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(Prince George's County Delegation)

Prince George's County - Alcoholic Beverages Licenses – Renewal
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This bill authorizes the Prince George's County Board of License Commissioners to renew, at its discretion, an alcoholic beverages license, even if the holder of the license is not qualified to obtain a renewal of an expiring license.

The bill takes effect June 1, 2006.

Fiscal Summary

State Effect: None.

Local Effect: Authorizing the Prince George's County Board of License Commissioners to renew an alcoholic beverages license to a license holder that is not qualified to obtain a renewal of an expiring license would not materially impact county finances.

Small Business Effect: Minimal.

Analysis

Current Law: If a licensing official finds that a license holder is not qualified to obtain a renewal of an expiring alcoholic beverages license, the licensing official must not renew the expiring license, but must issue by way of renewal the class or type of license for which the license holder is qualified to obtain.

Additional Information

Prior Introductions: None.

Cross File: None.

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