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House Bill 1185

(Baltimore City Delegation)

Economic Matters

Baltimore City - Board of License Commissioners - License Application Newspaper Notice

This bill requires the Baltimore City Board of License Commissioners to publish notice of an alcoholic beverages license application in two newspapers instead of three. **The bill takes effect July 1, 2018.**

Fiscal Summary

State Effect: None.

Local Effect: Baltimore City can handle the bill's requirements with existing budgeted

resources.

Small Business Effect: None.

Analysis

Current Law: A notice of an alcoholic beverages license application must be published two times in two successive weeks in three newspapers of general circulation in Baltimore City. The notice must state:

- the name of the applicant;
- the type of license for which the application is made;
- the location described in the application; and
- the date, time, and place set by the board for a hearing on the application.

Additional Information

Prior Introductions: None.

Cross File: SB 399 (Senator Conway, et al.) - Education, Health, and Environmental

Affairs.

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