THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

SENATE BILL

No. 167

Session of 2011

INTRODUCED BY BOSCOLA, FONTANA, BREWSTER AND M. WHITE, JANUARY 19, 2011

REFERRED TO LAW AND JUSTICE, JANUARY 19, 2011

25

AN ACT

Amending the act of April 12, 1951 (P.L.90, No.21), entitled, as reenacted, "An act relating to alcoholic liquors, alcohol and 2 malt and brewed beverages; amending, revising, consolidating 3 and changing the laws relating thereto; regulating and 4 restricting the manufacture, purchase, sale, possession, 5 consumption, importation, transportation, furnishing, holding in bond, holding in storage, traffic in and use of alcoholic 7 liquors, alcohol and malt and brewed beverages and the 8 persons engaged or employed therein; defining the powers and 9 duties of the Pennsylvania Liquor Control Board; providing 10 for the establishment and operation of State liquor stores, 11 for the payment of certain license fees to the respective 12 municipalities and townships, for the abatement of certain 13 nuisances and, in certain cases, for search and seizure 14 without warrant; prescribing penalties and forfeitures; 15 providing for local option, and repealing existing laws," 17 further providing for license assignability and transfer. 18 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania 19 hereby enacts as follows: 20 Section 1. Section 468(a)(1) 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) and amended November 29, 2006 (P.L.1421, No.155), is amended to read: 23 24 Section 468. Licenses Not Assignable; Transfers.--(a) (1)

Licenses issued under this article may not be assigned. The

- 1 board, upon payment of the transfer filing fee, is hereby
- 2 authorized to transfer any license issued by it under the
- 3 provisions of this article from one person to another or from
- 4 one place to another, or both. [If] Except for restaurant liquor
- 5 <u>and eating place retail dispenser licenses transferred under</u>
- 6 <u>section 461(b.4), if</u> the license is a retail license, [then] the
- 7 new location must be within the same county as the existing
- 8 location [except for restaurant liquor and eating place retail
- 9 dispenser licenses transferred under section 461(b.4)] or, if
- 10 the municipality is located in more than one county, within the
- 11 same municipality as the existing location.
- 12 * * *
- 13 Section 2. This act shall take effect in 60 days.