

# SENATE BILL 531

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By: **Caroline County Senators**

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Assigned to: Finance

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## A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Caroline County – Alcoholic Beverages – Barbershop and Beauty Salon License**

3 FOR the purpose of establishing a barbershop and beauty salon beer and wine license in  
4 Caroline County; authorizing the Board of License Commissioners for Caroline  
5 County to issue the license to a holder of a certain barbershop or beauty salon permit;  
6 and generally relating to alcoholic beverages licenses in Caroline County.

7 BY renumbering

8 Article – Alcoholic Beverages and Cannabis  
9 Section 15–1001 and 15–1001.1  
10 to be Section 15–1002 and 15–1003, respectively  
11 Annotated Code of Maryland  
12 (2016 Volume and 2023 Supplement)

13 BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,

14 Article – Alcoholic Beverages and Cannabis  
15 Section 15–102  
16 Annotated Code of Maryland  
17 (2016 Volume and 2023 Supplement)

18 BY adding to

19 Article – Alcoholic Beverages and Cannabis  
20 Section 15–1001  
21 Annotated Code of Maryland  
22 (2016 Volume and 2023 Supplement)

23 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND,  
24 That Section(s) 15–1001 and 15–1001.1 of Article – Alcoholic Beverages and Cannabis of  
25 the Annotated Code of Maryland be renumbered to be Section(s) 15–1002 and 15–1003,  
26 respectively.

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EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.



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

3 **Article – Alcoholic Beverages and Cannabis**

4 15–102.

5 This title applies only in Caroline County.

6 **15–1001.**

7 **(A) THERE IS A BARBERSHOP AND BEAUTY SALON BEER AND WINE LICENSE.**

8 **(B) THE BOARD MAY ISSUE THE LICENSE TO A HOLDER OF:**

9 **(1) A BARBERSHOP PERMIT ISSUED UNDER § 4–501 OF THE BUSINESS**  
10 **OCCUPATIONS AND PROFESSIONS ARTICLE; OR**

11 **(2) A BEAUTY SALON PERMIT ISSUED UNDER § 5–501 OF THE**  
12 **BUSINESS OCCUPATIONS AND PROFESSIONS ARTICLE.**

13 **(C) THE LICENSE AUTHORIZES THE LICENSE HOLDER TO PROVIDE NOT**  
14 **MORE THAN 12 OUNCES OF BEER OR 5 OUNCES OF WINE BY THE GLASS FOR**  
15 **ON–PREMISES CONSUMPTION BY A BARBERSHOP OR BEAUTY SALON CUSTOMER**  
16 **WHEN THE CUSTOMER IS BEING PROVIDED:**

17 **(1) A BARBERING SERVICE UNDER TITLE 4 OF THE BUSINESS**  
18 **OCCUPATIONS AND PROFESSIONS ARTICLE; OR**

19 **(2) A COSMETOLOGY SERVICE UNDER TITLE 5 OF THE BUSINESS**  
20 **OCCUPATIONS AND PROFESSIONS ARTICLE.**

21 **(D) A LICENSE HOLDER MAY PROVIDE BEER AND WINE DURING NORMAL**  
22 **BUSINESS HOURS.**

23 **(E) A LICENSE HOLDER MAY NOT TRANSFER THE LICENSE TO ANOTHER**  
24 **LOCATION.**

25 **(F) AN ESTABLISHMENT FOR WHICH THE LICENSE IS ISSUED IS SUBJECT TO**  
26 **THE ALCOHOL AWARENESS TRAINING REQUIREMENTS UNDER § 4–505 OF THIS**  
27 **ARTICLE AND § 15–1902 OF THIS TITLE.**

28 **(G) THE ANNUAL LICENSE FEE IS \$100.**

1           SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July  
2   1, 2024.