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POLICY

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PURPOSE: The process is to establish directives that establishments must follow to comply with the then-current Executive Orders from the Governor of Maryland and the Health Officer Orders, Maryland Department of Health Directives and CDC Guidelines.

REQUIREMENTS:

1. Properly worn face masks must be worn by all staff and patron unless actively eating or drinking.
2. All service must be to seated patron only; there will be no standing or congregating at the bar or at outside areas of the establishments.
3. All tables must be 6 feet apart with no more than 6 people seated at each table.
4. Bar stools must be 6 feet apart, unless people come in together, they cannot be seated together. Meeting up at the establishment is not coming in together.
5. Masks must be worn outside unless social distancing can be observed (patrons only). Definition of face covering per the Executive order: “Face Covering” means a covering that fully covers a person’s nose and mouth and is secure to the person’s head, but not a Medical-Grade mask. The term “Face Covering” includes, without limitations scarves, bandanas, and plastic full-face shields.
6. Tables will be wiped and sanitized between each patron.
7. Sanitizer will be readily available for staff and patrons.
8. Compliance with then-current capacity restrictions in the Executive Orders. (For example, at the time of the issuance of this Policy, capacity is limited to 50%.

PROCEDURES:

This is a temporary policy to address current COVID-19 pandemic and shall be in place for so long as Executive Orders relating to COVID-19 are in effect.

To address these public health concerns with our licensed establishments, the Board has taken the following steps to ensure that safety measures are met and follow the intent of the Executive Order to ensure the wellbeing and safety of our citizens and workers.

The warning period is over, and these directives go into effect immediately. The following are the consequences for non-compliance:

- First Violation will be a no contest letter and \$250.00 fine.
- Second Violation will go before the Board for a decision and fine
- Three or more Violations will result in an automatic suspension of the license.