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## THE MARYLAND HOUSE OF DELEGATES Annapolis, Maryland 21401 HARFORD COUNTY DELEGATION

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RE: HB0714- Harford County - Alcoholic Beverages - Performing Arts Nonprofit Organization License - Record-Keeping Requirements

## Dear Chair Wilson:

This bill repeals incorrect references to the Comptroller of Maryland regarding record keeping and reporting requirements for holders of performing arts nonprofit organization licenses in Harford County. It also removes the Comptroller's authority to suspend a license without a hearing, providing the Board with discretion to summon a license holder for a hearing and impose fines under specified circumstances.

HB0714 is supported by the Harford County Delegation as a Harford County Delegation bill and is cross-filed with SB0745.

I respectfully ask for a favorable report from the Economic Matters Committee.

Sincerely,

Teresa E. Reilly

Chair

Harford County House Delegation