

BY: Economic Matters Committee

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL NO. 145

(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in line 6, after “license;” insert “placing certain restrictions on the way wine is sold and displayed;”.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, in line 1, after “(C)” insert “A HOLDER OF”; strike beginning with “ENTITLES” in line 1 down through “COUNTY” in line 3 and substitute “SHALL ONLY DISPLAY AND SELL WINE:”

(1) THAT IS:

(I) MANUFACTURED AND PROCESSED IN ANY STATE;

(II) PRICE FILED IN ACCORDANCE WITH REGULATIONS ADOPTED BY THE COMPTROLLER; AND

(III) DISTRIBUTED IN THE STATE AT THE TIME THE APPLICATION IS FILED;

(2) AT RETAIL FOR CONSUMPTION ON OR OFF THE LICENSED PREMISES ON THE DAYS AND FOR THE HOURS DESIGNATED FOR THE FESTIVAL; AND

(3) THAT IS MANUFACTURED AND PROCESSED IN ANY STATE AT RETAIL FOR CONSUMPTION OFF THE LICENSED PREMISES ON THE DAYS AND HOURS DESIGNATED FOR THE FESTIVAL”;

(Over)

in line 5, strike "LICENSEE" and substitute "HOLDER OF A SPECIAL WF LICENSE"; in line 9, strike "AND"; in line 11, strike "DOES" and substitute "IS"; in the same line, strike "HOLD AN ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES LICENSE" and substitute "LICENSED UNDER THIS ARTICLE;
AND

(3) SHALL ENSURE THAT THE PRIMARY FOCUS OF THE FESTIVAL IS THE PROMOTION OF MARYLAND WINE".