

HOUSE BILL 44

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(PRE-FILED)

By: **Delegate Ali**

Requested: October 23, 2017

Introduced and read first time: January 10, 2018

Assigned to: Economic Matters

A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Baltimore City – Alcoholic Beverages Licenses – Hours of Sale**

3 FOR the purpose of exempting a holder of a Class C beer and light wine license or a Class
4 C beer, wine, and liquor license from certain hours-of-sale restrictions in a certain
5 area of Baltimore City; and generally relating to alcoholic beverages licenses in
6 Baltimore City.

7 BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,

8 Article – Alcoholic Beverages

9 Section 12-102

10 Annotated Code of Maryland

11 (2016 Volume and 2017 Supplement)

12 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

13 Article – Alcoholic Beverages

14 Section 12-2005(c)

15 Annotated Code of Maryland

16 (2016 Volume and 2017 Supplement)

17 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND,

18 That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

19 **Article – Alcoholic Beverages**

20 12-102.

21 This title applies only in Baltimore City.

22 12-2005.

EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.



1 (c) **(1) THIS SUBSECTION DOES NOT APPLY TO A HOLDER OF A CLASS C**
2 **BEER AND LIGHT WINE LICENSE OR A CLASS C BEER, WINE, AND LIQUOR LICENSE.**

3 **(2)** For a license holder in an area bounded by Liberty Heights Avenue,
4 Northern Parkway, Druid Park Drive, and Wabash Avenue, the hours of sale:

5 **[(1)] (I)** may not begin before 9 a.m. or end after 9 p.m.; and

6 **[(2)] (II)** may not be extended if they begin later than 9 a.m. or end before
7 9 p.m.

8 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July
9 1, 2018.