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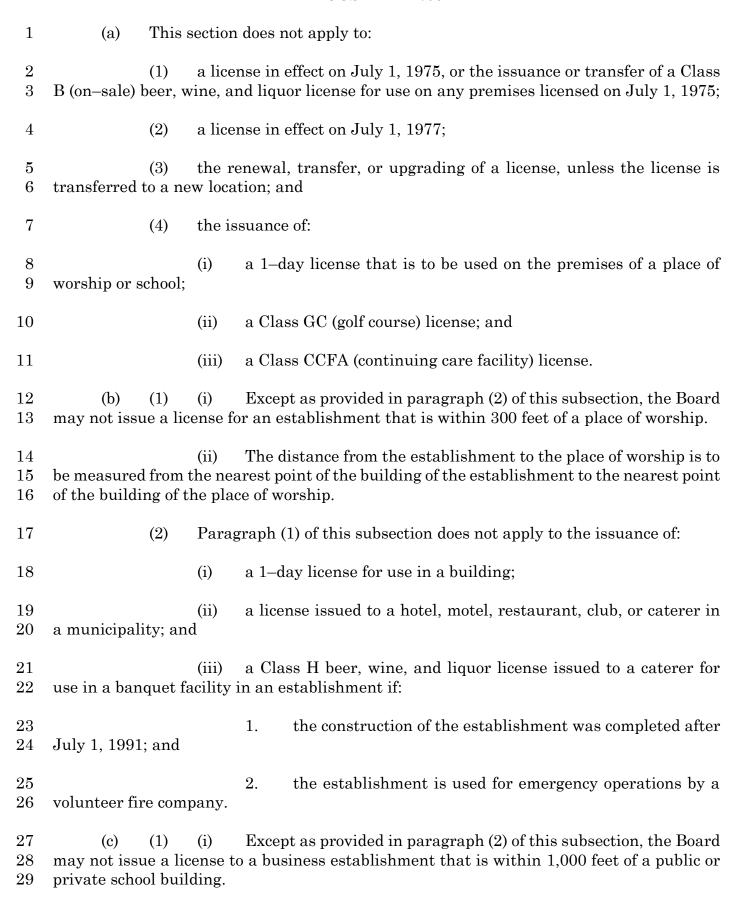
## A BILL ENTITLED

1	AN ACT concerning
2 3	Harford County – Alcoholic Beverages – Waiver From School Distance Restrictions
4 5 6 7	FOR the purpose of altering the circumstances under which the Board of License Commissioners for Harford County may issue a waiver from certain school distance restrictions for certain alcoholic beverages licenses; and generally relating to alcoholic beverages in Harford County.
8 9 10 11 12	BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments, Article – Alcoholic Beverages Section 22–102 Annotated Code of Maryland (2016 Volume and 2016 Supplement)
13 14 15 16 17	BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments, Article – Alcoholic Beverages Section 22–1602 Annotated Code of Maryland (2016 Volume and 2016 Supplement)
18 19	SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:
20	Article - Alcoholic Beverages
21	22–102.
22	This title applies only in Harford County.
23	22–1602.

EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.





- 1 (ii) The distance from the establishment to the public or private 2 school is to be measured from the nearest point of the building of the establishment to the 3 nearest point of the building of the school. 4 (2)The Board may issue a license to a business establishment in Harford 5 County and in a municipality in Harford County if the business establishment is not located 6 within 300 feet of a public or private school. 7 A decision of the County Board of Education to locate a public school (3)8 building within 1,000 feet of the premises of a license holder may not be the basis to revoke 9 or deny the renewal, transfer, or upgrading of the license. 10 The Board may waive the distance restrictions from a public or private school 11 building and issue a Class B (on-sale) restaurant license [if: 12 (1)the restaurant is located in a community shopping center that contains: 13 (i) six or more retail uses; 14 (ii) six or more retail and service uses; or a gross floor area of more than 20,000 square feet; and 15 (iii) 16 (2) the Board takes into account comments received from parents whose children attend the public or private school] OR A CLASS B CAFE LICENSE ON A 17 CASE-BY-CASE BASIS. 18
- SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 20 1, 2017.