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By: **Senator Della**

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Assigned to: Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs

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A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

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

3 FOR the purpose of requiring the Circuit Court for Baltimore City to affirm a certain  
4 decision of the Board of Liquor License Commissioners involving an alcoholic  
5 beverages license or adult-entertainment license if the court finds sufficient  
6 evidence in a certain record; and generally relating to decisions of the Board of  
7 Liquor License Commissioners for Baltimore City.

8 BY adding to  
9 Article 2B - Alcoholic Beverages  
10 Section 16-101(e)(5)  
11 Annotated Code of Maryland  
12 (2001 Replacement Volume)

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

15 **Article 2B - Alcoholic Beverages**

16 16-101.

17 (e) (5) IN BALTIMORE CITY, THE CIRCUIT COURT IN A PETITION FOR  
18 JUDICIAL REVIEW SHALL AFFIRM A DECISION OF THE BOARD OF LIQUOR LICENSE  
19 COMMISSIONERS IF:

20 (I) FOLLOWING A PUBLIC HEARING, THE BOARD IMPOSES A FINE  
21 ON OR REVOKES OR SUSPENDS AN ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES LICENSE OR  
22 ADULT-ENTERTAINMENT LICENSE FOR A VIOLATION OF THIS ARTICLE, BOARD  
23 RULES, OR ADULT-ENTERTAINMENT RULES; AND

24 (II) THE CIRCUIT COURT FINDS SUFFICIENT EVIDENCE OF THE  
25 VIOLATION IN THE RECORD OF THE PUBLIC HEARING.

26 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect  
27 June 1, 2002.