

Chapter 136

**(House Bill 1001)**

AN ACT concerning

**Harford County – Alcoholic Beverages – Sunday Sales at a Bar or Counter**

FOR the purpose of repealing the prohibition against holders of certain alcoholic beverages licenses in Harford County from selling certain alcoholic beverages at a bar or counter on Sunday; and generally relating to the sale of alcoholic beverages in Harford County.

BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,  
Article – Alcoholic Beverages  
Section 22–102  
Annotated Code of Maryland  
(2016 Volume and 2017 Supplement)

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,  
Article – Alcoholic Beverages  
Section 22–2003(b) and (c) and 22–2004(b), (c), and (f)  
Annotated Code of Maryland  
(2016 Volume and 2017 Supplement)

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

**Article – Alcoholic Beverages**

22–102.

This title applies only in Harford County.

22–2003.

(b) [(1) Subject to paragraph (2) of this subsection, a] **A** holder of a Class B beer and wine license may sell beer and wine on Monday through Sunday, from 8 a.m. to 2 a.m. the following day.

[(2) The license holder may not sell beer or wine at a bar or counter on Sunday.]

(c) [(1) Subject to paragraph (2) of this subsection, a] **A** holder of a Class C beer and wine license may sell beer and wine on Monday through Sunday, from 8 a.m. to 2 a.m. the following day.

[(2) The license holder may not sell beer or wine at a bar or counter on Sunday.]

22–2004.

(b) [(1) Subject to paragraph (2) of this subsection, a] **A** holder of a Class B beer, wine, and liquor license may sell beer, wine, and liquor on Monday through Sunday, from 8 a.m. to 2 a.m. the following day.

[(2) The license holder may not sell beer, wine, or liquor at a bar or counter on Sunday.]

(c) [(1) Subject to paragraph (2) of this subsection, a] **A** holder of a Class B–3 beer, wine, and liquor license may sell beer, wine, and liquor:

[(i)] **(1)** for a 6–day license, on Monday through Saturday, from 8 a.m. to 2 a.m. the following day; and

[(ii)] **(2)** for a 7–day license, on Monday through Sunday, from 8 a.m. to 2 a.m. the following day.

[(2) The license holder may not sell beer, wine, or liquor at a bar or counter on Sunday.]

(f) (1) This subsection applies to Class C–1, C–2, and C–3 (on–sale) organization or club beer, wine, and liquor licenses.

(2) A holder of a Class C beer, wine, and liquor license may sell beer, wine, and liquor:

(i) for a 6–day license, on Monday through Saturday, from 8 a.m. to 2 a.m. the following day; and

(ii) for a 7–day license, on Monday through Sunday, from 8 a.m. to 2 a.m. the following day.

[(3) The license holder may not sell beer, wine, and liquor at a bar or counter on Sunday.]

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

**Approved by the Governor, April 10, 2018.**