

(III) A LICENSING AGREEMENT;

(IV) A CONCESSION AGREEMENT;

(V) DUAL MEMBERSHIP IN A CHAIN OF BUSINESSES COMMONLY OWNED AND OPERATED;

(VI) A SHARING OF DIRECTORS, STOCKHOLDERS, PARTNERS, OR MEMBERS, OR A SHARING OF DIRECTORS, STOCKHOLDERS, PARTNERS, OR MEMBERS OF PARENTS OR SUBSIDIARIES;

(VII) COMMON DIRECT OR INDIRECT SHARING OF PROFIT FROM THE SALE OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES; OR

(VIII) A SHARING OF A COMMON TRADE NAME, TRADEMARK, LOGO OR THEME, OR MODE OF OPERATION IDENTIFIABLE BY THE PUBLIC.

(j) [(1) Subject to the provisions of paragraph (2) of this subsection, in Harford County, the Liquor Control Board may issue additional Class BDR (deluxe restaurant) licenses (on-sale only) to an individual for the use of a sole proprietorship, partnership, corporation, unincorporated association, or limited liability company in the county.

(2)] The maximum number of Class B[, including Class BDR,] licenses that may be issued by the Liquor Control Board to an individual for the use of a sole practitioner, partnership, corporation, unincorporated association, or limited liability company in the county is [two] 9.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 2008.

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