

HOUSE BILL 549

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By: **Caroline County Delegation**

Introduced and read first time: February 3, 2016

Assigned to: Economic Matters

A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Caroline County – Alcoholic Beverages – Refillable Container Permit**

3 FOR the purpose of authorizing the Board of License Commissioners for Caroline County
4 to issue a refillable container permit for draft beer to a holder of a Class B alcoholic
5 beverages license or a Class H alcoholic beverages license; and generally relating to
6 alcoholic beverages in Caroline County.

7 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

8 Article – Alcoholic Beverages

9 Section 15–1101

10 Annotated Code of Maryland

11 (As enacted by Chapter ____ (S.B. ____)(6lr1406) of the Acts of the General
12 Assembly of 2016)

13 BY adding to

14 Article – Alcoholic Beverages

15 Section 15–1102

16 Annotated Code of Maryland

17 (As enacted by Chapter ____ (S.B. ____)(6lr1406) of the Acts of the General
18 Assembly of 2016)

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

21 **Article – Alcoholic Beverages**

22 15–1101.

23 (a) The following sections of Title 4, Subtitle 11 (“Additional License Privileges”)
24 of Division I of this article apply in the County without exception or variation:

EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.



1 (1) § 4-1102 (“Corkage — Consuming wine not purchased from license
2 holder on licensed premises”); and

3 (2) § 4-1103 (“Removal of partially consumed bottle of wine from licensed
4 premises”).

5 (b) [The following sections] **SECTION 4-1105 (“REFILLABLE CONTAINER
6 PERMIT — WINE”)** of Title 4, Subtitle 11 (“Additional License Privileges”) of Division I of
7 this article [do] **DOES** not apply in the County[:

8 (1) § 4-1104 (“Refillable container permit — Draft beer”); and

9 (2) § 4-1105 (“Refillable container permit — Wine”)].

10 (c) **SECTION 4-1104 (“REFILLABLE CONTAINER PERMIT — DRAFT BEER”)
11 OF DIVISION I OF THIS ARTICLE APPLIES IN THE COUNTY, SUBJECT TO § 15-1102
12 OF THIS SUBTITLE.**

13 **15-1102.**

14 (A) **THE BOARD MAY ISSUE A REFILLABLE CONTAINER PERMIT FOR DRAFT
15 BEER TO A HOLDER OF A CLASS B OR CLASS H LICENSE.**

16 (B) **THE HOURS OF SALE FOR A REFILLABLE CONTAINER PERMIT BEGIN AT
17 THE SAME TIME FOR THE UNDERLYING LICENSE AND END AT MIDNIGHT.**

18 (C) **THE ANNUAL PERMIT FEE IS \$500.**

19 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July
20 1, 2016.