
By: **Prince George's County Delegation**

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Assigned to: Economic Matters

A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Prince George's County - Alcoholic Beverages - Transfer or Assignment of**
3 **Licenses**
4 **PG 340-05**

5 FOR the purpose of authorizing the Board of License Commissioners for Prince
6 George's County to require an applicant for a transfer or assignment of a certain
7 alcoholic beverages license to meet certain requirements; specifying that the
8 requirements do not apply to certain applicants; specifying a certain limit on a
9 certain capital expenditure that the Board may require; requiring the Board to
10 adopt certain regulations; and generally relating to the transfer or assignment
11 of alcoholic beverages licenses in Prince George's County.

12 BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,
13 Article 2B - Alcoholic Beverages
14 Section 10-503(r)(1)
15 Annotated Code of Maryland
16 (2001 Replacement Volume and 2004 Supplement)

17 BY adding to
18 Article 2B - Alcoholic Beverages
19 Section 10-503(r)(6)
20 Annotated Code of Maryland
21 (2001 Replacement Volume and 2004 Supplement)

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

24 **Article 2B - Alcoholic Beverages**

25 10-503.

26 (r) (1) This subsection applies only in Prince George's County.

1 (6) (I) THIS PARAGRAPH DOES NOT APPLY TO AN APPLICANT FOR A
2 TRANSFER OR ASSIGNMENT OF A CLASS C ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES LICENSE.

3 (II) THE BOARD MAY REQUIRE AN APPLICANT FOR A TRANSFER OR
4 ASSIGNMENT OF AN ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES LICENSE TO COMPLETE
5 IMPROVEMENTS OR UPGRADES TO THE LICENSED PREMISES.

6 (III) THE CAPITAL EXPENDITURE OF THE IMPROVEMENTS OR
7 UPGRADES THAT THE BOARD MAY REQUIRE MAY EQUAL UP TO 2% OF THE TOTAL
8 PURCHASE PRICE OF THE BUSINESS, GOODWILL, AND PHYSICAL ESTABLISHMENT.

9 (IV) THE BOARD MAY ADOPT REGULATIONS IT CONSIDERS
10 NECESSARY FOR THE TRANSFER OF LICENSES UNDER THIS SUBSECTION.

11 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect
12 October 1, 2005.