

SENATE BILL 3

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(PRE-FILED)

By: **Senator Astle**

Requested: July 6, 2015

Introduced and read first time: January 13, 2016

Assigned to: Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs

A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Anne Arundel County – Alcoholic Beverages – Board of License Commissioners**
3 **– Attorneys**

4 FOR the purpose of increasing by a certain amount the salary of an attorney employed by
5 the Board of License Commissioners for Anne Arundel County; authorizing the
6 Board to hire an attorney on a contractual basis to perform certain work under
7 certain conditions; prohibiting the Board from spending more than a certain amount
8 each year to hire a certain attorney; and generally relating to the Board of License
9 Commissioners for Anne Arundel County.

10 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
11 Article 2B – Alcoholic Beverages
12 Section 15–112(c)(5)
13 Annotated Code of Maryland
14 (2011 Replacement Volume and 2015 Supplement)

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

17 **Article 2B – Alcoholic Beverages**

18 15–112.

19 (c) (5) **(I)** The Board of License Commissioners:

20 **[(i)] 1.** May employ up to two full-time administrators whose
21 annual salaries shall be fixed by the Board as in a general Anne Arundel County classified
22 salary schedule, within pay grade 16;

EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.



1 [(ii)] 2. Shall employ a full-time secretary whose annual salary
2 shall be fixed by the Board as in a general county classified salary schedule, within pay
3 grade 13; and

4 [(iii)] 3. A. Shall employ an attorney at an annual salary of
5 [\$20,000] **\$90,000; AND**

6 **B. MAY HIRE AN ATTORNEY ON A CONTRACTUAL BASIS**
7 **TO PERFORM WORK THAT THE ATTORNEY EMPLOYED BY THE BOARD IS UNABLE TO**
8 **PERFORM BECAUSE OF A CONFLICT OF INTEREST.**

9 **(II) THE BOARD MAY SPEND NOT MORE THAN \$10,000 EACH**
10 **YEAR TO HIRE A CONTRACTUAL ATTORNEY UNDER SUBPARAGRAPH (I)3B OF THIS**
11 **PARAGRAPH.**

12 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July
13 1, 2016.