## **HOUSE BILL 797**

A2 5lr2395 CF SB 630 By: Washington County Delegation Introduced and read first time: February 13, 2015 Assigned to: Economic Matters Committee Report: Favorable House action: Adopted Read second time: March 3, 2015 CHAPTER AN ACT concerning Alcoholic Beverages - Washington County - Population Ratio Quota FOR the purpose of altering the population ratio quota that applies to the issuance of certain alcoholic beverages licenses in Washington County; and generally relating to alcoholic beverages in Washington County. BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments, Article 2B – Alcoholic Beverages Section 9–222(b) Annotated Code of Maryland (2011 Replacement Volume and 2014 Supplement) SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows: Article 2B – Alcoholic Beverages 9-222.(b) In this subsection the following words have the meanings (1) (i) indicated. "Population ratio quota" means 1 license for each [1,000] **3,000** (ii) individuals, excluding individuals detained or confined in a correctional facility as defined

## EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.

<u>Underlining</u> indicates amendments to bill.

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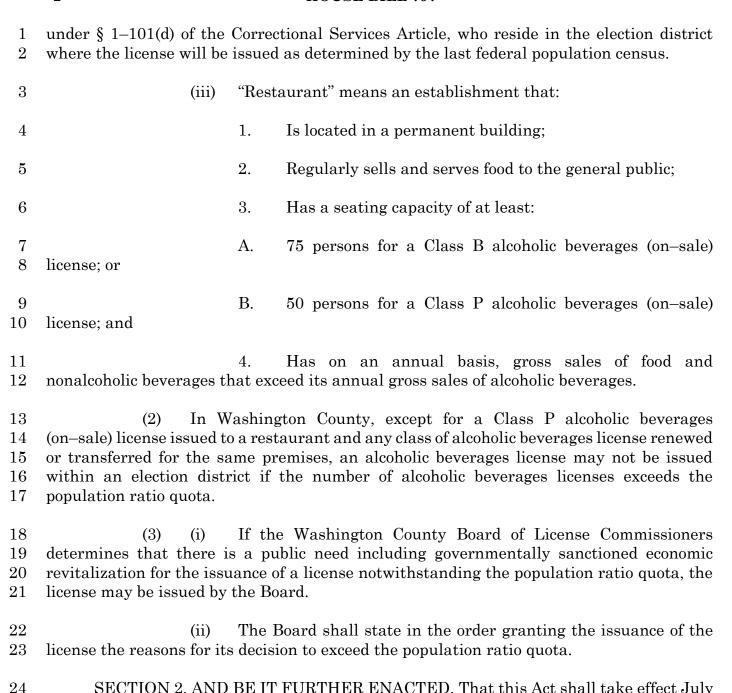
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Strike out indicates matter stricken from the bill by amendment or deleted from the law by amendment.



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SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July