

**CITY OF BALTIMORE
COUNCIL BILL 21-0066R
(Resolution)**

Introduced by: Councilmember Bullock
Introduced and read first time: October 4, 2021
Assigned to: Economic and Community Development Committee

Committee Report: Favorable
Adopted: Yes

A COUNCIL RESOLUTION CONCERNING

**Approval for the Exchange of a Class B-D-7 License to a
Class A-7 License – 1609 Laurens Street**

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3 FOR the purpose of providing the required approval under Md. Code Ann., Alc. Bev. § 12-
4 902.1(d)(1) to allow the license holder holding a valid Class B-D-7 Beer, Wine, and Liquor
5 License issued for use at 1609 Laurens Street, Baltimore, Maryland 21217 to apply to the
6 Board of Liquor License Commissioners for Baltimore City to exchange their Class B-D-7
7 Beer, Wine, and Liquor License for a Class A-7 Beer, Wine, and Liquor License.

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

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

17 The license holder wishes to apply to the Board to exchange the Class B-D-7 License issued
18 for use at 1609 Laurens Street for a Class A-7 License. Accordingly, representatives of the
19 license holder have applied to the Baltimore City Council for approval of the exchange.

20 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF BALTIMORE**, That the City
21 Council authorizes, by and through this resolution, that the current holder of a Class B-D-7 Beer,
22 Wine, and Liquor License located at 1609 Laurens Street, Baltimore, Maryland 21217, may apply
23 to the Board of Liquor License Commissioners for Baltimore City (the “Board”) to exchange its
24 Class B-D-7 Beer, Wine, and Liquor License for a Class A-7 Beer, Wine, and Liquor License and
25 may be afforded all the privileges and responsibilities of that license class and type under the
26 Alcoholic Beverages Article for the State of Maryland.

27 **AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, That a copy of this Resolution be sent to the Executive
28 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.