

SENATE BILL 441

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(8lr2886)

ENROLLED BILL

— *Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs/Economic Matters* —

Introduced by **Harford County Senators**

Read and Examined by Proofreaders:

Proofreader.

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Sealed with the Great Seal and presented to the Governor, for his approval this

_____ day of _____ at _____ o'clock, _____ M.

President.

CHAPTER _____

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Harford County – Alcoholic Beverages – ~~Limit on~~ Class DBR Licenses**

3 FOR the purpose of establishing the maximum number of Class DBR licenses that may be
4 issued by the Harford County Board of License Commissioners to the same person;
5 *permitting the holder of a Class DBR license in Harford County to sell beer brewed at*
6 *the brewery to the extent provided by a certain other license;* and generally relating to
7 Class DBR licenses in Harford County.

8 BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,

9 Article – Alcoholic Beverages

10 Section 22–102

11 Annotated Code of Maryland

12 (2016 Volume and 2017 Supplement)

13 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.

Underlining indicates amendments to bill.

~~Strike out~~ indicates matter stricken from the bill by amendment or deleted from the law by amendment.

Italics indicate opposite chamber/conference committee amendments.



1 Article – Alcoholic Beverages
2 Section 22–403
3 Annotated Code of Maryland
4 (2016 Volume and 2017 Supplement)

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

7 **Article – Alcoholic Beverages**

8 22–102.

9 This title applies only in Harford County.

10 22–403.

11 (a) There is a Class DBR license.

12 (b) **(1)** The license may be issued to a holder of a Class 5 brewery license.

13 **(2) THE BOARD MAY ISSUE A MAXIMUM NUMBER OF TWO LICENSES**
14 **TO THE SAME PERSON.**

15 (c) (1) The license serves as the on–premises consumption permit and the
16 license equivalent to a Class D license specified under § 2–207(f)(1) of this article.

17 (2) The license holder is not required to sell food, but is required to provide
18 prepackaged snacks.

19 (3) The license holder~~l~~:

20 (i)~~l~~ may sell beer brewed at the brewery ~~l~~not exceeding 500 barrels
21 per year~~l~~ for on–premises AND OFF–PREMISES consumption~~l~~; but

22 (ii) may not sell any beer for off–premises consumption other than
23 what~~l~~ TO THE EXTENT THE LICENSE HOLDER is allowed under the license holder’s Class
24 5 brewery license.

25 (d) The value of the equipment used on the premises may be used toward meeting
26 any minimum capital investment requirement imposed on a holder of the license.

27 (e) The hours of sale are as provided for a Class D beer, wine, and liquor license
28 under Subtitle 20 of this title.

29 (f) The annual license fee is \$500.

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

Approved:

Governor.

President of the Senate.

Speaker of the House of Delegates.