

SENATE BILL 743

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By: **Senator Zirkin**

Introduced and read first time: February 3, 2017

Assigned to: Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs

A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Baltimore County – Alcoholic Beverages – Sunday Sales**

3 FOR the purpose of authorizing in Baltimore County the holder of a manufacturer's license
4 or a wholesaler's license to sell or deliver alcoholic beverages to a holder of a retail
5 alcoholic beverages license on Sunday; authorizing holders of certain classes of retail
6 alcoholic beverages licenses to sell alcoholic beverages on Sunday during the same
7 hours as on the other days of the week; making certain conforming changes; and
8 generally relating to the sales of alcoholic beverages on Sunday in Baltimore County.

9 BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,
10 Article – Alcoholic Beverages
11 Section 13–102
12 Annotated Code of Maryland
13 (2016 Volume and 2016 Supplement)

14 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
15 Article – Alcoholic Beverages
16 Section 13–402, 13–502, 13–2003, and 13–2004
17 Annotated Code of Maryland
18 (2016 Volume and 2016 Supplement)

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 13–102.

23 This title applies only in Baltimore County.

24 13–402.

EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.



1 A holder of a manufacturer's license may sell or deliver alcoholic beverages to a
2 holder of a retail license from 6 a.m. to midnight on [every day except] **MONDAY THROUGH**
3 **Sunday**.

4 13-502.

5 Except as provided in § 13-503 of this subtitle, a holder of a wholesaler's license may
6 sell or deliver alcoholic beverages to a holder of a retail license from 6 a.m. to midnight on
7 [every day except] **MONDAY THROUGH Sunday**.

8 13-2003.

9 (a) [(1)] A holder of a Class A beer and wine license may sell beer and wine on
10 Monday through [Saturday] **SUNDAY** from 6 a.m. to midnight.

11 [(2)] From 7 a.m. to 9 p.m., the license holder may sell beer and wine on the
12 Sunday immediately before:

13 (i) Christmas Day;

14 (ii) New Year's Day;

15 (iii) Rosh Hashanah; and

16 (iv) Yom Kippur.

17 (3) The license holder may sell beer and wine on the two Sundays
18 immediately before Passover if:

19 (i) the license holder does not sell beer and wine on the two
20 Saturdays immediately before Passover;

21 (ii) the sales are conducted on those Sundays from 6 a.m. to
22 midnight; and

23 (iii) the sales are limited to beer and wine that are "kosher for
24 Passover".]

25 (b) (1) A holder of a Class B beer and wine license may sell beer and wine on
26 [each day of the week] **MONDAY THROUGH SUNDAY** from 6 a.m. to 2 a.m. the following
27 day.

28 (2) The license holder may sell beer and wine at a bar or counter on
29 Sunday.

1 (3) [From 7 a.m. to 9 p.m., the] **A** holder of a Class B on-sale and off-sale
2 beer and wine license may sell beer and wine for off-premises consumption [on the Sunday
3 immediately before:

4 (i) Christmas Day;

5 (ii) New Year's Day;

6 (iii) Rosh Hashanah; and

7 (iv) Yom Kippur] **ON MONDAY THROUGH SUNDAY FROM 6 A.M.**
8 **TO 2 A.M. THE FOLLOWING DAY.**

9 (c) (1) A holder of a Class C beer and wine license may sell beer and wine on
10 [each day of the week] **MONDAY THROUGH SUNDAY** from 6 a.m. to 2 a.m. the following
11 day.

12 (2) The license holder may sell beer and wine at a bar or counter on
13 Sunday.

14 (d) (1) A holder of a Class D beer and wine license may sell beer and wine on
15 Monday through [Saturday] **SUNDAY** from 6 a.m. to 2 a.m. the following day.

16 (2) [From 7 a.m. to 9 p.m., a] **A** holder of a Class D on-sale and off-sale
17 beer and wine license may sell beer and wine for off-premises consumption on [the Sunday
18 immediately before:

19 (i) Christmas Day;

20 (ii) New Year's Day;

21 (iii) Rosh Hashanah; and

22 (iv) Yom Kippur] **MONDAY THROUGH SUNDAY FROM 6 A.M. TO 2**
23 **A.M. THE FOLLOWING DAY.**

24 13-2004.

25 (a) [(1)] A holder of a Class A beer, wine, and liquor license may sell beer, wine,
26 and liquor on Monday through [Saturday] **SUNDAY** from 6 a.m. to midnight.

27 [(2) From 7 a.m. to 9 p.m., the license holder may sell beer, wine, and liquor
28 on the Sunday immediately before:

29 (i) Christmas Day;

1 (ii) New Year's Day;

2 (iii) Rosh Hashanah; and

3 (iv) Yom Kippur.

4 (3) A license holder may sell beer, wine, and liquor on the two Sundays
5 immediately before Passover if:

6 (i) the license holder does not sell beer, wine, and liquor on the two
7 Saturdays immediately before Passover;

8 (ii) the off-premises sales are conducted on those Sundays from 6
9 a.m. to midnight; and

10 (iii) the sales are limited to beer, wine, and liquor that are "kosher
11 for Passover".]

12 (b) (1) A holder of a Class B beer, wine, and liquor license may sell beer, wine,
13 and liquor Monday through Sunday from 6 a.m. to 2 a.m. the following day.

14 (2) The license holder may sell beer, wine, and liquor at a bar or counter on
15 Sunday.

16 (3) [From 7 a.m. to 9 p.m., the] **A** holder of a Class B **ON-SALE AND**
17 **OFF-SALE** beer, wine, and liquor [(on- and off-sale)] license may sell beer, wine, and liquor
18 for off-premises consumption on [the Sunday immediately before:

19 (i) Christmas Day;

20 (ii) New Year's Day;

21 (iii) Rosh Hashanah; and

22 (iv) Yom Kippur] **MONDAY THROUGH SUNDAY FROM 6 A.M. TO 2**
23 **A.M. THE FOLLOWING DAY.**

24 (c) (1) A holder of a Class C beer, wine, and liquor license may sell beer, wine,
25 and liquor on [each day of the week] **MONDAY THROUGH SUNDAY** from 6 a.m. to 2 a.m.
26 the following day.

27 (2) The license holder may sell beer, wine, and liquor at a bar or counter on
28 Sunday.

29 (d) (1) A holder of a Class D beer, wine, and liquor license may sell beer, wine,
30 and liquor on Monday through Sunday from 6 a.m. to 2 a.m. the following day.

1 (2) [From 7 a.m. to 9 p.m., a] A holder of a Class D on-sale and off-sale
2 beer, wine, and liquor license may sell beer, wine, and liquor for off-premises consumption
3 on [the Sunday immediately before:

4 (i) Christmas Day;

5 (ii) New Year's Day;

6 (iii) Rosh Hashanah; and

7 (iv) Yom Kippur] **MONDAY THROUGH SUNDAY FROM 6 A.M. TO 2**
8 **A.M. THE FOLLOWING DAY.**

9 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July
10 1, 2017.