
By: **Frederick County Delegation**

Introduced and read first time: January 30, 2002

Assigned to: Economic Matters

A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Frederick County - Alcoholic Beverages - Class B Licenses in Middletown**

3 FOR the purpose of authorizing the Board of License Commissioners for Frederick
4 County to issue certain Class B (on-sale) alcoholic beverages licenses within the
5 municipal boundaries of the municipal corporation of Middletown if a certain
6 condition is met; making certain stylistic changes; and generally relating to
7 alcoholic beverages licenses in Frederick County.

8 BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,
9 Article 2B - Alcoholic Beverages
10 Section 8-211(a)
11 Annotated Code of Maryland
12 (2001 Replacement Volume)

13 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
14 Article 2B - Alcoholic Beverages
15 Section 8-211(b), (c), and (d)
16 Annotated Code of Maryland
17 (2001 Replacement Volume)

18 BY adding to
19 Article 2B - Alcoholic Beverages
20 Section 8-211(d-1)
21 Annotated Code of Maryland
22 (2001 Replacement Volume)

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

25 **Article 2B - Alcoholic Beverages**

26 8-211.

27 (a) The provisions of this section apply only in Frederick County.

1 (b) A license for the sale of alcoholic beverages authorized by this article may
2 not be issued for any place of business located in any of the following election districts:

- 3 (1) Catoclin (6th)[,];
- 4 (2) Hauvers (10th)[,];
- 5 (3) Jackson (16th)[,];
- 6 (4) Liganore (19th)[,];
- 7 (5) Tuscarora (21st)[,]; and
- 8 (6) Ballenger (23rd).

9 (c) Class A, B, and C licenses for the sale of beer only, as authorized by this
10 article, shall be issued for places of business located in any of the following election
11 districts:

- 12 [Middletown (3rd),]
- 13 (1) Jefferson (14th)[,];
 - 14 (2) Johnsville (17th)[,]; and
 - 15 (3) Burkittsville (22nd).

16 (d) Class A, B, and C licenses for the sale of beer and light wine and A, B, and
17 C licenses for the sale of beer, wine and liquor, as authorized by this article, shall be
18 issued for places of business located in any of the following election districts:

- 19 (1) Buckeystown (1st)[,];
- 20 (2) Frederick (2nd)[,];
- 21 (3) Creagerstown (4th)[,];
- 22 (4) Emmitsburg (5th)[,];
- 23 (5) Urbana (7th)[,];
- 24 (6) Liberty (8th)[,];
- 25 (7) New Market (9th)[,];
- 26 (8) Woodsboro (11th)[,];
- 27 (9) Petersville (12th)[,];
- 28 (10) Mt. Pleasant (13th)[,];
- 29 (11) Thurmont (15th)[,];

1 (12) Woodville (18th)[,];

2 (13) Lewistown (20th)[,];

3 (14) Braddock (24th)[,];

4 (15) Brunswick (25th)[,]; and

5 (16) Walkersville (26th).

6 (D-1) (1) THE BOARD OF LICENSE COMMISSIONERS MAY ISSUE WITHIN THE
7 MUNICIPAL BOUNDARIES OF THE MUNICIPAL CORPORATION OF MIDDLETOWN:

8 (I) CLASS A, B, OR C BEER LICENSES; OR

9 (II) CLASS B BEER, WINE AND LIQUOR (ON-SALE) LICENSES IF THE
10 LICENSED PREMISES DERIVE AT LEAST 70% OF ITS MONTHLY GROSS REVENUE FROM
11 THE SALE OF FOOD.

12 (2) IN ALL OTHER AREAS OF THE MIDDLETOWN (3RD) ELECTION
13 DISTRICT, THE BOARD OF LICENSE COMMISSIONERS MAY ONLY ISSUE CLASS A, B, OR
14 C BEER LICENSES.

15 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect
16 July 1, 2002.