

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL

No. 1547 Session of
2011

INTRODUCED BY REESE, BENNINGHOFF, DAY, EVANKOVICH, GROVE,
HARKINS, KRIEGER, KULA, MASSER, MOUL, PETRI, PYLE AND RAPP,
MAY 18, 2011

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON LIQUOR CONTROL, MAY 18, 2011

AN ACT

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

18 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
19 hereby enacts as follows:

20 Section 1. Section 493.1(d) of the act of April 12, 1951
21 (P.L.90, No.21), known as the Liquor Code, reenacted and amended
22 June 29, 1987 (P.L.32, No.14), added April 13, 2006, (P.L.78,
23 No.26), is amended to read:

24 Section 493.1. Rights of Municipalities Preserved.--* * *

25 (d) Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the

1 contrary, a restaurant, hotel or public venue liquor license:

2 (1) located on premises owned by a city of the first
3 class, listed on the National Register of Historic Places and
4 which contains a structure that is at least one hundred (100)
5 years old; or

6 (2) owned or leased by the licensee which consists of at
7 least one hundred (100) contiguous acres shall not be subject
8 to the board's regulations regarding amplified music nor
9 subject to the provisions of section 471.

10 Section 2. This act shall take effect in 60 days.