

HOUSE BILL 1093

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

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CHAPTER _____

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Prince George's County – Bladensburg – Alcoholic Beverages – Development**
3 **District Licenses**

4 **PG 312–11**

5 FOR the purpose of authorizing the Board of License Commissioners for Prince
6 George's County to issue a certain number of Class B–DD licenses in the zoned
7 development district of the City of Bladensburg; authorizing a person to obtain
8 one other Class B license anywhere in Prince George's County for each Class
9 B–DD license the person is issued under certain circumstances; providing that a
10 Class B license issued under this Act for a restaurant located anywhere in
11 Prince George's County shall remain in effect under certain circumstances,
12 subject to certain exceptions; and generally relating to alcoholic beverages
13 licenses in Prince George's County.

14 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
15 Article 2B – Alcoholic Beverages
16 Section 6–201(r)(15)(vii) and 9–217(f)(7)
17 Annotated Code of Maryland
18 (2005 Replacement Volume and 2010 Supplement)

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

21 **Article 2B – Alcoholic Beverages**

EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.

Underlining indicates amendments to bill.

~~Strike-out~~ indicates matter stricken from the bill by amendment or deleted from the law by amendment.



1 6-201.

2 (r) (15) (vii) 1. Notwithstanding any other provision of this article[.]:

3 ~~1. A.~~ [a] A license holder may hold a Class B-DD license in
4 addition to any other license issued under this article; AND

5 ~~2. B. FOR SUBJECT TO SUBSUBPARAGRAPHS 2 AND 3~~
6 ~~OF THIS SUBPARAGRAPH, FOR EACH CLASS B-DD LICENSE A PERSON IS~~
7 ~~ISSUED, THE PERSON MAY OBTAIN ONE OTHER CLASS B LICENSE LOCATED~~
8 ~~ANYWHERE IN THE COUNTY IF ALL REQUIREMENTS FOR THE CLASS B LICENSE~~
9 ~~ARE MET.~~

10 2. EXCEPT AS PROVIDED IN SUBSUBPARAGRAPH 3
11 OF THIS SUBPARAGRAPH, THE CLASS B LICENSE ISSUED TO A HOLDER OF A
12 CLASS B-DD LICENSE FOR A RESTAURANT IN A DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT
13 UNDER § 9-217(F)(7) OF THIS ARTICLE REMAINS IN EFFECT ONLY AS LONG AS
14 THE RESTAURANT IN THE DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT REMAINS OPEN FOR
15 BUSINESS AS A RESTAURANT.

16 3. IF THE RESTAURANT IN THE DEVELOPMENT
17 DISTRICT IS CLOSED FOR NOT MORE THAN 6 MONTHS, THE CLASS B LICENSE
18 SHALL REMAIN IN EFFECT.

19 9-217.

20 (f) (7) Subject to § 6-201(r)(15) of this article, the Board of License
21 Commissioners may issue:

22 (i) Up to four Class B-DD (Development District) licenses for
23 restaurants located within the Capital Plaza commercial area, consisting of
24 commercial properties within the area bounded by the Baltimore-Washington
25 Parkway on the west and northwest, Maryland Route 450 on the south, and Cooper
26 Lane on the east and northeast; [and]

27 (ii) Up to four Class B-DD (Development District) licenses for
28 restaurants located within the area of Greenbelt Station, located inside the Capital
29 Beltway and adjacent to the Greenbelt Metro Station; AND

30 (III) UP TO TWO CLASS B-DD (DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT)
31 LICENSES MAY BE ISSUED TO RESTAURANTS LOCATED WITHIN THE ZONED
32 DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT OF THE CITY OF BLADENSBURG.

33 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect
34 July 1, 2011.