

SENATE BILL 340

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By: **Calvert County Senators**

Introduced and read first time: January 21, 2014

Assigned to: Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs

Committee Report: Favorable with amendments

Senate action: Adopted

Read second time: March 5, 2014

CHAPTER _____

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Calvert County – Alcoholic Beverages – Unlicensed Establishments –**
3 **Prohibitions**

4 FOR the purpose of prohibiting, subject to a certain exception, an establishment in
5 Calvert County that is not licensed by the Board of License Commissioners from
6 giving, serving, dispensing, keeping, or allowing to be consumed on its premises,
7 or on premises under its control or possession, any alcoholic beverages;
8 establishing a certain penalty for a violation of this Act; and generally relating
9 to alcoholic beverages in Calvert County.

10 BY renumbering

11 Article 2B – Alcoholic Beverages

12 Section 20–103.1

13 to be Section 20–103.2

14 Annotated Code of Maryland

15 (2011 Replacement Volume and 2013 Supplement)

16 BY adding to

17 Article 2B – Alcoholic Beverages

18 Section 20–103.1

19 Annotated Code of Maryland

20 (2011 Replacement Volume and 2013 Supplement)

EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.

Underlining indicates amendments to bill.

~~Strike out~~ indicates matter stricken from the bill by amendment or deleted from the law by amendment.



1 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF
 2 MARYLAND, That Section(s) 20–103.1 of Article 2B – Alcoholic Beverages of the
 3 Annotated Code of Maryland be renumbered to be Section(s) 20–103.2.

4 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That the Laws of Maryland
 5 read as follows:

6 **Article 2B – Alcoholic Beverages**

7 **20–103.1.**

8 (A) THIS SECTION APPLIES ONLY IN CALVERT COUNTY.

9 (B) (1) ~~AN~~ EXCEPT AS PROVIDED IN PARAGRAPH (2) OF THIS
 10 SUBSECTION, AN ESTABLISHMENT THAT IS NOT LICENSED BY THE BOARD OF
 11 LICENSE COMMISSIONERS MAY NOT GIVE, SERVE, DISPENSE, KEEP, OR ALLOW
 12 TO BE CONSUMED ON ITS PREMISES, OR ON PREMISES UNDER ITS CONTROL OR
 13 POSSESSION, ANY ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES.

14 (2) A VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT, RESCUE SQUAD, OR
 15 EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES ORGANIZATION MAY CONDUCT NO MORE THAN
 16 FOUR EVENTS EACH YEAR TO WHICH INDIVIDUALS MAY BRING ALCOHOLIC
 17 BEVERAGES TO BE CONSUMED ON THE PREMISES OR ON PREMISES UNDER THE
 18 CONTROL OR POSSESSION OF THE VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT, RESCUE
 19 SQUAD, OR EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES ORGANIZATION.

20 (C) A PERSON THAT VIOLATES THIS SECTION IS GUILTY OF A
 21 MISDEMEANOR AND ON CONVICTION IS SUBJECT TO A FINE NOT EXCEEDING
 22 \$10,000 OR IMPRISONMENT NOT EXCEEDING 2 YEARS OR BOTH.

23 SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect
 24 July 1, 2014.

Approved:

Governor.

President of the Senate.

Speaker of the House of Delegates.