

**CITY OF BALTIMORE
COUNCIL BILL 20-0233R
(Resolution)**

Introduced by: Councilmember Pinkett
Introduced and read first time: July 6, 2020
Assigned to: Housing and Urban Affairs Committee

Committee Report: Favorable
Adopted: August 17, 2020

A COUNCIL RESOLUTION CONCERNING

**Approval for the Exchange of a Class B-D-7 License to a
Class A-7 License – 1300-1302 Laurens Street**

FOR the purpose of providing the required approval under Md. Code Ann., Alc. Bev. § 12-902.1(d)(1) to allow the license holder holding a valid Class B-D-7 Beer, Wine, and Liquor License issued for use at 1300-1302 Laurens Street, Baltimore, Maryland 21217 to apply to the Board of Liquor License Commissioners for Baltimore City to exchange their Class B-D-7 Beer, Wine, and Liquor License for a Class A-7 Beer, Wine, and Liquor License.

Recitals

Under Md. Code Ann., Alc. Bev. § 12-902.1(d)(1), a City Council resolution is required to allow a current holder of a valid Class B-D-7 Beer, Wine, and Liquor License issued on or before July 1, 2018, to apply to the Board of Liquor License Commissioners for Baltimore City (the “Board”) to exchange their Class B-D-7 Beer, Wine, and Liquor License for a Class A-7 Beer, Wine, and Liquor License.

The Class A-7 License authorizes the license holder to sell beer, wine, and liquor at retail at the place described in the license for off-premise consumption. The holder of a Class A-7 License may sell beer, wine, and liquor on Monday through Sunday from 10:00 a.m. to midnight.

57 Liquors, Inc., wishes to apply to the Board to exchange the Class B-D-7 License issued for use at 1300-1302 Laurens Street for a Class A-7 License. Accordingly, representatives of 57 Liquors, Inc., have applied to the Baltimore City Council for approval of the exchange.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF BALTIMORE, That the City Council authorizes, by and through this Resolution, that the current holder of the Class B-D-7 Beer, Wine, and Liquor License issued for use at 1300-1302 Laurens Street, Baltimore, Maryland, 21217 may apply to exchange its Class B-D-7 License for a Class A-7 Beer, Wine, and Liquor License and may be afforded all the privileges and responsibilities of that license class and type under the Alcoholic Beverages Article for the State of Maryland.

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution be sent to the Executive Secretary of the Board of Liquor License Commissioners for Baltimore City.

EXPLANATION: Underlining indicates matter added by amendment.
~~Strike out~~ indicates matter stricken by amendment.