

HOUSE BILL 1521

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By: **Delegate Anderton**

Introduced and read first time: February 18, 2016

Assigned to: Rules and Executive Nominations

A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Wicomico County – Alcoholic Beverages – Youth and Civic Center License**

3 FOR the purpose of establishing in Wicomico County a Class B Youth and Civic Center
4 license; authorizing the Board of License Commissioners to issue the license to a
5 designee of the County Executive of Wicomico County for use by a certain youth and
6 civic center; during the term of the license, requiring a certain youth and civic center
7 to maintain a kitchen, dining space, and meeting space; authorizing a holder of the
8 license to sell beer, wine, and liquor for on–premises consumption to individuals
9 attending a youth and civic center event; specifying the hours that the license
10 privilege may be exercised; authorizing the license holder to authorize a vendor to
11 sell alcoholic beverages for on–premises consumption under a certain license;
12 authorizing the license holder to contract to receive a proportion of the revenue
13 derived from a vendor’s sale of alcoholic beverages; specifying an annual license fee;
14 and generally relating to alcoholic beverages in Wicomico County.

15 BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,

16 Article – Alcoholic Beverages

17 Section 32–102

18 Annotated Code of Maryland

19 (As enacted by Chapter ____ (S.B. 724) of the Acts of the General Assembly of 2016)

20 BY adding to

21 Article – Alcoholic Beverages

22 Section 32–1005

23 Annotated Code of Maryland

24 (As enacted by Chapter ____ (S.B. 724) of the Acts of the General Assembly of 2016)

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

27 **Article – Alcoholic Beverages**

EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.



1 32-102.

2 This title applies only in Wicomico County.

3 **32-1005.**

4 (A) **THERE IS A CLASS B YOUTH AND CIVIC CENTER LICENSE.**

5 (B) (1) **THE BOARD MAY ISSUE A LICENSE TO A DESIGNEE OF THE**
6 **COUNTY EXECUTIVE FOR USE AT THE WICOMICO YOUTH AND CIVIC CENTER.**

7 (2) **DURING THE TERM OF THE LICENSE, THE WICOMICO YOUTH AND**
8 **CIVIC CENTER SHALL MAINTAIN:**

9 (I) **A KITCHEN;**

10 (II) **DINING SPACE; AND**

11 (III) **MEETING SPACE.**

12 (C) **THE LICENSE AUTHORIZES THE LICENSE HOLDER TO SELL BEER, WINE,**
13 **AND LIQUOR FOR ON-PREMISES CONSUMPTION TO INDIVIDUALS ATTENDING A**
14 **YOUTH AND CIVIC CENTER EVENT.**

15 (D) **THE LICENSE HOLDER MAY SELL BEER, WINE, AND LIQUOR DURING THE**
16 **HOURS AND DAYS AS SET OUT FOR A CLASS B BEER, WINE, AND LIQUOR LICENSE**
17 **UNDER § 32-2005 OF THIS TITLE.**

18 (E) **THE LICENSE HOLDER MAY:**

19 (1) **AUTHORIZE A VENDOR TO SELL ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES FOR**
20 **ON-PREMISES CONSUMPTION UNDER THE LICENSE THAT THE MANAGER OF THE**
21 **YOUTH AND CIVIC CENTER IS ISSUED; AND**

22 (2) **CONTRACT TO RECEIVE PART OF THE REVENUE DERIVED FROM**
23 **THE VENDOR'S SALE OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES.**

24 (F) **THE ANNUAL LICENSE FEE IS \$1,500.**

25 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July
26 1, 2016.