

**A008-0506**

10 AN ACT CONCERNING

20 **DISORDERLY INTOXICATION – ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES**

30 FOR the purpose of exempting bars from public intoxication laws.

40 BY repealing

50 Article – Alcoholic Beverages

60 Section 19-101

70 Annotated Code of Maryland

80 **SECTION 1.** BE IT ENACTED BY THE MARYLAND STUDENT LEGISLATURE,

90 That the Law of Maryland read as follows:

100 **Article – Alcoholic Beverages –General**

110 **Section 19-101. Prohibited acts; supplemental ordinances or resolutions.**

120 a) ~~Prohibited acts.~~ – A person may not:

130 (1) ~~Be intoxicated and endanger the safety of another person or property; or~~

140 (2) ~~Be intoxicated or drink any alcoholic beverage in a public place and cause a public disturbance.~~

150 (b) ~~Supplemental ordinances or resolutions.~~ – A county, municipality, or other political subdivision of this

160 State may not adopt ordinances or resolutions identical or supplemental to this section, and any existing

170 ordinance, resolution, or other legislation inconsistent with this section is repealed.

180 **SECTION 2.** AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 2006.

190 **Mandates:**

200 Governor Robert Ehrlich

210 Lt. Governor Michael Steele

220 Senate President Thomas V. “Mike” Miller

230 Speaker of the House Michael Busch

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