ECR] B-ECR license.

6 (ii) The annual license fee is [\$2,000] \$2,200.

7 (iii) In this paragraph "Commission" means the Maryland-National  
8 Capital Park and Planning Commission.

9 (iv) 1. The Board may issue a special 7-day Class B-ECR  
10 (Equestrian Center restaurant) on-sale beer, wine and liquor license for the exclusive  
11 use on the premises of the Commission's Equestrian Center restaurant located within  
12 Prince George's County.

13 2. The special 7-day Class B-ECR on-sale beer, wine and  
14 liquor license authorizes the sale of beer, wine, and liquor by the drink for  
15 consumption on the restaurant premises by the holder or a private concessionaire  
16 under contract with the holder to operate the licensed premises.

17 (v) 1. A special 7-day Class B-ECR on-sale beer, wine and  
18 liquor license shall be issued to the Commission for use in the Commission's  
19 Equestrian Center restaurant upon the Commission's making application and  
20 qualifying as a license holder under this article.

21 2. The residency requirement under § 9-101 of this article  
22 does not apply to an applicant for this license under this paragraph.

23 (vi) Any profit made from the sale of beer, wine, and liquor by the  
24 holder of a license issued pursuant to this paragraph may be for the use and benefit  
25 of the Commission.

26 (12) (i) There is a Class B-ECF/DS license.

27 (ii) The annual license fee is [\$4,000] \$4,400.

28 (iii) The Board may issue a special Class B beer, wine and liquor  
29 (on-sale) license known as a Class B-Education Conference Facility/Dining Service  
30 license (Class B-ECF/DS license).

31 (iv) A Class B-ECF/DS license may only be issued to an individual  
32 who is:

33 1. Authorized by the University of Maryland, College Park to  
34 act on its behalf under this license and be subject to the conditions, restrictions, and  
35 penalties under this article; and

36 2. A resident and registered voter of Prince George's County.

1 (v) The residency requirement under § 9-101 of this article does  
2 not apply to a license applicant under this paragraph.

3 (vi) A Class B-ECF/DS license authorizes the holder to sell beer,  
4 wine, and liquor from multiple designated outlets on the University's campus only at  
5 University-related functions catered by the Department of Dining Services.

6 (vii) 1. A Class B-ECF/DS license is restricted to on-sale  
7 privileges only.

8 2. Any alcoholic beverages purchased at a designated outlet  
9 shall be consumed within the confines of that outlet and may not be transported to  
10 another outlet.

11 (viii) All profits from the retail sale of alcoholic beverages under this  
12 paragraph shall be deposited in the Dining Services Income Fund of the University of  
13 Maryland.

14 (ix) The Board:

15 1. May regulate the manner in which alcoholic beverages are  
16 dispensed under a Class B-ECF/DS license;

17 2. Prior to the issuance of this license, shall designate the  
18 exact campus locations for the outlets for the sale of alcoholic beverages under this  
19 license;

20 3. Shall maintain a map and description of the designated  
21 outlets for verification upon the renewal of this license;

22 4. Shall require the Department of Dining Services of the  
23 University of Maryland, College Park to report to the Board at least 5 days in advance  
24 of all University-related catered functions at which beer, wine, or liquor is intended  
25 to be sold or served; and

26 5. Shall process this license in the same manner as any other  
27 license issued by the Board.

28 (x) The hours and days of sale under this license are as provided  
29 under § 11-517 of this article.

30 (xi) The restriction on the distance between the location of a school  
31 and an alcoholic beverages licensed premises does not apply to a Class B-ECF/DS  
32 license.

33 (xii) The general prohibition on the number of alcoholic beverages  
34 licenses for the same person or premises does not apply to a Class B-ECF/DS license.

35 (13) (i) There is a Class B beer, wine and liquor stadium license.

36 (ii) The annual license fee is [\$18,000] \$19,800.

1 (iii) This license entitles the holder to sell beer, wine and liquor by  
2 the drink and by the bottle, from one or more outlets, for consumption on the licensed  
3 premises only.

4 (iv) This is a 7-day license.

5 (v) This license may be exercised only at the Redskins Stadium at  
6 Rajon.

7 6-301.

8 (a) (1) A Class C beer, wine and liquor license shall be issued by the license  
9 issuing authority of the county in which the place of business is located. It authorizes  
10 the holder to keep for sale and sell all alcoholic beverages at retail at any club, at the  
11 place described in the license, for consumption on the premises only.

12 (2) The annual fee for the license shall be paid to the local collecting  
13 agent before the license is issued, for distribution as provided.

14 (3) In this section, "Board" means the Board of Commissioners for the  
15 jurisdiction to which the subsection applies.

16 (r) (1) This subsection applies only in Prince George's County.

17 (2) (i) There is a veterans' license.

18 (ii) The annual license fee is [~~\$750~~] \$825.

19 (iii) The license shall be issued to any local unit of a nationwide  
20 bona fide nonprofit organization or club that:

21 1. Is composed solely of members who served in the armed  
22 forces of the United States in any war in which the United States has engaged;

23 2. Has a charter from a national veterans' organization prior  
24 to the time of making application for the license;

25 3. Has a bona fide membership of not less than 100 persons  
26 and dues of not less than \$5 per year per person;

27 4. Operates solely for the use of its own members and their  
28 guests when accompanied by such members; and

29 5. Meets in a clubhouse principally used for no other  
30 purpose.

31 (iv) The licensee is subject to all other provisions of this article  
32 relating to beer, wine and liquor licenses, Class C, in force and effect in Prince  
33 George's County.

34 (3) (i) There is a fraternal/sororal/service license.

- 1                   (ii)     The annual license fee is [~~\$750~~] \$825.
- 2                   (iii)     A license may be issued to any local unit of a lodge or chapter of  
3 any bona fide nonprofit and nationwide fraternal or service organization that:
- 4                   1.        Is composed solely of members duly elected and initiated  
5 in accordance with the rites and customs of the fraternal, sororal, or service  
6 organization;
- 7                   2.        Is in existence and operating in Prince George's County  
8 prior to the time of making application for the license;
- 9                   3.        Has a bona fide membership of not less than 100 persons  
10 and dues of not less than \$5 per year per person; and
- 11                  4.        Owns or operates a home or clubhouse principally for the  
12 use of its members and their guests when accompanied by the members, and not  
13 directly or indirectly owned or operated as a public business.
- 14                  (iv)     The licensee may keep for sale and sell at retail any alcoholic  
15 beverages to any member or guest when accompanied by a member for consumption  
16 on the licensed premises.
- 17                  (v)     The licensee is subject to all the provisions of this article  
18 relating to beer, wine and liquor licenses, Class C, in force and effect in Prince  
19 George's County, except that restrictions on the sale of alcoholic beverages on Sunday  
20 found in § 11-517 of this article and elsewhere do not apply.
- 21                  (vi)     The licensee may permit persons who have leased a private  
22 room or other area of the licensed premises for a private social gathering to bring  
23 beer, wine, and liquor onto the licensed premises, provided that it is consumed on the  
24 premises.
- 25           (4)     (i)     There is a special Class C (yacht club) license in Prince George's  
26 County.
- 27                   (ii)     The annual license fee is [~~\$1,300~~] \$1,430.
- 28                   (iii)     A license may be issued to a yacht club that:
- 29                   1.        Has 50 or more bona fide members paying dues of not less  
30 than \$75 per year per member;
- 31                   2.        That maintains at the time of application for the license a  
32 clubhouse with a seating capacity sufficient to accommodate at one time at least 100  
33 persons;
- 34                   3.        Has slips or berths for 75 boats or more; and
- 35                   4.        Has at least 5 acres of ground.

1 (iv) The licensee may keep for sale and sell at retail any alcoholic  
2 beverages, to any member or guest when accompanied by a member at the place  
3 described in the license.

4 (v) Alcoholic beverages may be consumed on the licensed premises  
5 only.

6 (vi) The licensee is subject to all the provisions of this article  
7 relating to beer, wine and liquor licenses, Class C, in force and effect in Prince  
8 George's County. Restrictions on the sale of alcoholic beverages on Sunday found in §  
9 11-517 of this article and elsewhere do not apply.

10 (vii) The application for license filed on behalf of any such yacht club  
11 shall be signed by at least one officer of the club, who shall be a resident, registered  
12 voter, and taxpayer of Prince George's County.

13 (5) (i) There is a special Class C (golf and country club) license.

14 (ii) The annual license fee is [\$1,500] \$1,650.

15 (iii) The license may be issued to any golf and country club that:

16 1. Has:

17 A. 200 or more bona fide members paying dues of not less  
18 than \$75 per year per member; and

19 B. Maintains at the time of application for the license two or  
20 more tennis courts, a swimming pool at least 30 by 80 feet in size, and a regular or  
21 championship golf course of 9 holes or more; or

22 2. Has:

23 A. 500 or more bona fide dues-paying members; and

24 B. Maintains at the time of the application for the license a  
25 regular or championship golf course of 18 holes or more.

26 (iv) The licensee may keep for sale and sell at retail any alcoholic  
27 beverages, to any customer at the place described in the license.

28 (v) The alcoholic beverages may be consumed on or off its premises.

29 (vi) The application for the license shall be signed by at least one  
30 officer of the club, who shall be a resident, registered voter, and taxpayer.

31 (vii) 1. The license is subject to all the provisions of this article.

32 2. Any restrictions against the sale of alcoholic beverages on  
33 Sundays, appearing elsewhere in this article, do not apply to any licensee holding the  
34 special Class C (golf and country club) license. Sales on Sunday under the license

1 shall be made only to the bona fide members of the golf and country club and to guests  
2 of those members for consumption on the premises and the grounds of the club used  
3 in connection with the club.

4                   (6)     (i)       There is a special Class C (country club) license.

5                               (ii)      The annual license fee is \$1,000.

6                               (iii)     The license may be issued to a country club meeting the  
7 requirements specified in paragraph (5) of this subsection other than the  
8 requirements for a regular or championship golf course of 9 holes or more. Instead,  
9 the club shall have, in addition to the other requirements, not less than 15 acres of  
10 ground for the licensed premises and used in connection therewith. Licensees are  
11 subject to restrictions appearing in § 11-517 of this article as to sale of alcoholic  
12 beverages on Sunday.

13                           (iv)      Alcoholic beverages may not be consumed off their premises or  
14 on the grounds of the club.

15                   (7)     (i)       There is a special Class C (concession) beer, wine and liquor  
16 license.

17                               (ii)      The annual license fee is [\$1,500] \$1,650. The fee shall be paid  
18 prior to its issuance, regardless of any terms or conditions in any contractual  
19 agreement between the concessionaire and Prince George's County.

20                               (iii)     The license may be issued to any person operating a concession  
21 subject to contractual agreement with Prince George's County on the premises of any  
22 golf and country club or country club owned by Prince George's County.

23                               (iv)      The concessionaire holding this license may keep for sale and  
24 sell at retail any alcoholic beverages by the drink or the bottle for consumption on the  
25 premises only.

26                               (v)      The concessionaire may be any natural person, association,  
27 firm, partnership, or corporation approved as such by the County Council and shall be  
28 a resident of the State of Maryland.

29                               (vi)     The Board shall regulate the manner of dispensing alcoholic  
30 beverages, and shall authorize the number of outlets permitted to dispense alcoholic  
31 beverages on the licensed premises.

32 8-409.

33     (a)     (1)      In Prince George's County, the Board of License Commissioners may  
34 approve the issuance of a wine tasting (WT) alcoholic beverages license.

35                   (2)      The license is issued only to holders of a beer, wine and liquor (BWL)  
36 or a beer and wine (BW) license.

1           (3)     The license permits the consumption of wine, containing not more  
2 than 14 percent of alcohol by volume, for tasting or sampling purposes only.

3           (4)     The licensee may not serve more than 1 ounce from each given brand  
4 to any one person.

5           (5)     The annual license fee:

6                   (i)     For holders of a BWL license, is [\$100] \$110 in addition to the  
7 cost of the BWL license; and

8                   (ii)    For holders of a BW license, is [\$100] \$110 in addition to the  
9 cost of the BW license.

10   (b)     The Prince George's County Board of License Commissioners may adopt  
11 rules or regulations providing additional requirements to implement this section.

12 8-505.

13   (a)     (1)     In this section the following words have the meanings indicated.

14                   (2)     "Board" means the Prince George's County Board of License  
15 Commissioners.

16                   (3)     "Commission" means the Maryland-National Capital Park and  
17 Planning Commission.

18   (b)     (1)     The Board may issue special 7-day Class B-GC (golf course) on-sale  
19 beer and wine licenses for the exclusive use on the premises of the Commission's golf  
20 courses located within Prince George's County.

21                   (2)     The special 7-day Class B-GC on-sale beer and wine license  
22 authorizes the holder to sell beer and wine from 1 or more outlets for consumption on  
23 the premises of the golf course.

24                   (3)     (i)     A separate license is required for each applicable golf course.

25                           (ii)    A special 7-day Class B-GC on-sale beer and wine license shall  
26 be issued to each of the managers of the Commission's golf courses upon making  
27 application and qualifying as a license holder under this article.

28                   (4)     (i)     Except as provided in this subsection, the hours of sale for beer  
29 and wine under this license are from 11 a.m. to 10 p.m. daily, Monday through  
30 Sunday.

31                           (ii)    The Commission may:

32                                   1.     Reduce the hours of sale of beer and wine under this  
33 license; and



1 (h) The Board of License Commissioners shall determine the number of Class  
2 B-DH (draffhouse) licenses to be issued.

3 8-1001.

4 (a) In this section, "district" means:

5 (1) A designated Maryland main street with a local management  
6 authority;

7 (2) A designated revitalization area; or

8 (3) An area with a revitalization plan that has been adopted locally.

9 (b) This section applies only in Prince George's County.

10 (c) There is a Class B-RD license.

11 (d) (1) A Class B-RD (revitalization district) license shall be issued by the  
12 office where Class B licenses are issued in the County.

13 (2) The license authorizes the holder to keep for sale and sell liquor at  
14 retail in any premises licensed for Class B-RD sales.

15 (3) Only on-sale consumption is permitted.

16 (e) The annual license fee is [~~\$600~~] \$660.

17 (f) All applicants for this license shall:

18 (1) Be located and remain within a district;

19 (2) Have gross sales:

20 (i) That do not exceed \$150,000 per year; and

21 (ii) Of which at least 80 percent are derived from the sale of food;  
22 and

23 (3) Be primarily a restaurant at which patrons are seated to eat.

24 (g) The hours and days for sale are as provided in § 11-517(k) of this article.

25 (h) The Board of License Commissioners shall determine the number of Class  
26 B-RD (revitalization district) licenses to be issued.

27 15-112.

28 (r) (3) (iii) Each part-time inspector shall receive an annual salary of not  
29 less than [~~\$9,270~~] \$9,976.

1 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take  
2 effect October 1, 2000.