Chapter 528

(House Bill 256)

AN ACT concerning

Baltimore City - Alcoholic Beverages Licenses - Hours of Sale

FOR the purpose of establishing certain hours of sale for a holder of a Class B–D–7 beer, wine, and liquor license in a certain area of Baltimore City; and generally relating to alcoholic beverages licenses in Baltimore City.

BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments, Article – Alcoholic Beverages Section 12–102 and 12–905(a) and (d) Annotated Code of Maryland (2016 Volume and 2020 Supplement)

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments, Article – Alcoholic Beverages Section 12–2004(c) Annotated Code of Maryland (2016 Volume and 2020 Supplement)

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

Article – Alcoholic Beverages

12 - 102.

This title applies only in Baltimore City.

12 - 905.

(a) There is a Class B–D–7 beer, wine, and liquor license.

(d) (1) The license holder may sell beer, wine, and liquor during the hours and days set out under 12-2004(c) of this title.

(2) The hours of sale are from 9 a.m. to 10 p.m. for a license holder in an area bounded on the north by North Avenue, on the west by Central Avenue and Harford Avenue, on the south by Monument Street as it runs from North Central Avenue to North Wolfe Street and McElderry Street as it runs from North Wolfe Street to Luzerne Avenue, and on the east by Luzerne Avenue as it runs from Monument Street to Federal Street, then by Rose Street as it runs from Federal Street to North Avenue.

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12-2004.

(c) A holder of a Class B–D–7 beer, wine, and liquor license may sell beer, wine, and liquor:

(1) from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. in the area bounded by Liberty Heights Avenue, Northern Parkway, Druid Park Drive, and Wabash Avenue;

(2) FROM 9 A.M. TO 9 P.M. ALONG THE NORTH SOUTH SIDE OF FREDERICK AVENUE BETWEEN SOUTH AUGUSTA AVENUE AND SOUTH LOUDON AVENUE;

(3) from 9 a.m. to 10 p.m. in the area specified in the Park Heights Master Plan adopted by the City in 2006; and

[(3)] (4) from 6 a.m. to 2 a.m. the following day in all other locations in the City.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 2021.

Enacted under Article II, § 17(c) of the Maryland Constitution, May 30, 2021.