

CHAPTER 218

(House Bill 570)

AN ACT concerning

Cecil County - Alcoholic Beverages Licensees - Administrative Proceedings

FOR the purpose of adding Cecil County to the list of counties in which the granting of probation before judgment to an alcoholic beverages licensee for selling or furnishing alcoholic beverages to an underaged individual does not bar the board of license commissioners from proceeding administratively against the licensee for the violation; and generally relating to alcoholic beverages licensees in Cecil County.

BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,
Article 2B - Alcoholic Beverages
Section 12-108(a)
Annotated Code of Maryland
(2001 Replacement Volume and 2004 Supplement)

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
Article 2B - Alcoholic Beverages
Section 12-108(f)
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SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

Article 2B - Alcoholic Beverages

12-108.

(a) (1) A licensee licensed under this article, or any employee of the licensee, may not sell or furnish any alcoholic beverages at any time to a person under 21 years of age:

(i) For the underage person's own use or for the use of any other person; or

(ii) To any person who, at the time of the sale, or delivery, is visibly under the influence of any alcoholic beverage.

(2) Any licensee or any employee of the licensee who is charged with a violation of this subsection shall receive a summons to appear in court on a certain day to answer the charges placed against that person. The person charged may not be required to post bail bond pending trial in any court of this State.