

# HOUSE BILL 263

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By: **Delegates B. Robinson, Carter, Conaway, Oaks, and Tarrant**

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Assigned to: Economic Matters

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## A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Baltimore City – Park Heights Redevelopment Area – Alcoholic Beverages –**  
3 **Store Closing Hours**

4 FOR the purpose of altering the time at which establishments issued certain Class A  
5 alcoholic beverages licenses in the Park Heights Redevelopment Area in  
6 Baltimore City must stop selling alcoholic beverages; and generally relating to  
7 alcoholic beverages licenses in Baltimore City.

8 BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,  
9 Article 2B – Alcoholic Beverages  
10 Section 11–302(a)(1) and 11–303(a)(1)  
11 Annotated Code of Maryland  
12 (2011 Replacement Volume)

13 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,  
14 Article 2B – Alcoholic Beverages  
15 Section 11–302(a)(2) and 11–303(a)(2)(ii)  
16 Annotated Code of Maryland  
17 (2011 Replacement Volume)

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

20 **Article 2B – Alcoholic Beverages**

21 11–302.

22 (a) (1) Except as otherwise provided in this subsection, the hours during  
23 which the privileges conferred by a Class A beer and light wine license may be  
24 exercised are from 6 a.m. to midnight on every day except Sunday.

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EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.



1                   (2)     In the Park Heights Redevelopment Area that is specified in the  
2 Park Heights Master Plan adopted by Baltimore City in 2006, the hours of sale [begin  
3 at] **ARE FROM 9 a.m. TO 10 P.M.** each day.

4 11-303.

5           (a)     (1)     The hours during which the privileges conferred by a Class A beer,  
6 wine and liquor license may be exercised are from 6 a.m. to midnight, on every day  
7 except Sunday.

8                   (2)     The provisions of paragraph (1) of this subsection are superseded  
9 as follows:

10                           (ii)     In the Park Heights Redevelopment Area that is specified in  
11 the Park Heights Master Plan adopted by Baltimore City in 2006, the hours of sale  
12 [begin at] **ARE FROM 9 a.m. TO 10 P.M.** each day;

13           SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect  
14 July 1, 2012.