

(1951 Edition and 1954 Supplement), title "Alcoholic Beverages", sub-title "Rights and Duties of Licensees", be and it is hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

71. (Transfer of Licenses.) (a) Any holder of a license under the provisions of this Article including a receiver or trustee for the benefit of creditors, may be permitted to transfer his place of business to some other location *and/or* sell or assign said license and his stock in trade to another person, provided that application for such transfer *and/or* sale shall be made, and that a bulk sales permit is obtained where the stock of **[acoholic]** *alcoholic* beverages is to be sold, and the new location *and/or* assignee shall be approved as in the case of an original application for such license. Such transfer *and/or* assignment when made shall be endorsed upon the license by the official issuing the same, upon the payment of a fee of one dollar (\$1.00) in addition to the costs of publication and notice, which shall be paid at the time of the filing of the application for the transfer *and/or* sale. *This section shall permit the transfer of location and the assignment of license in the same application.*

(b) (Allegany County.) In Allegany County, the holder of any license issued under this Article shall not be permitted to sell, assign *and/or* otherwise transfer such license to another person. If any such holder of a license shall for any reason discontinue the use thereof, said license shall revert to the Board. Thereafter, the Board shall treat the said license in all respects as if it had not previously been issued and reverted, and may issue it to another licensee, or not so issue it, in their discretion, agreeably to the provisions of this Article relating to the issue of licenses for the retail sale of alcoholic beverages. Provided, that nothing in this sub-section shall be construed to extend to the disposal of a license by reason of the death of the licensee, but any such contingency shall be covered by the provisions of Section 75 of this sub-title.

(c) (Prince George's County.) In Prince George's County the fee for assignment *and/or* transfer of a license shall be One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00).

(d) Charles County.—In Charles County the fee for assignment *and/or* transfer of a license shall be one hundred dollars (\$100.00).

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1955.

Approved April 11, 1955.

CHAPTER 375

(House Bill 497)

AN ACT to add a new section to Article 26 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1951 Edition and 1954 Supplement), title "Courts",

EXPLANATION: *Italics indicate new matter added to existing law.*

[Brackets] indicate matter stricken from existing law.

CAPITALS indicate amendments to bill.

~~Strike out~~ indicates matter stricken out of bill.