

Article 2B – Alcoholic Beverages

Section 8-407

Annotated Code of Maryland

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

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(a) In Harford County, SUBJECT TO THE PROVISIONS OF SUBSECTIONS (C) AND (D) OF THIS SECTION, the Liquor Control Board may issue:

- (1) A CWBT license to holders of a CLASS A1 BWL license; and
- (2) A WBT license to holders of a CLASS A BW license.

(b) (1) The CWBT license permits the on-premises consumption of cordials, wine, beer, and liquor for tasting or sampling purposes only.

(2) The WBT license permits the on-premises consumption OF WINE AND BEER for tasting or sampling purposes only [of wine and beer].

[(c) Each of the respective tasting or sampling licenses under this section is effective for a maximum of 52 days in any licensing period.]

(C) (1) THE HOLDER OF A CLASS A1 BWL LICENSE MAY APPLY FOR AND THE LIQUOR CONTROL BOARD MAY ISSUE A CWBT LICENSE THAT IS EFFECTIVE FOR A MAXIMUM OF:

- (I) ANY 26 DAYS IN A LICENSING PERIOD;
- (II) ANY 52 DAYS IN A LICENSING PERIOD; OR
- (III) 365 DAYS IN A LICENSING PERIOD.

(2) THE FEES FOR A CWBT LICENSE UNDER THIS SUBSECTION ARE:

(I) FOR A LICENSE THAT IS EFFECTIVE FOR ANY 26 DAYS IN A LICENSING PERIOD, \$125;

(II) FOR A LICENSE THAT IS EFFECTIVE FOR ANY 52 DAYS IN A LICENSING PERIOD, \$200; AND

(III) FOR A LICENSE THAT IS EFFECTIVE FOR 365 DAYS IN A LICENSING PERIOD, \$400.

(D) (1) THE HOLDER OF A CLASS A BW LICENSE MAY APPLY FOR AND THE LIQUOR CONTROL BOARD MAY ISSUE A WBT LICENSE THAT IS EFFECTIVE FOR A MAXIMUM OF:

- (I) ANY 26 DAYS IN A LICENSING PERIOD;