

HOUSE BILL 1218

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By: Frederick County Delegation

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Assigned to: Rules and Executive Nominations

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House action: Adopted

Read second time: March 23, 2011

CHAPTER _____

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Frederick County – Beer, Wine and Liquor Tasting License**

3 FOR the purpose of creating in Frederick County a beer, wine and liquor tasting
4 license; specifying to whom the licenses may be issued; setting maximum limits
5 on the amounts of certain individual servings; specifying that the license may be
6 issued for tasting or sampling purposes only; providing for a license fee; and
7 generally relating to alcoholic beverages licenses in Frederick County.

8 BY renumbering

9 Article 2B – Alcoholic Beverages

10 Section 8–406.1 and 8–406.2, respectively

11 to be Section 8–406.2 and 8–406.3, respectively

12 Annotated Code of Maryland

13 (2005 Replacement Volume and 2010 Supplement)

14 BY adding to

15 Article 2B – Alcoholic Beverages

16 Section 8–406.1

17 Annotated Code of Maryland

18 (2005 Replacement Volume and 2010 Supplement)

19 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF
20 MARYLAND, That Section(s) 8–406.1 and 8–406.2, respectively, of Article 2B –

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.



1 Alcoholic Beverages of the Annotated Code of Maryland be renumbered to be
2 Section(s) 8-406.2 and 8-406.3, respectively.

3 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That the Laws of Maryland
4 read as follows:

5 **Article 2B – Alcoholic Beverages**

6 **8-406.1.**

7 **(A) THIS SECTION APPLIES ONLY IN FREDERICK COUNTY.**

8 **(B) THE BOARD OF LICENSE COMMISSIONERS MAY ISSUE A BEER, WINE
9 AND LIQUOR TASTING (BWLTT) LICENSE.**

10 **(C) A BEER, WINE AND LIQUOR TASTING LICENSE MAY BE ISSUED ONLY
11 TO A HOLDER OF A CLASS A BEER, WINE AND LIQUOR LICENSE.**

12 **(D) A BEER, WINE AND LIQUOR TASTING LICENSE AUTHORIZES THE
13 CONSUMPTION OF ONE-HALF AN OUNCE OF LIQUOR FROM A GIVEN BRAND AND
14 1.5 OUNCES FROM ALL BRANDS BY ANY ONE PERSON IN A SINGLE DAY FOR
15 TASTING AND SAMPLING PURPOSES ONLY.**

16 **(E) THE LIMITATIONS ON THE CONSUMPTION OF BEER AND WINE
17 UNDER § 8-406 OF THIS SUBTITLE APPLY TO A BEER, WINE AND LIQUOR
18 TASTING LICENSE.**

19 **(F) THE BOARD SHALL SET THE ANNUAL FEE FOR A BEER, WINE AND
20 LIQUOR TASTING LICENSE.**

21 SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect
22 July 1, 2011.

Approved:

Governor.

Speaker of the House of Delegates.

President of the Senate.