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CHAPTER _____

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Montgomery County - Alcoholic Beverages - Additional Licenses in**
3 **Designated Enterprise Zones**
4 **MC 506-05**

5 FOR the purpose of allowing an alcoholic beverages licensee in Montgomery County
6 to obtain an additional license in a designated enterprise zone, including the one
7 for Silver Spring, even after the incentives and initiatives for a business entity
8 in the designated enterprise zone are eliminated or reduced; and generally
9 relating to alcoholic beverages licenses in Montgomery County.

10 BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,
11 Article 2B - Alcoholic Beverages
12 Section 9-102.1(a) and (b)
13 Annotated Code of Maryland
14 (2001 Replacement Volume and 2004 Supplement)

15 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
16 Article 2B - Alcoholic Beverages
17 Section 9-102.1(f)
18 Annotated Code of Maryland
19 (2001 Replacement Volume and 2004 Supplement)

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

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Article 2B - Alcoholic Beverages

2 9-102.1.

3 (a) This section applies only in Montgomery County.

4 (b) (1) In this section the following words have the meanings indicated.

5 (2) "Board" means the Board of License Commissioners.

6 (3) "Enterprise zone" has the meaning specified in Article 83A, § 5-401(f)
7 of the Code.

8 (4) "License" means a Class B beer, wine and liquor on-sale only license.

9 (5) "Original license" means a Class B license as set forth in § 6-201(q) of
10 this article.11 (f) (1) A licensee may obtain not more than two additional licenses for
12 premises which meet the qualifications specified in this subsection. For identification
13 purposes, this additional license may be referred to as an enterprise zone license.14 (2) Each restaurant shall be located within one of two designated
15 enterprise zones, with not more than one restaurant in each enterprise zone.16 (3) The requirement that the holder have been a licensee for 1 year does
17 not apply to this subsection.18 (4) A LICENSEE MAY OBTAIN AN ADDITIONAL LICENSE FOR A PREMISES
19 IN A DESIGNATED ENTERPRISE ZONE, EVEN AFTER THE INCENTIVES AND
20 INITIATIVES FOR A BUSINESS ENTITY IN THE DESIGNATED ENTERPRISE ZONE ARE
21 ELIMINATED OR REDUCED.22 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect
23 June 1, 2005.