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BY: Finance Committee

AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL 846
(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in line 6, strike “beer, wine, and liquor” and substitute “license or a Class D”; in line 9, strike “a municipality” and substitute “certain municipalities”; and in line 19, strike “33-902” and substitute “33-602, 33-604, 33-803, 33-805, 33-902, and 33-904”.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, after line 5, insert:

“33-602.

(a) There is a Class B beer license.

(b) The license authorizes the license holder to sell beer at retail at a hotel or restaurant at the place described in the license for on-premises consumption or on- and off-premises consumption.

(c) The annual license fees are:

(1) \$275 for a 6-day license; and

(2) \$350 for a 7-day license.

(D) (1) THE BOARD MAY ISSUE A TEMPORARY TO-GO EVENT PERMIT UNDER § 33-1105 OF THIS TITLE TO A HOLDER OF A LICENSE UNDER THIS SECTION IF THE LICENSED ESTABLISHMENT IS LOCATED WITHIN OR IMMEDIATELY ADJACENT TO A SPECIAL EVENT AREA IDENTIFIED IN A CLASS C PER DIEM MUNICIPAL TO-GO BEER, WINE, AND LIQUOR LICENSE ISSUED UNDER § 33-1311 OF THIS TITLE.

(2) THE TEMPORARY TO-GO PERMIT AUTHORIZES THE HOLDER TO SELL AT RETAIL BEER IN APPROVED TO-GO CUPS THAT MAY BE CARRIED OUTSIDE THE LICENSED ESTABLISHMENT AND INTO THE DESIGNATED SPECIAL EVENT AREA.

33-604.

(a) There is a Class D beer license.

(b) (1) Subject to paragraph (2) of this subsection, the license authorizes the license holder to sell beer at retail at the place described in the license for on-premises consumption or on- and off-premises consumption.

(2) A license may not be issued for a drugstore.

(c) The annual license fees are:

(1) \$325 for a 6-day license; and

(2) \$450 for a 7-day license.

(D) (1) THE BOARD MAY ISSUE A TEMPORARY TO-GO EVENT PERMIT UNDER § 33-1105 OF THIS TITLE TO A HOLDER OF A LICENSE UNDER THIS SECTION IF THE LICENSED ESTABLISHMENT IS LOCATED WITHIN OR IMMEDIATELY ADJACENT TO A SPECIAL EVENT AREA IDENTIFIED IN A CLASS C PER DIEM MUNICIPAL TO-GO BEER, WINE, AND LIQUOR LICENSE ISSUED UNDER § 33-1311 OF THIS TITLE.

(2) THE TEMPORARY TO-GO PERMIT AUTHORIZES THE HOLDER TO SELL AT RETAIL BEER IN APPROVED TO-GO CUPS THAT MAY BE CARRIED

OUTSIDE THE LICENSED ESTABLISHMENT AND INTO THE DESIGNATED SPECIAL
EVENT AREA.

33-803.

(a) There is:

- (1) a Class B beer and wine 6-day license; and
- (2) a Class B beer and wine 7-day license.

(b) The license authorizes the license holder to sell beer and wine at a hotel or restaurant, at retail, at the place described in the license, for on-premises consumption or on- and off-premises consumption.

(c) The annual license fees are:

- (1) \$300 for a 6-day license; and
- (2) \$400 for a 7-day license.

(D) (1) THE BOARD MAY ISSUE A TEMPORARY TO-GO EVENT PERMIT UNDER § 33-1105 OF THIS TITLE TO A HOLDER OF A LICENSE UNDER THIS SECTION IF THE LICENSED ESTABLISHMENT IS LOCATED WITHIN OR IMMEDIATELY ADJACENT TO A SPECIAL EVENT AREA IDENTIFIED IN A CLASS C PER DIEM MUNICIPAL TO-GO BEER, WINE, AND LIQUOR LICENSE ISSUED UNDER § 33-1311 OF THIS TITLE.

(2) THE TEMPORARY TO-GO PERMIT AUTHORIZES THE HOLDER TO SELL AT RETAIL BEER AND WINE IN APPROVED TO-GO CUPS THAT MAY BE CARRIED OUTSIDE THE LICENSED ESTABLISHMENT AND INTO THE DESIGNATED SPECIAL EVENT AREA.

33-805.

(a) There is:

(Over)

- (1) a Class D beer and wine 6-day license; and
- (2) a Class D beer and wine 7-day license.

(b) The license authorizes the license holder to sell beer and wine, at retail, at the place described in the license, for on-premises consumption or on- and off-premises consumption.

(c) The license may not be issued for use by a drugstore.

(d) The annual license fees are:

- (1) \$350 for a 6-day license; and
- (2) \$500 for a 7-day license.

(E) (1) THE BOARD MAY ISSUE A TEMPORARY TO-GO EVENT PERMIT UNDER § 33-1105 OF THIS TITLE TO A HOLDER OF A LICENSE UNDER THIS SECTION IF THE LICENSED ESTABLISHMENT IS LOCATED WITHIN OR IMMEDIATELY ADJACENT TO A SPECIAL EVENT AREA IDENTIFIED IN A CLASS C PER DIEM MUNICIPAL TO-GO BEER, WINE, AND LIQUOR LICENSE ISSUED UNDER § 33-1311 OF THIS TITLE.

(2) THE TEMPORARY TO-GO PERMIT AUTHORIZES THE HOLDER TO SELL AT RETAIL BEER AND WINE IN APPROVED TO-GO CUPS THAT MAY BE CARRIED OUTSIDE THE LICENSED ESTABLISHMENT AND INTO THE DESIGNATED SPECIAL EVENT AREA.”.

On page 3, after line 28, insert:

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“33–904.

(a) There are:

(1) a 6–day Class D beer, wine, and liquor license; and

(2) a 7–day Class D beer, wine, and liquor license.

(b) The Board may issue a license under this section only for premises within:

(1) the corporate limits of Ocean City;

(2) the boundary lines of the 10th taxing district;

(3) the area bounded by U.S. Route 50 to the south, Turville Creek and Herring Creek to the east, St. Martin River to the north, and Maryland Route 589 to the west;

(4) the area bounded by Maryland Route 589 to the north and east, U.S. Route 50 to the south, and U.S. Route 113 to the west;

(5) from the intersection of Maryland Route 589 and U.S. Route 50, an area bounded by a line that extends 1,500 feet south of U.S. Route 50, east to the boundary of the 10th taxing district, north along the 10th taxing district boundary to U.S. Route 50, and west to the intersection of Maryland Route 589 and U.S. Route 50;

(6) the corporate limits of the Town of Berlin; and

(7) the corporate limits of the Town of Snow Hill.

(Over)

(c) A license under this section authorizes the license holder to sell beer, wine, and liquor at retail at the place described in the license for on-premises consumption and beer and wine for off-premises consumption.

(d) The annual license fees, set by the County Commissioners, may not be less than:

- (1) \$3,000 for a 6-day license; and
- (2) \$3,500 for a 7-day license.

(E) (1) THE BOARD MAY ISSUE A TEMPORARY TO-GO EVENT PERMIT UNDER § 33-1105 OF THIS TITLE TO A HOLDER OF A LICENSE UNDER THIS SECTION IF THE LICENSED ESTABLISHMENT IS LOCATED WITHIN OR IMMEDIATELY ADJACENT TO A SPECIAL EVENT AREA IDENTIFIED IN A CLASS C PER DIEM MUNICIPAL TO-GO BEER, WINE, AND LIQUOR LICENSE ISSUED UNDER § 33-1311 OF THIS TITLE.

(2) THE TEMPORARY TO-GO PERMIT AUTHORIZES THE HOLDER TO SELL AT RETAIL BEER, WINE, AND LIQUOR IN APPROVED TO-GO CUPS THAT MAY BE CARRIED OUTSIDE THE LICENSED ESTABLISHMENT AND INTO THE DESIGNATED SPECIAL EVENT AREA.

On page 4, in lines 1 and 2, strike “**BEER, WINE, AND LIQUOR**” and substitute “**LICENSE OR A CLASS D**”; and in line 8, after “**LICENSE**” insert “**OR THE LICENSED ESTABLISHMENT OF THE CLASS D LICENSE**”.

On page 5, in lines 1 and 2, strike “**A MUNICIPALITY IN THE COUNTY**” and substitute “:

- (1) THE TOWN OF BERLIN;**

- (2) POKOMOKE CITY; OR**

- (3) THE TOWN OF SNOW HILL”.**