



Board of License Commissioners

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REFILLABLE CONTAINER PERMIT APPLICATION

Trade Name:

Business Entity Name:

Business Address:

To the Garrett County Board of License Commissioners:

Application is made by the undersigned licensee(s) under the provisions of the Alcoholic Beverages (AB) Article, § 4-1104 and § 21-1104 of the Annotated Code of Maryland, for authority to permit the sale of draft beer in refillable containers for consumption off the described licensed premises only.

We/I understand the regulations outlined in the attached information sheet and all other applicable Rules and Regulations of the Garrett County Board of License Commissioners.

(Print Licensee's Name)

(Signature of Licensee)

(Date)

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REFILLABLE CONTAINER PERMIT
BUSINESS REGULATIONS / REQUIREMENTS
(Per AB §4-1104 & §21-1104)

§ 4-1104. REFILLABLE CONTAINER PERMIT -- DRAFT BEER

- (a) **Established.** -- There is a refillable container permit.
- (b) **Scope of authorization.** -- A refillable container permit authorizes the permit holder to:
- (1) sell draft beer for off-premises consumption in a refillable container that meets the standards set out in subsection (d) of this section; and
 - (2) sell and refill a refillable container that meets the standards set out in subsection (d) of this section.
- (c) **Permit term; hours of sale; notice and hearing requirements.** --
- (1) The term of a refillable container permit is the same as that of the underlying license.
 - (2) The hours of sale for a refillable container permit are the same as those for the underlying license.
 - (3) An applicant who holds an underlying license without an off-sale privilege shall meet the same advertising, posting of notice, and public hearing requirements as those for the underlying license.
- (d) **Container standards.** --
- (1) To be used as a refillable container for beer under the authority of a refillable container permit, a container shall:
 - (i) have a capacity of not less than 32 ounces and not more than 128 ounces;
 - (ii) be sealable;
 - (iii) be branded with an identifying mark of the seller of the container;
 - (iv) bear the federal health warning statement required for containers of alcoholic beverages under 27 C.F.R. 16.21;
 - (v) display instructions for cleaning the container; and
 - (vi) bear a label stating that:
 1. cleaning the container is the responsibility of the consumer; and
 2. the contents of the container are perishable and should be refrigerated immediately and consumed within 48 hours after purchase.
 - (2) The Comptroller may adopt standards regarding containers that qualify for use as refillable containers for beer, including containers originating from outside the State.
 - (3) The holder of a refillable container permit may refill a refillable container originating from inside or outside the State that meets the standards adopted by the Comptroller under paragraph (2) of this subsection.

§ 21-1104. REFILLABLE CONTAINER PERMIT -- DRAFT BEER

- (a) **Authorized permit holder.** -- The Board may issue a refillable container permit for draft beer to a holder of a draft beer license who also holds any other license except a Class A license or a Class C license.
- (b) **Penalty.** -- A person who violates this section is guilty of a misdemeanor and on conviction is subject to imprisonment not exceeding 1 year or a fine not exceeding \$ 5,000 or both

27 C.F.R. §16.21: MANDATORY LABEL INFORMATION

There shall be stated on the band label or separate front label, or on a back or side label, separate and apart from all other information, the following statement:

GOVERNMENT WARNING: (1) According to the Surgeon General, women should not drink alcoholic beverages during pregnancy because of the risk of birth defects. (2) Consumption of alcoholic beverages impairs your ability to drive a car or operate machinery, and may cause health problems.