

# CHAPTER 375

## (House Bill 65)

AN ACT concerning

### **Dorchester County – Alcoholic Beverages – Issuance of Additional Class A Beer Licenses**

FOR the purpose of ~~adding~~ repealing in Dorchester County ~~a certain type of certain limitations on the types of certain~~ alcoholic beverages ~~license to the types of~~ licenses that entitle premises to be issued additional Class A beer licenses; authorizing the Board of License Commissioners of Dorchester County to limit the number of additional Class A beer licenses that it issues; and generally relating to alcoholic beverages licenses in Dorchester County.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,  
Article 2B – Alcoholic Beverages  
Section 9–102(b–6)  
Annotated Code of Maryland  
(2005 Replacement Volume and 2006 Supplement)

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

### **Article 2B – Alcoholic Beverages**

9–102.

(b–6) ~~(1)~~ **(1)** Notwithstanding any other provision of this section, in Dorchester County an additional Class A beer license may be issued for any premises licensed under a Class B [beer license], ~~CLASS C,~~ or Class D [beer license or beer, wine and liquor] license.

~~(1)~~ **(2)** **THE BOARD OF LICENSE COMMISSIONERS OF DORCHESTER COUNTY MAY LIMIT THE NUMBER OF ADDITIONAL CLASS A BEER LICENSES THAT IT ISSUES PURSUANT TO THE REQUIREMENTS OF § 9–102 OF THIS ARTICLE.**

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 2007.

**Approved by the Governor, May 8, 2007.**