

HOUSE BILL 1050

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EMERGENCY BILL
ENROLLED BILL

(2lr2128)

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

Introduced by **Prince George's County Delegation**

Read and Examined by Proofreaders:

Proofreader.

Proofreader.

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

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

Speaker.

CHAPTER _____

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Prince George's County – Alcoholic Beverages Licenses – Limits *and Renewal***
3 ***Application Deadline for Class B Licenses***

4 **PG 305–22**

5 FOR the purpose of increasing the maximum number of Class B beer, wine, and liquor
6 licenses that the Board of License Commissioners for Prince George's County may
7 issue; requiring the Board of License Commissioners for Prince George's County to
8 accept, on or before a certain date, a license renewal application filed by the holder of
9 a certain Class B license; and generally relating to alcoholic beverages licenses in
10 Prince George's County.

11 BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,

12 Article – Alcoholic Beverages

13 Section 26–102

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 Annotated Code of Maryland
2 (2016 Volume and 2021 Supplement)

3 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
4 Article – Alcoholic Beverages
5 Section 26–1601(a)(1)
6 Annotated Code of Maryland
7 (2016 Volume and 2021 Supplement)

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

10 **Article – Alcoholic Beverages**

11 26–102.

12 This title applies only in Prince George’s County.

13 26–1601.

14 (a) (1) Except as otherwise provided in this title, the number of licenses in a
15 class issued by the Board may not exceed:

- 16 (i) Class A beer, 4;
- 17 (ii) Class B beer, 23;
- 18 (iii) Class C beer, 3;
- 19 (iv) Class D beer, 33;
- 20 (v) Class A beer and light wine, 7;
- 21 (vi) Class B beer and light wine, 45;
- 22 (vii) Class B–GC beer and light wine, 4;
- 23 (viii) Class B–Stadium beer and light wine, 1;
- 24 (ix) Class C beer and light wine, 8;
- 25 (x) Class D beer and light wine, 99;
- 26 (xi) Class A beer, wine, and liquor, 143;
- 27 (xii) Class B beer, wine, and liquor, [185] **215**;

- 1 (xiii) Class B–AE beer, wine, and liquor, 15;
- 2 (xiv) Class BCE beer, wine, and liquor, 8;
- 3 (xv) Class B–CI beer, wine, and liquor, 2;
- 4 (xvi) Class B–DD beer, wine, and liquor:
- 5 1. under § 26–1614(a)(1) of this subtitle, 4;
- 6 2. under § 26–1614(a)(2) of this subtitle, 4;
- 7 3. under § 26–1614(a)(3) of this subtitle, 6;
- 8 4. under § 26–1614(a)(4) of this subtitle, 6;
- 9 5. under § 26–1614(a)(5) of this subtitle, 4;
- 10 6. under § 26–1614(a)(6) of this subtitle, 10; and
- 11 7. under § 26–1614(a)(7) of this subtitle, 3;
- 12 (xvii) Class B/ECF beer, wine, and liquor, 1;
- 13 (xviii) Class B–ECF/DS beer, wine, and liquor, 2;
- 14 (xix) Class B–ECR beer, wine, and liquor, 1;
- 15 (xx) Class B–Stadium beer, wine, and liquor, 1;
- 16 (xxi) Class B–WPL (waterfront pavilion) beer, wine, and liquor, 3; and
- 17 (xxii) Class C beer, wine, and liquor:
- 18 1. under § 26–1002 of this title, 1;
- 19 2. under § 26–1005 of this title, 12;
- 20 3. under § 26–1011 of this title, 25;
- 21 4. under § 26–1017 of this title, 30; and
- 22 5. under § 26–1019 of this title, 4.

23 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That, notwithstanding the April 1
24 application deadline to renew a Class B license in Prince George’s County under §

1 26-1802(2) of the Alcoholic Beverages Article, the Board of License Commissioners for Prince
2 George's County:

3 (1) shall accept, on or before May 1, 2022, a license renewal application filed
4 by the holder of a Class B license set to expire on May 31, 2022; and

5 (2) may impose a late fee of \$1,000 for each license renewal application filed
6 after April 1, 2022, that the Board accepts as required under item (1) of this section.

7 SECTION ~~2~~ 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act ~~shall take effect~~
8 ~~July 1, 2022~~ is an emergency measure, is necessary for the immediate preservation of the
9 public health or safety, has been passed by a yea and nay vote supported by three-fifths of
10 all the members elected to each of the two Houses of the General Assembly, and shall take
11 effect from the date it is enacted.

Approved:

Governor.

Speaker of the House of Delegates.

President of the Senate.