
By: **Delegates Conway, Bozman, McClenahan, and Cane**
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A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Wicomico County - Liquor Dispensaries - Chilled Beer**

3 FOR the purpose of authorizing the Wicomico County liquor dispensaries to sell
4 chilled beer; and generally relating to the County liquor dispensaries of
5 Wicomico County.

6 BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,
7 Article 2B - Alcoholic Beverages
8 Section 15-203(a)(1)
9 Annotated Code of Maryland
10 (1998 Replacement Volume and 1999 Supplement)

11 BY adding to
12 Article 2B - Alcoholic Beverages
13 Section 15-203(e-1)
14 Annotated Code of Maryland
15 (1998 Replacement Volume and 1999 Supplement)

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

18 **Article 2B - Alcoholic Beverages**

19 15-203.

20 (a) (1) The liquor control boards may establish and maintain stores to be
21 known as "county liquor dispensaries", for the sale of any sparkling or fortified wine
22 and any other alcoholic beverages containing more than 14 percent of alcohol by
23 volume, in sealed packages or containers. These packages or containers may not be
24 opened nor their contents consumed upon the premises where sold.

25 (E-1) IN WICOMICO COUNTY, THE COUNTY LIQUOR DISPENSARIES MAY SELL
26 CHILLED BEER.

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