AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL NO. 466

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Amend Bill, page 2, lines 31 through 50; pages 3 and 4, lines 1 2 1 through 30; page 5, lines 1 through 6; by striking out all of said lines on said pages and inserting 3

Amending the act of April 12, 1951 (P.L.90, No.21), entitled, as 4 5 reenacted, "An act relating to alcoholic liquors, alcohol and 6 malt and brewed beverages; amending, revising, consolidating 7 and changing the laws relating thereto; regulating and 8 restricting the manufacture, purchase, sale, possession, 9 consumption, importation, transportation, furnishing, holding 10 in bond, holding in storage, traffic in and use of alcoholic liquors, alcohol and malt and brewed beverages and the 11 12 persons engaged or employed therein; defining the powers and 13 duties of the Pennsylvania Liquor Control Board; providing 14 for the establishment and operation of State liquor stores, 15 for the payment of certain license fees to the respective 16 municipalities and townships, for the abatement of certain 17 nuisances and, in certain cases, for search and seizure 18 without warrant; prescribing penalties and forfeitures; 19 providing for local option, and repealing existing laws," in 20 preliminary provisions, further providing for definitions; in 21 Pennsylvania Liquor Control Board, further providing for 22 general powers of board; in Pennsylvania Liquor Stores, 23 further providing for board to establish State liquor stores, 24 for when sales may be made at Pennsylvania Liquor Stores, and 25 for sales by Pennsylvania Liquor Stores; and, in licenses and 26 regulations and liquor and alcohol and malt and brewed 27 beverages, further providing for authority to issue liquor 28 licenses to hotels, restaurants and clubs, for sales by 29 liquor licensees and restrictions, for sale of malt or brewed 30 beverages by liquor licensees, for special occasion permits 31 and for wine auction permits, providing for special hours 32 permit, further providing for providing for special hours permit; further providing for malt and brewed beverages 33 manufacturers', distributors' and importing distributors' 34 35 licenses, for distributors' and importing distributors' 36 restrictions on sales, storage, etc., for retail dispensers' 37 restrictions on purchases and sales, for breweries, for

1 limiting number of retail licenses to be issued in each county, and for renewal of licenses and temporary provisions 2 3 for licensees in armed service; providing for license 4 auction, further providing for revocation and suspension of 5 license and fines, for applicants to provide State tax 6 identification numbers and statement of State tax status and 7 waiver of confidentiality of information in the possession of 8 the Department of Revenue and other departments and review of 9 the tax status and for shipment of wine into Commonwealth, providing for direct shipment of wine and further providing 10 11 for unlawful acts relative to liquor, malt and brewed 12 beverages and licensees and for premises to be vacated by 13 patrons; in distilleries, wineries, bonded warehouses, 14 bailees for hire and transporters for hire, further providing 15 for limited wineries and for distilleries; and, in 16 miscellaneous provisions, providing for small brewers tax 17 credits.

Amend Bill, page 194, lines 22 through 30; pages 195 through 230, lines 1 through 30; page 231, lines 1 through 10; by 20 striking out all of said lines on said pages and inserting

21 Section 1. The definitions of "alcohol," "denatured alcohol," "distributor," "eligible entity," "holiday," 22 "importing distributor," "liquor," "performing arts facilities" 23 and "retail dispenser" in section 102 of the act of April 12, 24 1951 (P.L.90, No.21), known as the Liquor Code, reenacted and 25 26 amended June 29, 1987 (P.L.32, No.14) and amended or added May 31, 1996 (P.L.312, No.49), December 8, 2004 (P.L.1810, No.239), 27 June 25, 2010 (P.L.217, No.35) and July 5, 2012 (P.L.1007, 28 29 No.116), are amended and the section is amended by adding a 30 definition to read:

31 Section 102. Definitions.--The following words or phrases, 32 unless the context clearly indicates otherwise, shall have the 33 meanings ascribed to them in this section:

"Alcohol" shall mean ethyl alcohol of any degree of proof 34 35 originally produced by the distillation of any fermented liquid, whether rectified or diluted with or without water, whatever may 36 be the origin thereof, and shall include powdered alcohol and 37 synthetic ethyl alcohol, but shall not mean or include ethyl 38 39 alcohol, whether or not diluted, that has been denatured or 40 otherwise rendered unfit for beverage purposes. \* \* \* 41

42 "Denatured alcohol" shall mean and include all alcohol or any 43 compound thereof which by the admixture of such denaturing 44 material or materials is rendered unfit for use as a beverage. 45 <u>The term shall not include powdered alcohol.</u>

47 "Distributor" shall mean any person licensed by the board to 48 engage in the purchase only from Pennsylvania manufacturers and

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from importing distributors and the resale of malt or brewed 1 beverages, except to importing distributors and distributors, in 2 the original sealed containers as prepared for the market by the 3 4 manufacturer at the place of manufacture, but not for consumption on the premises where sold, and in quantities of not 5 less than a case or original containers containing one hundred 6 7 twenty-eight ounces or more, or as provided in section 431(q), 8 which may be sold separately. \* \* \*

"Eligible entity" shall mean a city of the third class, a 10 11 hospital, a church, a synagogue, a volunteer fire company, a 12 volunteer ambulance company, a volunteer rescue squad, a unit of 13 a nationally chartered club which has been issued a club liquor license, a club which has been issued a club liquor license and 14 15 which, as of December 31, 2002, has been in existence for at 16 least 100 years, a library, a nationally accredited Pennsylvania nonprofit zoological institution licensed by the United States 17 18 Department of Agriculture, a nonprofit agricultural association 19 in existence for at least ten years, a bona fide sportsmen's 20 club in existence for at least ten years, a nationally chartered veterans' organization and any affiliated lodge or subdivision 21 22 of such organization, a fraternal benefit society that is 23 licensed to do business in this Commonwealth and any affiliated 24 lodge or subdivision of such fraternal benefit society, a museum 25 operated by a nonprofit corporation, a nonprofit corporation 26 engaged in the performing arts, an arts council, a nonprofit corporation that operates an arts facility or museum, a 27 28 nonprofit organization as defined under section 501(c)(3) of the 29 Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (Public Law 99-514, 26 U.S.C. § 501(c)(3)) whose purpose is to protect the architectural 30 31 heritage of [boroughs or a township of the second class] a\_ municipality and which has been recognized as such by a 32 33 [municipal] resolution of the municipality, a nonprofit 34 organization as defined under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (Public Law 99-514, 26 U.S.C. § 501(c)(3)) 35 36 conducting a regatta in a city of the second class with the 37 permit to be used on State park grounds or conducting a family-38 oriented celebration as part of Welcome America in a city of the 39 first class on property leased from that city for more than fifty years, a nonprofit organization as defined under section 40 41 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (26 U.S.C. § 42 501(c)(3)) whose purpose is to raise funds for the research and treatment of cystic fibrosis, a nonprofit organization as 43 44 defined under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (26 U.S.C. § 501(c)(3)) whose purpose is to educate the 45 public on issues dealing with watershed conservation, a 46 47 nonprofit organization as defined under section 501(c)(3) of the 48 Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (Public Law 99-514, 26 U.S.C. § 49 501(c)(3)) whose purpose is to provide equine assisted 50 activities for children and adults with special needs, a nonprofit economic development agency in a city of the second 51

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class with the primary function to serve as an economic 1 2 generator for the greater southwestern Pennsylvania region by attracting and supporting film, television and related media 3 industry projects and coordinating government and business 4 offices in support of a production, a county tourist promotion 5 agency as defined in section 3(1) of the act of April 28, 1961 6 7 (P.L.111, No.50), known as the "Tourist Promotion Law," a junior league that is a nonprofit organization as defined under section 8 9 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (26 U.S.C. § 501(c)(3)) that is comprised of women whose purpose is 10 11 exclusively educational and charitable in promoting the 12 volunteerism of women and developing and participating in 13 community projects and that has been in existence for over seventy years, a nonprofit organization as defined under section 14 15 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 and whose purpose 16 is the education and promotion of American history, a nonprofit organization as defined under section 501(c)(6) of the Internal 17 18 Revenue Code of 1986 whose purpose is to support business and industry, a brewery which has been issued a license to 19 20 manufacture malt or brewed beverages and has been in existence 21 for at least 100 years or a club recognized by Rotary 22 International and whose purpose is to provide service to others, 23 to promote high ethical standards and to advance world 24 understanding, goodwill and peace through its fellowship of 25 business, professional and community leaders or a nonprofit 26 organization as defined under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal 27 Revenue Code of 1986 (Public Law 99-514, 26 U.S.C. § 501(c)(3)) 28 whose purpose is to promote mushrooms while supporting local and 29 regional charities, a museum operated by a not-for-profit 30 corporation in a city of the second class A, a nonprofit 31 organization as defined under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal 32 Revenue Code of 1986 which is located in a city of the second 33 class A and has as its purpose economic and community 34 development, a nonprofit organization as defined under section 501(c)(3) or (6) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 that is 35 36 located in a city of the third class in a county of the fifth 37 class, a nonprofit social service organization defined under 38 section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 located 39 in a county of the third class whose purpose is to serve individuals and families in that county of the third class, a 40 41 nonprofit organization as defined under section 501(c)(3) of the 42 Internal Revenue Code of 1986 whose main purpose is to temporarily foster stray and unwanted animals and match them to 43 44 suitable permanent homes or a nonprofit organization as defined under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 who 45 operates either a Main Street Program or Elm Street Program 46 47 recognized by the Commonwealth, the National Trust for Historic 48 Preservation or both, a nonprofit radio station that is a member 49 of the National Public Radio network, a nonprofit public 50 television station that is a member of the Pennsylvania Public Television Network or a nonprofit organization as defined under 51

section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 whose 1 2 purpose is to promote awareness, education and research and to provide a support system for patients with neutropenia and their 3 families through a national resource network[.] or a nonprofit 4 organization as defined under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal 5 Revenue Code of 1986 that is located in a city of the first 6 class, was organized in 1995 as a community development\_ 7 corporation to promote the health, safety and welfare of the 8 9 residents, businesses and institutions of a neighborhood of a city of the first class, and whose works include public\_ 10 11 promotions, neighborhood improvement projects and commercial 12 corridor improvements, including a business improvement\_ 13 di<u>strict.</u> \* \* \* 14 15 "Holiday" shall mean the first day of January, commonly known as New Year's Day; [the third Monday of January, known as Dr. 16 17 Martin Luther King, Jr., Day; the third Monday in February, known as Presidents' Day; the last Monday in May, known as 18 Memorial Day; ] the fourth day of July, known as Independence 19 20 Day; [the first Monday of September, known as Labor Day;] the 21 fourth Thursday in November, known as Thanksgiving Day; and the 22 twenty-fifth day of December, known as Christmas Day. 23 "Importing distributor" shall mean any person licensed by the 24 board to engage in the purchase from manufacturers and other 25 persons located outside this Commonwealth and from persons 26 27 licensed as manufacturers of malt or brewed beverages and 28 importing distributors under this act, and the resale of malt or 29 brewed beverages in the original sealed containers as prepared 30 for the market by the manufacturer at the place of manufacture, 31 but not for consumption on the premises where sold, and in 32 quantities of not less than a case or original containers 33 containing one hundred twenty-eight ounces or more, or as provided in section 431(g), which may be sold separately. 34 \* \* \* 35 36 "Liquor" shall mean and include any alcoholic, spirituous, vinous, fermented or other alcoholic beverage, powdered alcohol, 37 or combination of liquors and mixed liquor a part of which is 38 39 spirituous, vinous, fermented or otherwise alcoholic, including 40 all drinks or drinkable liquids, preparations or mixtures, and reused, recovered or redistilled denatured alcohol usable or 41 42 taxable for beverage purposes which contain more than one-half of one per cent of alcohol by volume, except pure ethyl alcohol 43 44 and malt or brewed beverages. 45 \* \* \* "Performing arts facilities" shall mean those halls or 46 theaters in which live musical, concert, dance, ballet and 47 48 legitimate play book-length productions are performed. 49 Performing arts facilities shall not mean those halls or 50 theaters in which burlesque shows or reviews are performed. If the operator of the performing arts facility is a nonprofit 51

entity, the facility must have permanently affixed seating for 1 at least [two hundred fifty (250)] one hundred fifty (150) 2 people; otherwise, the facility must have permanently affixed\_ 3 4 seating for at least twenty-five hundred (2,500) people. \* \* \* 5 6 "Powdered alcohol" shall mean alcohol sold in a powder form 7 for either direct use or reconstitution. \* \* \* 8 9 "Retail dispenser" shall mean any person licensed to engage in the retail sale of malt or brewed beverages for consumption 10 11 on the premises of such licensee, with the privilege of selling 12 malt or brewed beverages in quantities not in excess of [one hundred ninety-two fluid ounces in a single sale to one person] 13 14 three hundred eighty-four ounces in not more than twenty-four 15 original containers in a single sale to one person as provided 16 in section 407, provided the licensee may not sell a package as prepared for sale or distribution by the manufacturer containing 17 18 more than twelve containers, to be carried from the premises by 19 the purchaser thereof. \* \* \* 20 21 Section 2. Section 207(a) and (b) of the act, amended 22 November 30, 2004 (P.L.727, No.221) and December 8, 2004 23 (P.L.1810, No.239), are amended and the section is amended by 24 adding subsections to read: 25 Section 207. General Powers of Board.--Under this act, the board shall have the power and its duty shall be: 26 (a) 27 To buy, import or have in its possession for sale and 28 sell liquor, alcohol, corkscrews, wine and liquor accessories, 29 trade publications, gift cards, gift certificates, wine- or 30 liquor-scented candles and wine glasses in the manner set forth 31 in this act: Provided, however, That all purchases shall be made 32 subject to the approval of the State Treasurer, or his designated deputy. The board shall buy liquor and alcohol at the 33 34 lowest price and in the greatest variety reasonably obtainable. 35 Such sales and purchases may be to or from persons or entities 36 located both in and outside this Commonwealth. 37 To control the manufacture, possession, sale, (b) 38 consumption, importation, use, storage, transportation and 39 delivery of liquor, alcohol and malt or brewed beverages in accordance with the provisions of this act, and to fix the 40 wholesale and retail prices at which liquors and alcohol shall 41 42 be sold at Pennsylvania Liquor Stores. Prices shall be 43 [proportional with prices paid by the board to its suppliers and 44 shall reflect any advantage obtained through volume purchases by the board. The board may establish a preferential price 45 structure for wines produced within this Commonwealth for the 46 47 promotion of such wines, as long as the price structure is uniform within each class of wine purchased by the board.] as 48 49 set forth by the board so long as the price of a particular item is uniform throughout this Commonwealth. The board shall require 50 each Pennsylvania manufacturer and each nonresident manufacturer 51

of liquors, other than wine, selling such liquors to the board, 1 2 which are not manufactured in this Commonwealth, to make application for and be granted a permit by the board before such 3 liquors not manufactured in this Commonwealth shall be purchased 4 from such manufacturer. Each such manufacturer shall pay for 5 such permit a fee which, in the case of a manufacturer of this 6 Commonwealth, shall be equal to that required to be paid, if 7 any, by a manufacturer or wholesaler of the state, territory or 8 9 country of origin of the liquors, for selling liquors manufactured in Pennsylvania, and in the case of a nonresident 10 11 manufacturer, shall be equal to that required to be paid, if 12 any, in such state, territory or country by Pennsylvania manufacturers doing business in such state, territory or 13 14 country. In the event that any such manufacturer shall, in the 15 opinion of the board, sell or attempt to sell liquors to the board through another person for the purpose of evading this 16 provision relating to permits, the board shall require such 17 person, before purchasing liquors from him or it, to take out a 18 permit and pay the same fee as hereinbefore required to be paid 19 20 by such manufacturer. All permit fees so collected shall be paid into the State Stores Fund. The board shall not purchase any 21 22 alcohol or liquor fermented, distilled, rectified, compounded or 23 bottled in any state, territory or country, the laws of which 24 result in prohibiting the importation therein of alcohol or 25 liquor, fermented, distilled, rectified, compounded or bottled 26 in Pennsylvania. \* \* \* 27 28 (1) Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the 29 contrary, to enter into agreements with governmental units of this Commonwealth and other states, for the purchase or sale of 30 goods and services with, from or to the governmental units. This 31 32 authority includes, but is not limited to, the purchase or sale 33 of alcohol. 34 (m) To be licensed as a lottery sales agent, as set forth in section 305 of the act of August 26, 1971 (P.L.351, No.91), 35 36 known as the "State Lottery Law," and to take any actions authorized by such designation, except that no bond, insurance 37 38 or indemnification may be required from the board. 39 (n) To establish and implement a customer relations management program for the purpose of offering incentives, such 40 41 as coupons or discounts on certain products, to unlicensed 42 customers of the board. 43 Section 3. Section 301 of the act is amended to read: 44 Section 301. Board to Establish State Liquor Stores.--(a) The board shall establish, operate and maintain at such places 45 46 throughout the Commonwealth as it shall deem essential and 47 advisable, stores to be known as "Pennsylvania Liquor Stores," 48 for the sale of liquor and alcohol in accordance with the 49 provisions of and the regulations made under this act; except 50 that no store not so already located shall be located within 51 three hundred feet of any elementary or secondary school, nor

within a dry municipality without there first having been a 1 referendum approving such location. When the board shall have 2 determined upon the location of a liquor store in any 3 municipality, it shall give notice of such location by public 4 advertisement in two newspapers of general circulation. In 5 6 cities of the first class, the location shall also be posted for 7 a period of at least fifteen days following its determination by the board as required in section 403(g) of this act. The notice 8 9 shall be posted in a conspicuous place on the outside of the premises in which the proposed store is to operate or, in the 10 11 event that a new structure is to be built in a similarly visible 12 location. If, within five days after the appearance of such advertisement, or of the last day upon which the notice was 13 14 posted, fifteen or more taxpayers residing within a quarter of a 15 mile of such location, or the City Solicitor of the city of the 16 first class, shall file a protest with the court of common pleas 17 of the county averring that the location is objectionable 18 because of its proximity to a church, a school, or to private residences, the court shall forthwith hold a hearing affording 19 20 an opportunity to the protestants and to the board to present 21 evidence. The court shall render its decision immediately upon 22 the conclusion of the testimony and from the decision there 23 shall be no appeal. If the court shall determine that the 24 proposed location is undesirable for the reasons set forth in 25 the protest, the board shall abandon it and find another 26 location. Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the 27 contrary, the board may operate and maintain stores located in commercial locations. The board may make decisions to relocate 28 29 and lease stores in more convenient and consumer-heavy areas, after consumer trends and market trends are analyzed by the 30 board. The board may work with private persons or entities, 31 consistent with the requirements of this section and under such 32 conditions and regulations as the board may enforce, to operate 33 and maintain stores in areas where the board concludes a store 34 is needed to meet consumer demand. The board may establish, 35 36 operate and maintain such establishments for storing and testing 37 liquors as it shall deem expedient to carry out its powers and 38 duties under this act. The board may lease the necessary premises for such 39 (b) stores or establishments, but all such leases shall be made 40 through the Department of General Services as agent of the 41 42 board. Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the contrary, the Department of General Services shall have no more 43 44 than ninety days from the date the board officially approves a lease recommendation to send the final lease packet to the 45 appropriate agencies for further processing. The Department of 46 General Services shall be required to submit quarterly reports\_ 47 to the chairman and minority chairman of the Law and Justice 48 49 Committee of the Senate and the chairman and minority chairman of the Liquor Control Committee of the House of Representatives 50 51 indicating the number of lease recommendations approved by the

board during the preceding quarter and whether the corresponding 1 final lease packets were sent to the appropriate agencies within 2 the ninety-day deadline. If the Department of General Services\_ 3 4 fails to regularly submit these guarterly reports or fails to regularly meet the ninety-day deadline imposed by this 5 subsection, then the General Assembly may consider legislation 6 that would allow the board to lease premises for its stores 7 without the involvement of the Department of General Services. 8 9 The board, through the Department of General Services, shall have authority to purchase such equipment and appointments as 10 11 may be required in the operation of such stores or 12 establishments. 13 Section 4. Section 304 of the act, amended December 8, 2004 (P.L.1810, No.239), is amended to read: 14 15 Section 304. When Sales May Be Made at Pennsylvania Liquor 16 Stores.--(a) Except as provided for in subsection (b), every 17 Pennsylvania Liquor Store shall be open for business week days, 18 except holidays as that term is defined in section 102. The board may, with the approval of the Governor, temporarily close 19 20 any store in any municipality. 21 (b) Certain Pennsylvania Liquor Stores operated by the board 22 [shall] may be open for Sunday retail sales between the hours of 23 [noon] <u>nine o'clock antemeridian</u> and [five] <u>nine</u> o'clock 24 postmeridian, except that no Sunday sales shall occur on Easter 25 Sunday or Christmas day. The board shall open [up to twenty-five per centum of the total number of Pennsylvania Liquor Stores at 26 27 its discretion], at its discretion, as many Pennsylvania Liquor 28 Stores as it deems necessary for Sunday sales as provided for in 29 this subsection. The board shall submit yearly reports to the Appropriations and the Law and Justice Committees of the Senate 30 31 and the Appropriations and the Liquor Control Committees of the 32 House of Representatives summarizing the total dollar value of 33 sales under this section. Section 5. Section 305(a) and (b) of the act, amended May 8, 34 2003 (P.L.1, No.1) and July 6, 2005 (P.L.135, No.39), are 35 36 amended and the section is amended by adding a subsection to 37 read: 38 Section 305. Sales by Pennsylvania Liquor Stores.--(a) The board shall in its discretion determine where and what classes, 39 varieties and brands of liquor and alcohol it shall make 40 available to the public and where such liquor and alcohol will 41 42 be sold. Every Pennsylvania Liquor Store shall be authorized to sell combination packages. If a person desires to purchase a 43 44 class, variety or brand of liquor or alcohol not currently available from the board, he or she may place a special order 45 for such item so long as the order is for two or more bottles. 46 47 The board may require a reasonable deposit from the purchaser as 48 a condition for accepting the order. The customer shall be 49 notified immediately upon the arrival of the goods. 50 In computing the retail price of such special orders for 51 liquor or alcohol, the board shall not include the cost of

1 freight or shipping before applying [the] <u>a</u> mark-up, <u>which shall</u> 2 <u>not exceed ten per centum of the cost of the product</u>, and taxes 3 but shall add the freight or shipping charges to the price after 4 the mark-up and taxes have been applied.

5 Unless the customer pays for and accepts delivery of any such 6 special order within ten days after notice of arrival, the store 7 may place it in stock for general sale and the customer's 8 deposit shall be forfeited.

9 (b) Every Pennsylvania Liquor Store shall sell liquors at wholesale to hotels, restaurants, clubs, and railroad, pullman 10 11 and steamship companies licensed under this act; and, under the 12 regulations of the board, to pharmacists duly licensed and 13 registered under the laws of the Commonwealth, and to 14 manufacturing pharmacists, and to reputable hospitals approved 15 by the board, or chemists. Sales to licensees shall be made at a 16 price that includes a discount of [ten] <u>sixteen</u> per centum from the retail price. The board may sell to registered pharmacists 17 18 only such liquors as conform to the Pharmacopoeia of the United States, the National Formulary, or the American Homeopathic 19 20 Pharmacopoeia. The board may sell at special prices under the 21 regulations of the board, to United States Armed Forces 22 facilities which are located on United States Armed Forces 23 installations and are conducted pursuant to the authority and 24 regulations of the United States Armed Forces. All other sales by such stores shall be at retail[.], except that incentives, 25 such as coupons or discounts on certain products, may be offered 26 to unlicensed customers of the board as provided for under 27 28 sections 207(n) and 493(24)(iii). A person entitled to purchase 29 liquor at wholesale prices may purchase the liquor at any Pennsylvania Liquor Store upon tendering cash, check or credit 30 31 card for the full amount of the purchase. For this purpose, the 32 board shall issue a discount card to each licensee identifying 33 such licensee as a person authorized to purchase liquor at 34 wholesale prices. Such discount card shall be retained by the 35 licensee. The board may contract through the Commonwealth 36 bidding process for delivery to wholesale licensees at the 37 expense of the licensee receiving the delivery. \* \* \* 38 39 (j) If the board becomes a licensed lottery sales agent, as

40 set forth in section 305 of the act of August 26, 1971 (P.L.351, 41 No.91), known as the "State Lottery Law," then the following 42 shall apply, notwithstanding the provisions of the "State 43 Lottery Law":

44 (i) The Secretary of Revenue shall permit the board to operate and maintain Pennsylvania lottery instant ticket vending 45 machines, player-activated terminals and technologies or systems 46 subsequently approved by the Department of Revenue for the self-47 service sale of lottery tickets and games in Pennsylvania Liquor 48 49 Stores. The board and the Secretary of Revenue shall mutually agree upon the number and location of the stores authorized to 50 conduct self-service sales of lottery tickets and games. 51

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(ii) The board shall not be required to post any type of 1 bond prior to conducting self-service sales of lottery tickets 2 3 and games. 4 (iii) Any commissions, compensation or any type of incentive award based upon the sale of lottery tickets and games shall be 5 deposited by the board into the State Stores Fund. 6 Section 6. Section 401(a) of the act, amended December 22, 7 8 2011 (P.L.530, No.113), is amended to read: 9 Section 401. Authority to Issue Liquor Licenses to Hotels, Restaurants and Clubs.--(a) Subject to the provisions of this 10 11 act and regulations promulgated under this act, the board shall 12 have authority to issue a retail liquor license for any premises kept or operated by a hotel, restaurant or club and specified in 13 the license entitling the hotel, restaurant or club to purchase 14 15 liquor from a Pennsylvania Liquor Store and to keep on the 16 premises such liquor and, subject to the provisions of this act and the regulations made thereunder, to sell the same and also 17 18 malt or brewed beverages to quests, patrons or members for consumption on the hotel, restaurant or club premises. Such 19 20 licensees, other than clubs, shall be permitted to sell malt or brewed beverages for consumption off the premises where sold in 21 quantities of not more than [one hundred ninety-two fluid ounces 22 23 in a single sale to one person as provided for in section 407.] three hundred eighty-four ounces in not more than twenty-four 24 25 original containers in a single sale to one person as provided for in section 407, provided the licensee may not sell a package 26 as prepared for sale or distribution by the manufacturer\_ 27 containing more than twelve containers. Such licenses shall be 28 29 known as hotel liquor licenses, restaurant liquor licenses and club liquor licenses, respectively. No person who holds any 30 31 public office that involves the duty to enforce any of the penal 32 laws of the United States, this Commonwealth or of any political 33 subdivision of this Commonwealth may have any interest in a 34 hotel or restaurant liquor license. This prohibition applies to anyone with arrest authority, including, but not limited to, 35 36 United States attorneys, State attorneys general, district attorneys, sheriffs and police officers. This prohibition shall 37 38 also apply to magisterial district judges, judges or any other 39 individuals who can impose a criminal sentence. This prohibition does not apply to members of the General Assembly, township 40 41 supervisors, city councilpersons, mayors without arrest 42 authority and any other public official who does not have the ability to arrest or the ability to impose a criminal sentence. 43 44 This section does not apply if the proposed premises are located 45 outside the jurisdiction of the individual in question. \* \* \* 46 47 Section 6.1. Section 406(a) of the act is amended by adding 48 a paragraph to read: 49 Section 406. Sales by Liquor Licensees; Restrictions.--(a) \* \* \* 50 (7) (i) Notwithstanding any provision of this act, the 51

practice by a bed and breakfast homestead or inn of providing 1 one bottle of wine to its paying quests at check-in while in an 2 overnight status shall not be construed as the direct or\_ 3 4 indirect sale of alcohol so long as that wine is produced by a licensed limited winery as provided for under section 505.2. 5 (ii) For purposes of this paragraph, a "bed and breakfast 6 homestead or inn" shall mean a private residence that contains\_ 7 8 ten or fewer bedrooms used for providing overnight 9 accommodations to the public and in which breakfast is the only meal served and is included in the charge for the room. 10 11 \* \* \* 12 Section 7. Section 407(a) of the act, amended June 28, 2011 13 (P.L.55, No.11), is amended to read: Section 407. Sale of Malt or Brewed Beverages by Liquor 14 15 Licensees.--(a) Every liquor license issued to a hotel, restaurant, club, or a railroad, pullman or steamship company 16 under this subdivision (A) for the sale of liquor shall 17 18 authorize the licensee to sell malt or brewed beverages at the same places but subject to the same restrictions and penalties 19 20 as apply to sales of liquor, except that licensees other than 21 clubs may sell malt or brewed beverages for consumption off the 22 premises where sold in quantities of not more than [one hundred 23 ninety-two fluid ounces in a single sale to one person.] three\_ hundred eighty-four ounces in not more than twenty-four original 24 25 containers in a single sale to one person, provided the licensee may not sell a package as prepared for sale or distribution by 26 the manufacturer containing more than twelve containers. The 27 28 sales may be made in either open or closed containers, Provided, 29 however, That a municipality may adopt an ordinance restricting open containers in public places. No licensee under this 30 31 subdivision (A) shall at the same time be the holder of any 32 other class of license, except a retail dispenser's license 33 authorizing the sale of malt or brewed beverages only. \* \* \* 34 35 Section 7.1. Section 408.4(i) of the act, amended June 5, 36 2007 (P.L.11, No.5), is amended to read: 37 Section 408.4. Special Occasion Permits.--\* \* \* 38 39 (i) Only one special occasion permit shall be issued to each eligible entity per calendar year. Each permit may only be used 40 for six consecutive or nonconsecutive days; however, if the 41 42 eligible entity is a museum operated by a nonprofit corporation in a city of the third class or township of the first class, a 43 44 nonprofit corporation engaged in the performing arts in a city of the third class or in an incorporated town, a bona fide 45 sportsmen's club in existence for at least ten years conducting 46 a national golf championship [or], an arts council, a volunteer 47 48 fire company, volunteer ambulance company or volunteer rescue 49 company, then the special occasion permit may be used for six 50 nonconsecutive or ten consecutive days. \* \* \* 51

Section 7.2. Section 408.12(a) of the act, amended July 16, 1 2 2007 (P.L.107, No.34), is amended to read: 3 Section 408.12. Wine Auction Permits.--(a) Upon application 4 of: 5 any nonprofit hospital; (1)6 (2) any nonprofit public television station which is a 7 member of the Pennsylvania Public Television Network; 8 (3) any orchestra located in a county of the first, second 9 or third class which is operated by a nonprofit corporation; (4) any museum located in a county of the first, second or 10 11 third class which is operated by a nonprofit corporation; 12 any nonprofit corporation located in any county of the (5) 13 third class which trains and places dogs for people who are 14 physically handicapped; 15 (6) any nationally recognized community-based voluntary 16 health organization committed to fighting cancer which has been in existence for at least ninety years; 17 18 (7) any nationally recognized emergency response organization that offers humanitarian care to victims of war or 19 20 natural disaster and has been in existence for at least one 21 hundred twenty-five years; (8) any nationally recognized organization whose purpose is 22 23 to serve as an agent to collect funds for local charities, as well as to coordinate relief services, counsel and refer clients 24 to cooperating agencies and make emergency assistance grants and 25 26 has been in existence for at least one hundred twenty years; 27 [or] 28 (9) any hospice as defined under section 802.1 of the act of 29 July 19, 1979 (P.L.130, No.48), known as the "Health Care Facilities Act"; or 30 31 (10) any college or university which is a member of the 32 Association of Independent Colleges and Universities of 33 Pennsylvania; and upon payment of a fee of thirty dollars (\$30) per day, the 34 35 board shall issue a wine auction permit good for a period of not 36 more than four consecutive or nonconsecutive days per calendar 37 year. \* \* \* 38 39 Section 7.3. The act is amended by adding a section to read: Section 408.17. Special Hours Permit.--(a) The board shall 40 make available a special hours permit for licensed facilities\_ 41 42 licensed to sell liquor or malt or brewed beverages pursuant to this act. The special hours permit shall authorize a licensed 43 44 facility, with the approval of the board and the Pennsylvania Gaming Control Board, to adjust the hours it sells, furnishes or 45 gives liquor or malt or brewed beverages at the licensed 46 facility. The hours of operation prescribed under section 406 47 shall not apply to the holder of a special hours permit. The 48 49 special hours permit shall not extend the total number of hours that liquor or malt or brewed beverages may be sold or furnished 50 51 in a single day as provided under this act. The following shall

1 apply: (1) The initial purchase price of a special hours permit 2 3 shall be two hundred fifty thousand dollars (\$250,000). 4 (2) The annual renewal fee of the special hours permit shall be fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000). 5 6 (3) Any funds collected under paragraph (1) or (2) shall be 7 deposited into the State Stores Fund. (b) For purposes of this section, the term "licensed 8 9 facility" shall mean a facility that holds a license under 4\_ Pa.C.S. Chapter 13 (relating to licensees) or 13A (relating to 10 11 table games). 12 Section 8. Section 431(b) of the act, amended December 8, 13 2004 (P.L.1810, No.239), is amended and the section is amended 14 by adding a subsection to read: 15 Section 431. Malt and Brewed Beverages Manufacturers', 16 Distributors' and Importing Distributors' Licenses. --\* \* \* 17 (b) The board shall issue to any reputable person who 18 applies therefor, and pays the license fee hereinafter prescribed, a distributor's or importing distributor's license 19 for the place which such person desires to maintain for the sale 20 21 of malt or brewed beverages, not for consumption on the premises 22 where sold, and except as provided for under subsection (q), in 23 quantities of not less than a case or original containers 24 containing one hundred twenty-eight ounces or more which may be 25 sold separately as prepared for the market by the manufacturer at the place of manufacture. The board shall have the discretion 26 27 to refuse a license to any person or to any corporation, 28 partnership or association if such person, or any officer or 29 director of such corporation, or any member or partner of such partnership or association shall have been convicted or found 30 31 quilty of a felony within a period of five years immediately 32 preceding the date of application for the said license: And 33 provided further, That, in the case of any new license or the 34 transfer of any license to a new location, the board may, in its 35 discretion, grant or refuse such new license or transfer if such 36 place proposed to be licensed is within three hundred feet of any church, hospital, charitable institution, school or public 37 38 playground, or if such new license or transfer is applied for a 39 place which is within two hundred feet of any other premises which is licensed by the board: And provided further, That the 40 board shall refuse any application for a new license or the 41 42 transfer of any license to a new location if, in the board's opinion, such new license or transfer would be detrimental to 43 44 the welfare, health, peace and morals of the inhabitants of the neighborhood within a radius of five hundred feet of the place 45 proposed to be licensed. The board shall refuse any application 46 for a new license or the transfer of any license to a location 47 where the sale of liquid fuels or oil is conducted. The board 48 49 may enter into an agreement with the applicant concerning 50 additional restrictions on the license in question. If the board 51 and the applicant enter into such an agreement, such agreement

shall be binding on the applicant. Failure by the applicant to 1 adhere to the agreement will be sufficient cause to form the 2 basis for a citation under section 471 and for the nonrenewal of 3 the license under section 470. If the board enters into an 4 agreement with an applicant concerning additional restrictions, 5 those restrictions shall be binding on subsequent holders of the 6 7 license until the license is transferred to a new location or until the board enters into a subsequent agreement removing 8 those restrictions. If the application in question involves a 9 location previously licensed by the board, then any restrictions 10 11 imposed by the board on the previous license at that location 12 shall be binding on the applicant unless the board enters into a 13 new agreement rescinding those restrictions. The board shall require notice to be posted on the property or premises upon 14 15 which the licensee or proposed licensee will engage in sales of 16 malt or brewed beverages. This notice shall be similar to the notice required of hotel, restaurant and club liquor licensees. 17 18 Except as hereinafter provided, such license shall authorize 19 the holder thereof to sell or deliver malt or brewed beverages 20 in quantities above specified anywhere within the Commonwealth 21 of Pennsylvania, which, in the case of distributors, have been 22 purchased only from persons licensed under this act as 23 manufacturers or importing distributors, and in the case of 24 importing distributors, have been purchased from manufacturers 25 or persons outside this Commonwealth engaged in the legal sale 26 of malt or brewed beverages or from manufacturers or importing 27 distributors licensed under this article. In the case of an 28 importing distributor, the holder of such a license shall be 29 authorized to store and repackage malt or brewed beverages owned by a manufacturer at a segregated portion of a warehouse or 30 31 other storage facility authorized by section 441(d) and operated 32 by the importing distributor within its appointed territory and 33 deliver such beverages to another importing distributor who has 34 been granted distribution rights by the manufacturer as provided herein. The importing distributor shall be permitted to receive 35 36 a fee from the manufacturer for any related storage, repackaging 37 or delivery services. In the case of a bailee for hire hired by 38 a manufacturer, the holder of such a permit shall be authorized: 39 to receive, store and repackage malt or brewed beverages produced by that manufacturer for sale by that manufacturer to 40 41 importing distributors to whom that manufacturer has given 42 distribution rights pursuant to this subsection or to purchasers outside this Commonwealth for delivery outside this 43 44 Commonwealth; or to ship to that manufacturer's storage facilities outside this Commonwealth. The bailee for hire shall 45 be permitted to receive a fee from the manufacturer for any 46 47 related storage, repackaging or delivery services. The bailee 48 for hire shall, as required in Article V of this act, keep 49 complete and accurate records of all transactions, inventory, receipts and shipments and make all records and the licensed 50 51 areas available for inspection by the board and for the

Pennsylvania State Police, Bureau of Liquor Control Enforcement, 1 2 during normal business hours.

Each out of State manufacturer of malt or brewed beverages 3 4 whose products are sold and delivered in this Commonwealth shall give distributing rights for such products in designated 5 geographical areas to specific importing distributors, and such 6 7 importing distributor shall not sell or deliver malt or brewed 8 beverages manufactured by the out of State manufacturer to any 9 person issued a license under the provisions of this act whose licensed premises are not located within the geographical area 10 11 for which he has been given distributing rights by such 12 manufacturer. Should a licensee accept the delivery of such malt 13 or brewed beverages in violation of this section, said licensee shall be subject to a suspension of his license for at least 14 15 thirty days: Provided, That the importing distributor holding 16 such distributing rights for such product shall not sell or deliver the same to another importing distributor without first 17 18 having entered into a written agreement with the said secondary importing distributor setting forth the terms and conditions 19 20 under which such products are to be resold within the territory 21 granted to the primary importing distributor by the 22 manufacturer.

23 When a Pennsylvania manufacturer of malt or brewed beverages licensed under this article names or constitutes a distributor 24 25 or importing distributor as the primary or original supplier of 26 his product, he shall also designate the specific geographical 27 area for which the said distributor or importing distributor is 28 given distributing rights, and such distributor or importing 29 distributor shall not sell or deliver the products of such manufacturer to any person issued a license under the provisions 30 31 of this act whose licensed premises are not located within the 32 geographical area for which distributing rights have been given 33 to the distributor and importing distributor by the said 34 manufacturer: Provided, That the importing distributor holding such distributing rights for such product shall not sell or 35 36 deliver the same to another importing distributor without first 37 having entered into a written agreement with the said secondary 38 importing distributor setting forth the terms and conditions 39 under which such products are to be resold within the territory granted to the primary importing distributor by the 40 41 manufacturer. Nothing herein contained shall be construed to 42 prevent any manufacturer from authorizing the importing distributor holding the distributing rights for a designated 43 44 geographical area from selling the products of such manufacturer to another importing distributor also holding distributing 45 rights from the same manufacturer for another geographical area, 46 providing such authority be contained in writing and a copy 47 thereof be given to each of the importing distributors so 48 49 affected. \* \* \*

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quantities as provided under subsection (b), a distributor or 1 importing distributor may break the bulk of a case and sell 2 units of any case in quantities of not less than forty-two 3 4 ounces, provided the distributor or importing distributor sells a package as prepared for sale by the manufacturer. 5 (2) Before a distributor or importing distributor breaks the 6 bulk of a case for the purpose of selling units, the distributor 7 or importing distributor shall inspect the case for damage and 8 9 appropriate production date. When the distributor or importing\_ distributor breaks the bulk of a case for the purpose of selling 10 11 units of the case, the distributor or importing distributor 12 bears the risk of loss and is responsible for the destruction of 13 any malt and brewed beverages that violate the manufacturer's specifications relating to sales by a certain date or within a 14 15 number of days of the production date. (3) The term "unit" as used in this subsection means an 16 undamaged bottle or can from a case. 17 Section 9. Section 441(a) and (b) of the act, amended June 18 19 18, 1998 (P.L.664, No.86) and December 9, 2002 (P.L.1653, 20 No.212), are amended to read: 21 Section 441. Distributors' and Importing Distributors' 22 Restrictions on Sales, Storage, Etc. -- (a) No distributor or importing distributor shall purchase, receive or resell any malt 23 24 or brewed beverages except: 25 in the original containers as prepared for the market by (1)the manufacturer at the place of manufacture; 26 27 (2) in the case of identical containers repackaged in the 28 manner described by subsection (f); or 29 as provided in section 431(b) and (g). (3) 30 (b) [No] Except as provided for in section 431(q), no\_ 31 distributor or importing distributor shall sell any malt or 32 brewed beverages in quantities of less than a case or original 33 containers containing one hundred twenty-eight ounces or more 34 which may be sold separately: Provided, That no malt or brewed beverages sold or delivered shall be consumed upon the premises 35 36 of the distributor or importing distributor, or in any place 37 provided for such purpose by such distributor or importing 38 distributor. Notwithstanding any other provision of this section 39 or act, malt or brewed beverages which are part of a tasting conducted pursuant to the board's regulations may be consumed on 40 41 licensed premises. \* \* \* 42 43 Section 10. Section 442(a)(1) of the act, amended June 28, 44 2011 (P.L.55, No.11), is amended to read: 45 Section 442. Retail Dispensers' Restrictions on Purchases and Sales.--(a) (1) No retail dispenser shall purchase or 46 receive any malt or brewed beverages except in original 47 containers as prepared for the market by the manufacturer at the 48 49 place of manufacture. The retail dispenser may thereafter break 50 the bulk upon the licensed premises and sell or dispense the 51 same for consumption on or off the premises so licensed. No

retail dispenser may sell malt or brewed beverages for 1 2 consumption off the premises in quantities in excess of [one 3 hundred ninety-two fluid ounces.] three hundred eighty-four ounces in not more than twenty-four original containers in a 4 single sale to one person as provided in section 407, provided 5 the licensee may not sell a package as prepared for sale or 6 distribution by the manufacturer containing more than twelve 7 containers. Sales may be made in open or closed containers, 8 9 Provided, however, That a municipality may adopt an ordinance restricting open containers in public places. No club licensee 10 11 may sell any malt or brewed beverages for consumption off the 12 premises where sold or to persons not members of the club. 13 \* \* \* 14 Section 10.1. Section 446(a)(2) of the act, amended December 15 22, 2011 (P.L.530, No.113), is amended and the section is amended by adding a subsection to read: 16 Section 446. Breweries.--(a) Holders of a brewery license 17 18 may: \* \* \* 19 20 (2) Operate a restaurant or brewery pub on the licensed premises under such conditions and regulations as the board may 21 22 enforce: Provided, however, That sales on Sunday may be made 23 irrespective of the volume of food sales if the licensed 24 premises are at a public venue location. The holder of a brewery license may sell at its brewery pub premises [Pennsylvania wines 25 it has purchased from either the holder of a Pennsylvania 26 27 limited winery license or from the board] wines produced by the 28 holder of a limited winery license or liquor produced by a 29 <u>licensed limited distillery</u>: Provided, however, That said wines and liquor must be consumed at the licensed brewery pub 30 31 premises. \* \* \* 32 33 (c) The holder of a brewery license may also sell wines produced by a licensed limited winery or distilled liquor\_ 34 produced by a licensed limited distillery. 35 36 Section 10.2. Section 461(b.1)(4) of the act, amended 37 November 29, 2006 (P.L.1421, No.155), is amended to read: 38 Section 461. Limiting Number of Retail Licenses To Be Issued In Each County.--\* \* \* 39 40 (b.1) The board may issue restaurant and eating place retail 41 dispenser licenses and renew licenses issued under this 42 subsection without regard to the quota restrictions set forth in 43 subsection (a) for the purpose of economic development in a 44 municipality under the following conditions: 45 \* \* \* 46 (4) An applicant under this subsection shall be required to 47 sell food and nonalcoholic beverages equal to [seventy per 48 centum (70%)] fifty per centum (50%) or more of its combined 49 gross sales of food and alcoholic beverages. \* \* \* 50 Section 10.3. Section 470(a) of the act, amended December 51

22, 2011 (P.L.530, No.113), is amended to read: 1 Section 470. Renewal of Licenses; Temporary Provisions for 2 Licensees in Armed Service.--(a) All applications for renewal 3 or validation of licenses under the provisions of this article 4 shall be filed with tax clearance from the Department of Revenue 5 and the Department of Labor and Industry and requisite license 6 and filing fees, including an application surcharge of seven 7 hundred dollars (\$700.00), at least sixty days before the 8 9 expiration date of same: Provided, however, That the board, in its discretion, may accept nunc pro tunc a renewal application 10 11 filed less than sixty days before the expiration date of the 12 license with the required fees, upon reasonable cause shown and 13 the payment of an additional filing fee of one hundred dollars (\$100.00) for late filing: And provided further, That except 14 15 where the failure to file a renewal application on or before the 16 expiration date has created a license quota vacancy after said expiration date which has been filled by the issuance of a new 17 18 license, after such expiration date, but before the board has received a renewal application nunc pro tunc within the time 19 20 prescribed herein the board, in its discretion, may, after 21 hearing, accept a renewal application filed within two years 22 after the expiration date of the license with the required fees 23 upon the payment of an additional filing fee of two hundred 24 fifty dollars (\$250.00) for late filing. Where any such renewal 25 application is filed less than sixty days before the expiration 26 date, or subsequent to the expiration date, no license shall 27 issue upon the filing of the renewal application until the 28 matter is finally determined by the board and if an appeal is 29 taken from the board's action the courts shall not order the issuance of the renewal license until final determination of the 30 31 matter by the courts. The board may enter into an agreement with 32 the applicant concerning additional restrictions on the license 33 in question. If the board and the applicant enter into such an 34 agreement, such agreement shall be binding on the applicant. 35 Failure by the applicant to adhere to the agreement will be 36 sufficient cause to form the basis for a citation under section 37 471 and for the nonrenewal of the license under this section. A 38 renewal application will not be considered filed unless 39 accompanied by the requisite filing [and], license and administrative fees and any additional filing fee required by 40 41 this section. Unless the board shall have given ten days' 42 previous notice to the applicant of objections to the renewal of his license, based upon violation by the licensee or his 43 44 servants, agents or employes of any of the laws of the 45 Commonwealth or regulations of the board relating to the 46 manufacture, transportation, use, storage, importation, possession or sale of liquors, alcohol or malt or brewed 47 48 beverages, or the conduct of a licensed establishment, or unless 49 the applicant has by his own act become a person of ill repute, 50 or unless the premises do not meet the requirements of this act 51 or the regulations of the board, the license of a licensee shall

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       (b) By March 1 of each year, the board shall post on its
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   be available upon request.
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       (c) The board shall accept applications from persons
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   interested in bidding at the auction beginning March 1. The
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   application shall be in writing and shall contain such
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   board shall accept applications until June 15th and may, in its
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   discretion, accept applications after that date.
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       (d) A person who would be precluded from acquiring a license
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   by sections 411 or 443, or who, in the board's opinion, is not
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       (e) The auction shall be conducted in the manner set forth
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accordance with subsection (e). 1 (q) If there are no bids for a license or if there are no 2 3 bids that meet the bid amounts set forth in subsection (f), the 4 license shall be revoked and may not be reissued. (h) Within six months of a bidder being informed that he is 5 the winning bidder and that the winning bid has been processed, 6 the winning bidder shall file an application to transfer the 7 license to itself or to an assignee. The application shall be 8 9 processed in the same manner as any other transfer application and shall be subject to the same restrictions as any other 10 11 transfer application, including any conditional licensing 12 agreements, but not including any unpaid fines or unserved 13 suspensions accrued by the previous license holder. The application may be filed on a prior approval basis. 14 15 Section 10.5. Section 471(b) of the act, amended July 6, 16 2005 (P.L.135, No.39), is amended to read: Section 471. Revocation and Suspension of Licenses; Fines .--17 \* \* \* 18 19 Hearing on such citations shall be held in the same (b) 20 manner as provided herein for hearings on applications for 21 license. Upon such hearing, if satisfied that any such violation 22 has occurred or for other sufficient cause, the administrative 23 law judge shall immediately suspend or revoke the license, or 24 impose a fine of not less than [fifty dollars (\$50)] one hundred 25 dollars (\$100) nor more than [one thousand dollars (\$1,000)] two thousand dollars (\$2,000), or both, notifying the licensee by 26 registered letter addressed to his licensed premises. If the 27 28 licensee has been cited and found to have violated section 29 493(1) insofar as it relates to sales to minors or sales to a visibly intoxicated person, section 493(10) insofar as it 30 31 relates to lewd, immoral or improper entertainment or section 493(14), (16) or (21), or has been found to be a public nuisance 32 33 pursuant to section 611, or if the owner or operator of the 34 licensed premises or any authorized agent of the owner or operator has been convicted of any violation of the act of April 35 36 14, 1972 (P.L.233, No.64), known as "The Controlled Substance, Drug, Device and Cosmetic Act," or of 18 Pa.C.S. § 5902 37 38 (relating to prostitution and related offenses) or 6301 39 (relating to corruption of minors), at or relating to the licensed premises, the administrative law judge shall 40 41 immediately suspend or revoke the license, or impose a fine of 42 not less than [one thousand dollars (\$1,000)] two thousand 43 dollars (\$2,000) nor more than [five thousand dollars (\$5,000)] 44 ten thousand dollars (\$10,000), or both. However, if a licensee has been cited and found to have violated section 493(1) as it 45 relates to sales to minors or sales to a visibly intoxicated 46 47 person but at the time of the sale the licensee was in 48 compliance with the requirements set forth in section 471.1 and 49 the licensee had not sold to minors or visibly intoxicated 50 persons in the previous four years, then the administrative law 51 judge shall immediately suspend or revoke the license, or impose

a fine of not less than [fifty dollars (\$50)] one hundred 1 dollars (\$100) nor more than [one thousand dollars (\$1,000)] two 2 thousand dollars (\$2,000), or both. The administrative law judge 3 4 shall notify the licensee by registered mail, addressed to the licensed premises, of such suspension, revocation or fine. In 5 the event the fine is not paid within twenty days of the 6 7 adjudication, the administrative law judge shall suspend or revoke the license, notifying the licensee by registered mail 8 9 addressed to the licensed premises. Suspensions and revocations shall not go into effect until thirty days have elapsed from the 10 11 date of the adjudication during which time the licensee may take 12 an appeal as provided for in this act, except that revocations 13 mandated in section 481(c) shall go into effect immediately. Any licensee whose license is revoked shall be ineligible to have a 14 15 license under this act until the expiration of three years from 16 the date such license was revoked. In the event a license is 17 revoked, no license shall be granted for the premises or 18 transferred to the premises in which the said license was conducted for a period of at least one year after the date of 19 20 the revocation of the license conducted in the said premises, 21 except in cases where the licensee or a member of his immediate 22 family is not the owner of the premises, in which case the board 23 may, in its discretion, issue or transfer a license within the 24 said year. In the event the bureau or the person who was fined 25 or whose license was suspended or revoked shall feel aggrieved 26 by the adjudication of the administrative law judge, there shall 27 be a right to appeal to the board. The appeal shall be based 28 solely on the record before the administrative law judge. The 29 board shall only reverse the decision of the administrative law 30 judge if the administrative law judge committed an error of law, 31 abused its discretion or if its decision is not based on 32 substantial evidence. In the event the bureau or the person who 33 was fined or whose license was suspended or revoked shall feel 34 aggrieved by the decision of the board, there shall be a right to appeal to the court of common pleas in the same manner as 35 36 herein provided for appeals from refusals to grant licenses. 37 Each of the appeals shall act as a supersedeas unless, upon 38 sufficient cause shown, the reviewing authority shall determine 39 otherwise; however, if the licensee has been cited and found to have violated section 493(1) insofar as it relates to sales to 40 41 minors or sales to a visibly intoxicated person, section 493(10) 42 insofar as it relates to lewd, immoral or improper entertainment or section 493(14), (16) or (21), or has been found to be a 43 44 public nuisance pursuant to section 611, or if the owner or operator of the licensed premises or any authorized agent of the 45 owner or operator has been convicted of any violation of "The 46 Controlled Substance, Drug, Device and Cosmetic Act," or of 18 47 48 Pa.C.S. § 5902 or 6301, at or relating to the licensed premises, 49 or if the license has been revoked under section 481(c), its 50 appeal shall not act as a supersedeas unless the reviewing authority determines otherwise upon sufficient cause shown. In 51

any hearing on an application for a supersedeas under this 1 section, the reviewing authority may consider, in addition to 2 other relevant evidence, documentary evidence, including records 3 of the bureau, showing the prior history of citations, fines, 4 suspensions or revocations against the licensee; and the 5 reviewing authority may also consider, in addition to other 6 relevant evidence, evidence of any recurrence of the unlawful 7 activity occurring between the date of the citation which is the 8 subject of the appeal and the date of the hearing. If the 9 reviewing authority is the board, no hearing shall be held on 10 11 the application for a supersedeas; however, a decision shall be 12 made based on the application, answer and documentary evidence 13 under this subsection. If the application for a supersedeas is 14 for a license that has been revoked under section 481(c), the 15 reviewing authority shall grant the supersedeas only if it finds that the licensee will likely prevail on the merits. No penalty 16 provided by this section shall be imposed for any violations 17 18 provided for in this act unless the bureau notifies the licensee of its nature within thirty days of the completion of the 19 20 investigation. \* \* \* 21 22 Section 10.6. Section 477 heading, (c) and (f) of the act, 23 added April 29, 1994 (P.L.212, No.30), are amended and the section is amended by adding a subsection to read: 24 25 Section 477. Applicants to Provide State Tax Identification Numbers and Statement of State Tax Status and Local Tax Status; 26 27 Waiver of Confidentiality of Information in the Possession of 28 the Department of Revenue and Other Departments; Review of State Tax Status.--\* \* \* 29 30 (a.1) In addition to any other information required for the grant, renewal or transfer of any license issued pursuant to 31 this article, an applicant for a license in a city of the first 32 class shall provide the board, upon forms approved by the city, 33 a statement that all taxes levied pursuant to the act of June\_ 34 10, 1971 (P.L.153, No.7), known as the "First Class School 35 36 District Liquor Sales Tax Act of 1971," have been remitted. 37 \* \* \* 38 (c) Upon receipt of any application for the grant, renewal or transfer of any license issued pursuant to this article, the 39 board shall review the State and local tax status of the 40 applicant. The board shall request State and local tax 41 42 information regarding the applicant from the Department of Revenue, the Office of Attorney General [or], the Department of 43 44 Labor and Industry or the department of revenue for a city of 45 the first class and said information shall be provided. \* \* \* 46 47 (f) Upon the required submission of the annual licensing fee or upon renewal, issuance or transfer of any license, if the 48 49 Department of Revenue [or]<sub>1</sub> the Department of Labor and Industry or the department of revenue for a city of the first class 50 51 notifies the board of noncompliance with the aforementioned

provisions, the board shall not renew, issue, transfer or 1 2 validate the license. Any appeal filed therefrom shall not act 3 as a supersedeas. \* \* \* 4 5 Section 11. Section 488 of the act, added February 21, 2002 (P.L.103, No.10), is amended to read: 6 7 Section 488. Shipment of Wine [into Commonwealth.--(a) The 8 shipment of wine from out-of-State to residents of this 9 Commonwealth is prohibited, except as otherwise provided for in this section.] to Pennsylvania Liquor Stores .--10 11 Notwithstanding any other provision of this act or law (b) 12 to the contrary, a person licensed by another state as a producer, supplier, importer, wholesaler, distributor or 13 retailer of wine and who obtains a [direct wine shipper] direct-14 15 to-store wine shipper license as provided for in this section may ship up to nine liters per month of any wine [not included 16 17 on the list provided for in subsection (c)] on the [Internet] 18 order of any resident of this Commonwealth who is at least 19 twenty-one (21) years of age for such resident's personal use 20 and not for resale. 21 [(c) Each month, the board shall publish on the Internet a 22 list of all classes, varieties and brands of wine available for 23 sale in the Pennsylvania Liquor Stores. A person holding a 24 direct shipper license may ship only those classes, varieties 25 and brands of wine not included on the list at the time an Internet order is placed.] 26 27 [An out-of-State] <u>A direct-to-store</u> wine shipper shall: (d) 28 Not ship more than nine liters per month on the Internet (1)29 order of any person in this Commonwealth. 30 (2) Report to the board each year the total <u>amount</u> of wine 31 shipped [into this Commonwealth] to Pennsylvania Liquor Stores\_ 32 in the preceding calendar year. 33 (3) Permit the board, the enforcement bureau or the Secretary of Revenue, or their designated representatives, to 34 perform an audit of the [out-of-State] <u>direct-to-store</u> wine 35 36 shipper's records upon request. 37 (4) Be deemed to have submitted to the jurisdiction of the 38 board, any other State agency and the courts of this 39 Commonwealth for purposes of enforcement of this section and any related laws, rules or regulations. 40 41 A [direct] <u>direct-to-store wine</u> shipper may ship wine on (e) the [Internet] order of a resident into this Commonwealth 42 provided that the wine is shipped to a Pennsylvania Liquor Store 43 44 selected by the resident. The wine will be subject to taxes in the same manner as wine sold directly by the board. The wine 45 will not be released by the State store until all moneys due, 46 including all taxes and fees, have been paid by the resident. 47 48 (f) A person shall sign an affidavit provided by the 49 Pennsylvania Liquor Store where the wine was delivered to 50 stating that the wine will only be used for the person's 51 personal use. Any person who resells wine obtained under this

section commits a misdemeanor of the second degree. 1 The board may promulgate such rules and regulations as 2 (q) are necessary to implement and enforce the provisions of this 3 section. The board may charge the resident a fee to cover the 4 cost associated with processing the [Internet] order. 5 6 The board shall submit [monthly] annual reports to the (h) 7 Appropriations Committee and the Law and Justice Committee of the Senate and to the Appropriations Committee and the Liquor 8 Control Committee of the House of Representatives summarizing 9 the number of [direct] <u>direct-to-store wine</u> shipper licenses 10 11 issued by the board, the quantity of wine sold and shipped by 12 direct-to-store wine shipper licensees pursuant to this section 13 and the total dollar value of sales under this section. The term "wine" as used in this section shall mean 14 (i) 15 liquor which is fermented from [grapes and other fruits, having alcoholic content of twenty-four per centum or less. The term 16 "wine" shall not include malt or brewed beverages nor shall wine 17 18 include any products containing alcohol derived from malt, grain, cereal, molasses or cactus] an agricultural commodity as 19 20 that term is defined in section 505.2(c). Section 12. The act is amended by adding a section to read: 21 22 Section 489. Direct Shipment of Wine.--(a) Notwithstanding any other provision of law, a person licensed by the board or 23 another state as a producer of wine, and who obtains a license 24 25 as provided for in this section, may ship up to eighteen liters per month of any wine on the order of any resident of this 26 Commonwealth who is at least twenty-one years of age for such 27 28 resident's personal use and not for resale. 29 (b) Prior to issuing such a license, the board shall require 30 the person seeking the license to: 31 (1) File an application with the board. 32 (2) Pay a registration fee of one hundred dollars (\$100). 33 (3) Provide to the board a copy of the applicant's current alcoholic beverage license issued by the board or another state, 34 if applicable. 35 36 (4) Provide documentation to the board which evidences that 37 the applicant has obtained a sales tax license from the 38 Department of Revenue. (5) Obtain a tax bond, in the amount of one thousand dollars 39 (\$1,000), such that if the licensee does not pay the taxes 40 41 imposed under this section when due, the surety of the bond shall pay all taxes and any related penalties, and any interest 42 43 that may be due or become due. 44 (6) Provide the board with any other information that the board deems necessary and appropriate. 45 (c) The <u>licensee shall</u>: 46 (1) Require proof of age of the recipient, in a manner or 47 format approved by the board, before any wine is shipped to a 48 49 resident of this Commonwealth. (2) Ensure that all boxes or exterior containers of wine 50 <u>shipped directly to a resident of this Commonwealth</u> are 51

1	<u>conspicuously labeled with the words "CONTAINS ALCOHOL:</u>
2	<u>SIGNATURE OF PERSON 21 YEARS OF AGE OR OLDER REQUIRED FOR</u>
3	DELIVERY."
4	(3) Ensure that shipments shall be delivered by an entity
5	holding a valid transporter-for-hire license issued by the board
6	<u>and that such transporter-for-hire shall not deliver any wine</u>
7	<u>unless it does all of the following:</u>
8	(i) Obtains the signature of the recipient of the wine upon
9	<u>delivery.</u>
10	<u>(ii) Verifies by inspecting a valid form of photo</u>
11	identification, as provided for in section 495(a), that the
12	<u>recipient is at least twenty-one (21) years of age.</u>
13	<u>(iii) Determines that the recipient is not visibly</u>
14	intoxicated at the time of delivery.
15	(4) On a quarterly basis, remit to the Department of Revenue
16	all taxes due on sales to residents of this Commonwealth.
17	(5) Permit the board, the enforcement bureau or the
18	<u>Secretary of Revenue, or their designated representatives, to</u>
19	<u>perform an audit of the licensee's records upon request.</u>
20	(6) Be deemed to have submitted to the jurisdiction of the
21	board, any other State agency and the courts of this
22	Commonwealth for purposes of enforcement of this section and any
23	related laws, rules or regulations, including the collection and
24	remission of taxes as required under this section.
25	(7) Annually renew its license by paying a renewal fee
26	established by the board and report to the board, at the time of
27	renewal, the total amount of wine shipped to residents of this
28	Commonwealth in the preceding calendar year.
29	(d) Wine delivered under the authority of this section is
30 21	subject to the sales and use tax imposed by section 202 of the
31 32	act of March 4, 1971 (P.L.6, No.2), known as the "Tax Reform Code of 1971 " the sales and use tax imposed by Article XXXI-P
33	<u>Code of 1971," the sales and use tax imposed by Article XXXI-B</u> of the act of July 28, 1953 (P.L.723, No.230), known as the
34	"Second Class County Code," the sales and use tax imposed by the
35	act of February 12, 2004 (P.L.73, No.11), known as the
36	"Intergovernmental Cooperation Authority Act for Cities of the
37	Second Class, " and the emergency State tax imposed on wines sold
38	by the board under the act of June 9, 1936 (1st Sp. Sess.,
39	P.L.13, No.4), entitled "An act imposing an emergency State tax
40	on liquor, as herein defined, sold by the Pennsylvania Liquor
41	Control Board; providing for the collection and payment of such
42	tax; and imposing duties upon the Department of Revenue and the
43	Pennsylvania Liquor Control Board."
44	(e) A transporter for hire shall:
45	(1) keep records as required under section 512 pertaining to
46	the direct shipment of wine; and
47	(2) permit the board and the enforcement bureau, or their
48	designated representatives, to inspect such records in
49	accordance with section 513.
50	(f) Any person who resells wine obtained under this section
51	commits a misdemeanor of the second degree.

(q) Shipments of wine to persons in this Commonwealth from 1 persons who do not possess a license from the board authorizing 2 3 such shipments are prohibited. Any person who knowingly makes, 4 participates in, transports, imports or receives such shipment 5 commits a misdemeanor. (h) The board shall submit annual reports to the 6 Appropriations Committee of the Senate and the Law and Justice\_ 7 Committee of the Senate and to the Appropriations Committee of 8 9 the House of Representatives and the Liquor Control Committee of the House of Representatives summarizing the number of licenses 10 11 issued by the board under this section, the quantity of wine\_ 12 sold and shipped by licensees pursuant to this section and the 13 total dollar value of sales under this section. (i) The board may promulgate such rules and regulations as 14 15 are necessary to implement and enforce the provisions of this 16 section. (j) The term "wine" as used in this section shall mean\_ 17 18 liquor which is fermented from an agricultural commodity as that term is defined in section 505.2(c). 19 20 Section 13. Section 493(24) of the act, amended November 29, 2006 (P.L.1421, No.155), is amended and the section is amended 21 22 by adding a paragraph to read: 23 Section 493. Unlawful Acts Relative to Liquor, Malt and Brewed Beverages and Licensees. -- The term "licensee," when used 24 25 in this section, shall mean those persons licensed under the provisions of Article IV, unless the context clearly indicates 26 27 otherwise. 28 It shall be unlawful--29 \* \* \* 30 (24) (i) Things of Value Offered as Inducement. Except as provided in subclause (ii), for any licensee under the 31 32 provisions of this article, or the board or any manufacturer, or 33 any employe or agent of a manufacturer, licensee or of the 34 board, to offer to give anything of value or to solicit or 35 receive anything of value as a premium for the return of caps, 36 stoppers, corks, stamps or labels taken from any bottle, case, barrel or package containing liquor or malt or brewed beverage, 37 38 or to offer or give or solicit or receive anything of value as a 39 premium or present to induce directly the purchase of liquor or malt or brewed beverage, or for any licensee, manufacturer or 40 other person to offer or give to trade or consumer buyers any 41 42 prize, premium, gift or other inducement to purchase liquor or malt or brewed beverages, except advertising novelties of 43 44 nominal value which the board shall define. This section shall not prevent any manufacturer or any agent of a manufacturer from 45 offering and honoring coupons which offer monetary rebates on 46 47 purchases of wines and spirits through State Liquor Stores or 48 purchases of malt or brewed beverages through distributors and 49 importing distributors in accordance with conditions or 50 regulations established by the board. The board may redeem 51 coupons offered by a manufacturer or an agent of a manufacturer

at the time of purchase. Coupons offered by a manufacturer or an 1 agent of a manufacturer shall not be redeemed without proof of 2 purchase. This section shall not apply to the return of any 3 monies specifically deposited for the return of the original 4 container to the owners thereof. 5 6 (ii) Notwithstanding subclause (i) or any other provision of 7 law, a holder of a restaurant license that is also approved to hold a slot machine license or a conditional slot machine 8 license under 4 Pa.C.S. Part II (relating to gaming) may give 9 liquor and malt or brewed beverages free of charge to any person 10 11 [actively engaged in playing a slot machine] of age and within 12 the licensed facility. 13 \* \* \* (35) Sale of wine received by direct-to-store or direct 14 15 shipment. For any licensee to sell or offer to sell any wine purchased or acquired, directly or indirectly, from a licensee 16 pursuant to the authority of section 488, or from a licensee 17 18 pursuant to the authority of section 489. 19 Section 14. Section 499(a.1) of the act, amended October 5, 20 1994 (P.L.522, No.77), is amended to read: Section 499. Premises to be Vacated by Patrons. --\* \* \* 21 22 Subsection (a) shall not apply to sales of malt and (a.1) 23 brewed beverages for consumption off the premises when the 24 following conditions are met: 25 (1) no licensee may sell malt or brewed beverages in excess of [one hundred ninety-two fluid ounces] three hundred eighty-26 27 four ounces in not more than twenty-four original containers in 28 a single sale to one person as provided in section 407, provided 29 the licensee may not sell a package as prepared for sale or distribution by the manufacturer containing more than twelve 30 <u>containers</u>, in any one sale for consumption off the premises; 31 32 (2) sales and service of malt and brewed beverages for 33 consumption off the premises are made prior to the designated 34 time the licensee is required by this act to cease serving liquor, malt or brewed beverages; 35 36 (3) persons who have purchased malt and brewed beverages for 37 consumption off the premises shall remove the malt and brewed beverages from the premises by the designated time as contained 38 39 in this act that patrons are required to vacate the premises; no club licensee may sell any malt or brewed beverage 40 (4) 41 for consumption off the premises where sold or to any persons 42 who are not members of the club. 43 \* \* \* 44 Section 14.1. Section 505.2(a) (6.1) of the act, amended June 28, 2011 (P.L.55, No.11), is amended and the section is amended 45 46 by adding a clause to read: Section 505.2. Limited Wineries.--(a) In the interest of 47 promoting tourism and recreational development in Pennsylvania, 48 49 holders of a limited winery license may: \* \* \* 50 51 (6.1) Sell food for consumption on or off the licensed

premises and at the limited winery's additional board-approved 1 locations and sell by the glass, at the licensed premises and at 2 the limited winery's additional board-approved locations, [only] 3 wine and alcoholic ciders that may otherwise be sold by the 4 bottle. In addition, the holder of a limited winery license may 5 sell for consumption on the licensed premises and at the limited 6 winery's additional board-approved locations, liquor produced by 7 a licensed limited distillery and malt or brewed beverages 8 9 produced by a licensed brewery. \* \* \* 10 11 Section 14.2. Section 505.4(b)(1) and (c)(1) of the act, 12 amended December 22, 2011 (P.L.530, No.113), are amended to 13 read: Section 505.4. Distilleries.--\* \* \* 14 15 (b) (1) The board may issue a limited distillery license that will allow the holder thereof to operate a distillery that 16 shall not exceed production of one hundred thousand (100,000) 17 18 gallons of distilled liquor per year. The holder of the license may manufacture and sell bottled liquors produced on the 19 20 licensed premises to the board, to entities licensed by the 21 board and to the public between the hours of nine o'clock 22 antemeridian and eleven o'clock postmeridian so long as a 23 specific code of distilled liquor which is listed for sale as a 24 stock item by the board in State liquor stores may not be offered for sale at a licensed limited distillery location at a 25 price which is lower than that charged by the board and under 26 27 such conditions and regulations as the board may enforce. The 28 holder of a limited distillery license may also sell wines 29 produced by a licensed limited winery or malt or brewed 30 beverages produced by a licensed brewery. \* \* \* 31 32 The holder of a distillery license as issued under (c) (1) 33 section 505 may sell bottled liquors produced on the licensed premises to the board, to entities licensed by the board and to 34 the public between the hours of nine o'clock antemeridian and 35 36 eleven o'clock postmeridian so long as a specific code of 37 distilled liquor which is listed for sale as a stock item by the 38 board in State liquor stores may not be offered for sale at a 39 licensed distillery location at a price which is lower than that charged by the board and under such conditions and regulations 40 41 as the board may enforce. The holder of a limited distillery 42 license may also sell wines produced by a licensed limited 43 winery or malt or brewed beverages produced by a licensed 44 brewery. 45 \* \* \* 46 Section 14.3. The act is amended by adding a section to 47 read: 48 Section 1002. Small Brewers Tax Credits. -- (a) A tax credit 49 or credits shall be allowed for each calendar year to a taxpayer, not to exceed in total amount the amount of qualifying 50 capital expenditures made by the taxpayer and certified by the 51

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2	(b) A taxpayer desiring to claim a tax credit or credits
3	under this section shall, within one year of the date of the
4	original purchase of the gualifying capital expenditures, in
5	accordance with regulations promulgated by the secretary, report
6	annually to the secretary the nature, amounts and dates of
7	<u>qualifying capital expenditures made by him and such other</u>
8	information as the secretary shall require. If satisfied as to
9	the correctness of such a report, the secretary shall issue to
10	the taxpayer a certificate establishing the amount of qualifying
11	capital expenditures made by the taxpayer and included within
12	<u>said report. The taxpayer shall also provide to the secretary</u>
13	the number of employes, total production of malt or brewed
14	beverages and the amount of capital expenditures made by the
15	taxpayer at each location operated by the taxpayer or a parent
16	<u>corporation, subsidiary, joint venture or affiliate. The </u>
17	taxpayer shall notify the secretary of any contract for
18	production held with another manufacturer. The secretary shall
19	file a report annually with the Secretary of the Senate and with
20	the Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives outlining the
21	employment, production, expenditures and tax credits authorized
22	under this section.
23	<u>(c) Upon receipt from a taxpayer of a certificate from the</u>
24	secretary issued under subsection (a), the secretary shall grant
25	a tax credit or credits in the amount certified against any tax
26	due under Article XX of the act of March 4, 1971 (P.L.6, No.2),
27	<u>known as the "Tax Reform Code of 1971" in the calendar year in</u>
28	which the expenditures were incurred or against any tax becoming
29	due from the taxpayer under Article XX of the "Tax Reform Code
30	of 1971," in the following three calendar years. No credit shall
31	be allowed against any tax due for any taxable period ending
32	before January 1, 2013, and no taxpayer shall be eligible to
33	receive a tax credit for a qualifying expenditure made on or
34	before December 31, 2009.
35	(d) (1) As used in this section, the following words and
36	phrases shall have the meanings given to them in this subsection
37	unless the context clearly indicates otherwise:
38	"Amounts paid" shall mean:
39 40	(i) amounts actually paid; or
40 41	(ii) at the taxpayer's election, amounts promised to be paid under firm purchase contracts actually executed during any
42	<u>calendar year: Provided, however, That there shall be no</u>
43	<u>duplication of "amounts paid" under this definition.</u>
43	"Qualifying capital expenditures" shall mean amounts paid by
45	<u>a taxpayer for the purchase of items of plant, machinery or</u>
46	equipment for use by the taxpayer within this Commonwealth in
47	the manufacture and sale of malt or brewed beverages: Provided,
48	however, That the total amount of qualifying capital
49	expenditures made by a taxpayer within a single calendar year
50	shall not exceed two hundred thousand dollars (\$200,000) and
51	must have been made on or after January 1, 2010.
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1	"Secretary" shall mean the Secretary of Revenue where not
2	<u>otherwise qualified.</u>
3	<u>"Taxpayer" shall mean a manufacturer of malt or brewed</u>
4	beverages claiming a tax credit or credits under this section
5	<u>after making a qualifying capital expenditure.</u>
6	(2) Except as otherwise provided in clause (1), the
7	definitions in section 2002 of the "Tax Reform Code of 1971"
8	shall apply to this section.
9	Section 15. This act shall take effect in 60 days.