

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

SENATE BILL

No. 1051 Session of
2011

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REFERRED TO LAW AND JUSTICE, MAY 10, 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 limited wineries.

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

20 Section 1. Section 505.2(a) 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), is amended by adding a clause to
23 read:

24 Section 505.2. Limited Wineries.--(a) In the interest of

1 promoting tourism and recreational development in Pennsylvania,
2 holders of a limited winery license may:

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4 (4.1) Upon approval of the board, obtain a farmers market
5 permit to participate and sell alcoholic cider, wine and wine
6 coolers produced by the limited winery at a farmers market
7 during standard hours of operation. A farmers market permit
8 shall be issued upon proper application and payment of a fee of
9 two hundred fifty dollars (\$250) annually. A farmers market
10 permit shall entitle the holder to engage in the sale by the
11 bottle or in case lots of alcoholic cider or wine produced by
12 the permittee under the authority of the limited winery license.
13 Holders of farmers market permits may provide tasting samples of
14 wines in individual portions not to exceed one (1) fluid ounce.
15 Samples may be offered free of charge. A limited winery shall
16 report to the board its monthly participation at farmers
17 markets.

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