

CHAPTER 525

(House Bill 1084)

AN ACT concerning

Wicomico County - Alcoholic Beverages - Restaurant License Fee

FOR the purpose of altering the annual fee in Wicomico County for a Class B beer, wine and liquor license for restaurants; and generally relating to alcoholic beverages license fees in Wicomico County.

BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,

Article 2B - Alcoholic Beverages

Section 6-201(x)(1)

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1998 Replacement Volume and 2000 Supplement)

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article 2B - Alcoholic Beverages

Section 6-201(x)(2)

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1998 Replacement Volume and 2000 Supplement)

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

Article 2B - Alcoholic Beverages

6-201.

(x) (1) This subsection applies only in Wicomico County.

(2) (i) This paragraph applies solely to hotel and restaurant licenses.

(ii) The annual license fee is:

1. For a restaurant - [~~\$1,100~~] \$1,320; and

2. For a hotel - \$1,650.

(iii) 1. This license may be issued to a bona fide hotel which:

A. Is an establishment for the accommodation of the public providing services ordinarily found in hotels; and

B. Is equipped with not fewer than 25 rooms, a lobby with registration and mail desk and seating facilities and a dining room which serves full-course meals at least twice daily.

2. A hotel license does not permit sales for consumption off the premises.