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By: **Prince George’s County Delegation and Montgomery County Delegation**

A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Prince George’s County – Issuance of Alcoholic Beverages Licenses and Park**  
3 **Permits – Notification**

4 **PG/MC 112–10**

5 FOR the purpose of requiring the Prince George’s County Board of License  
6 Commissioners to notify certain county officials of certain information when the  
7 Board issues a special Class C beer, wine and liquor license; requiring an  
8 administrative official who issues a use and occupancy permit in Prince  
9 George’s County to notify promptly certain county officials when the  
10 Commission official issues a certain permit that allows entertainment to be held  
11 in the county under certain circumstances; and generally relating to alcoholic  
12 beverages licenses and park permits in Prince George’s County.

13 BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,  
14 Article 2B – Alcoholic Beverages  
15 Section 7–101(d)(1)(i)  
16 Annotated Code of Maryland  
17 (2005 Replacement Volume and 2009 Supplement)

18 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,  
19 Article 2B – Alcoholic Beverages

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EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.



1 Section 7–101(d)(11)  
2 Annotated Code of Maryland  
3 (2005 Replacement Volume and 2009 Supplement)

4 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,  
5 Article 28 – Maryland–National Capital Park and Planning Commission  
6 Section 8–119  
7 Annotated Code of Maryland  
8 (2003 Replacement Volume and 2009 Supplement)

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

11 **Article 2B – Alcoholic Beverages**

12 7–101.

13 (d) (1) (i) A special Class C beer, wine and liquor license entitles the  
14 holder to exercise any of the privileges conferred by this class of license for the use of  
15 any person holding a bona fide entertainment conducted by a club, society, or  
16 association at the place described for a period not exceeding seven consecutive days,  
17 upon the payment of a fee of \$15 per day.

18 (11) (I) [In] THIS PARAGRAPH APPLIES ONLY IN Prince George’s  
19 County[;].

20 [(i)] (II) Except as provided in item [(ii)] (III) of this  
21 paragraph, the fee is \$150 per day[;].

22 [(ii)] (III) For a club, society, or association holding a casino or  
23 gambling event, the fee is \$150 per day, which shall be paid by the club, society, or  
24 association and shall be considered as part of the club’s, society’s, or association’s  
25 special license fee[; and].

26 (IV) WHEN THE BOARD OF LICENSE COMMISSIONERS  
27 ISSUES A LICENSE UNDER THIS PARAGRAPH, THE BOARD SHALL NOTIFY THE  
28 CHIEF OF POLICE, THE FIRE CHIEF, AND THE DIRECTOR OF THE DEPARTMENT

1 **OF ENVIRONMENTAL RESOURCES AS TO THE TIME, PLACE, AND EXPECTED SIZE**  
2 **OF THE EVENT FOR WHICH THE LICENSE IS ISSUED.**

3 [(iii)] (v) The Board of License Commissioners may deny an  
4 application for this license if it is determined that the applicant does not qualify under  
5 the provisions of this article.

6 **Article 28 – Maryland–National Capital Park and Planning Commission**

7 8–119.

8 (a) A building or other structure may not be erected or structurally altered in  
9 the regional district without the issuance of a building permit, and a permit may not  
10 be given except in conformity with the provisions of this article and of the regulations  
11 enacted by the respective district councils. A building permit is not required for  
12 buildings and structures to be used exclusively for purposes of agriculture upon land  
13 used exclusively for agriculture. In any part of the regional district in which there does  
14 not now exist provision of law or ordinance designating an administrative official by  
15 whom building permits are to be issued, the appropriate district council shall  
16 designate this official. An act, ordinance, or regulation issued under the authority of  
17 this article does not require the approval by the Commission of any building permit in  
18 Montgomery County or Prince George’s County, and any acts, ordinances, or  
19 regulations inconsistent herewith are repealed to the extent of the inconsistency.  
20 However, in Montgomery County, all building permit applications shall be referred to  
21 the Commission for review and recommendations as to zoning requirements. In Prince  
22 George’s County, the County Council may provide by ordinance for the referral of some  
23 or all building permit applications to the Commission for review and recommendations  
24 as to zoning requirements.

25 (b) A district council may provide in its zoning regulations for the issuance of  
26 use and occupancy permits and for certificates by means of which zoning questions  
27 may be raised prior to the preparation of all structural specifications of a building as  
28 may be required for a complete building permit.

29 (c) (1) **THIS SUBSECTION APPLIES ONLY IN PRINCE GEORGE’S**  
30 **COUNTY.**

1           **(2) WHEN AN ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICIAL ISSUES A USE AND**  
2 **OCCUPANCY PERMIT THAT UNDER THE APPLICABLE COUNTY ZONING**  
3 **ORDINANCE ALLOWS ENTERTAINMENT TO BE HELD FOR AN ASSOCIATION, A**  
4 **CLUB, A SOCIETY, OR OTHER ORGANIZATION OR THE PUBLIC, THE OFFICIAL**  
5 **PROMPTLY SHALL TRANSMIT A COPY OF THE PERMIT OR GIVE OTHER NOTICE**  
6 **OF THE ISSUANCE OF THE PERMIT TO:**

7                   **(I) THE BOARD OF LICENSE COMMISSIONERS;**

8                   **(II) THE CHIEF OF POLICE;**

9                   **(III) THE FIRE CHIEF; AND**

10                   **(IV) THE DIRECTOR OF THE DEPARTMENT OF**  
11 **ENVIRONMENTAL RESOURCES.**

12           SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect  
13 June 1, 2010.