# **Department of Legislative Services**

Maryland General Assembly 2012 Session

#### FISCAL AND POLICY NOTE

Senate Bill 67 (Senator Glassman, *et al.*) Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs

**Economic Matters** 

### Harford County - Alcoholic Beverages Licenses - Residency Requirement for Applicants

This bill alters the residency requirement for applicants of alcoholic beverages licenses in Harford County by requiring each applicant to be a bona fide county resident for at least one year before filing the application.

The bill takes effect July 1, 2012.

#### **Fiscal Summary**

State Effect: None.

Local Effect: None. The bill codifies current practice in Harford County.

Small Business Effect: None.

#### Analysis

**Current Law:** An alcoholic beverages license applicant in Harford County must be a bona fide county resident at the time of filing the application and must remain a resident as long as the license is in effect. The applicant is not required to be a registered voter.

## **Additional Information**

Prior Introductions: None.

Cross File: None.

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