AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL NO. 1048

Sponsor: SENATOR STEFANO

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Amend Bill, page 1, lines 1 through 19, by striking out all 1

2 of said lines and inserting

Amending the act of April 12, 1951 (P.L.90, No.21), entitled "An 3 act relating to alcoholic liquors, alcohol and malt and 4 5 brewed beverages; amending, revising, consolidating and 6 changing the laws relating thereto; regulating and 7 restricting the manufacture, purchase, sale, possession, 8 consumption, importation, transportation, furnishing, holding 9 in bond, holding in storage, traffic in and use of alcoholic liquors, alcohol and malt and brewed beverages and the 10 11 persons engaged or employed therein; defining the powers and 12 duties of the Pennsylvania Liquor Control Board; providing 13 for the establishment and operation of State liquor stores, 14 for the payment of certain license fees to the respective 15 municipalities and townships, for the abatement of certain 16 nuisances and, in certain cases, for search and seizure 17 without warrant; prescribing penalties and forfeitures; 18 providing for local option, and repealing existing laws," in 19 licenses and regulations for liquor, alcohol and malt and 20 brewed beverages, further providing for renewal of licenses 21 and temporary provisions for licensees in armed service.

22 Amend Bill, page 1, lines 22 through 25; page 2, lines 1

23 through 7; by striking out all of said lines on said pages and

24 inserting

25 Section 1. Section 470(a) of the act of April 12, 1951 26 (P.L.90, No.21), known as the Liquor Code, is amended and the 27 subsection is amended by adding a paragraph to read: 28 Section 470. Renewal of Licenses; Temporary Provisions for 29 Licensees in Armed Service.--(a) (1) All applications for validation or renewal of licenses under the provisions of this 30 31 article shall be filed at least sixty days before the expiration date of same, along with tax clearance from the Department of 32 Revenue and the Department of Labor and Industry [and], the 33 34 requisite license and filing fees, and, except as provided under paragraph (2), shall include an application surcharge of seven 35

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

50 restaurant, club or catering club license held by a volunteer 51 fire company, incorporated unit of a national veterans'

1	organization or an affiliated organization of an incorporated
2	<u>unit of a national veterans' organization, affiliated</u>
3	organization of an incorporated unit of a national veterans'
4	organization or affiliated organization of a national veterans'
5	association shall not be subject to the seven hundred dollar
6	<u>(\$700.00) surcharge under paragraph (1).</u>
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8	Section 2. This act shall take effect in 60 days.