
By: **Delegate C. Davis**
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Assigned to: Rules and Executive Nominations

A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Baltimore City - Board of Liquor License Commissioners - Salaries**

3 FOR the purpose of increasing by a certain amount the annual salaries of the
4 chairman and other members of the Board of Liquor License Commissioners for
5 Baltimore City; providing that this Act does not apply to the salary or
6 compensation of the incumbent chairman or other members of the Board of
7 Liquor License Commissioners for Baltimore City; and generally relating to the
8 Board of Liquor License Commissioners for Baltimore City.

9 BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,
10 Article 2B - Alcoholic Beverages
11 Section 15-109(a)
12 Annotated Code of Maryland
13 (1998 Replacement Volume and 1999 Supplement)

14 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
15 Article 2B - Alcoholic Beverages
16 Section 15-109(d)
17 Annotated Code of Maryland
18 (1998 Replacement Volume and 1999 Supplement)

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

21 **Article 2B - Alcoholic Beverages**

22 15-109.

23 (a) The salaries of the members of the boards of license commissioners are
24 specified in this section. Where no salary is specified for those boards which serve ex
25 officio, the members may not receive additional compensation under the provisions of
26 this section.

27 (d) In Baltimore City:

1 (1) The chairman of the Board shall receive an annual salary of
2 [\$18,500] \$25,000, and the other members of the Board shall receive an annual salary
3 of [\$18,000] \$24,500.

4 (2) The Board shall appoint an executive secretary and a deputy
5 executive secretary whose salaries shall be fixed by the Board, subject to approval by
6 the State Comptroller.

7 (3) The executive secretary and the deputy executive secretary shall be
8 residents of Baltimore City and of high character and integrity.

9 (4) The executive secretary and the deputy executive secretary shall be
10 appointed upon the basis of their executive skill and ability and once appointed shall
11 hold office during good behavior regardless of changes in members constituting the
12 Board. They shall be removed only for incompetency or immorality upon charges
13 furnished in writing by the Board setting forth the grounds for dismissal and after
14 opportunity for hearing.

15 (5) Either the executive secretary or the deputy executive secretary shall
16 be a member of the Bar of this State.

17 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That, pursuant to Article III,
18 Section 35 of the Constitution of Maryland, this Act may not be construed to extend or
19 apply to the salary or compensation of the chairman or other members of the Board of
20 Liquor License Commissioners for Baltimore City in office on the effective date of this
21 Act, but the provisions of this Act concerning the salary or compensation of the
22 chairman and other members of the Board of Liquor License Commissioners for
23 Baltimore City shall take effect at the beginning of the next following term of office.

24 SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect
25 October 1, 2000.