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S.C.R. No. 27

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, The Texas Alcoholic Beverage Code was enacted by  
2 Chapter 194, Acts of the 65th Legislature, Regular Session, 1977,  
3 and became effective on September 1, 1977; and

4 WHEREAS, In the intervening years since this codification,  
5 the Alcoholic Beverage Code has been amended numerous times in each  
6 legislative session, and there are now many provisions that seem to  
7 be in conflict and require evaluation, review, and revision; and

8 WHEREAS, According to the statute's public policy statement,  
9 the Alcoholic Beverage Code is "an exercise of the police power of  
10 the state for the protection of the welfare, health, peace,  
11 temperance, and safety of the people of the state," and it is to the  
12 benefit of the citizens of this state that the code be as accessible  
13 as possible; and

14 WHEREAS, The revision of the Alcoholic Beverage Code should  
15 take place during the 2004-2005 interim so as to coincide with the  
16 evaluation of the Texas Alcoholic Beverage Commission by the Sunset  
17 Advisory Commission; now, therefore, be it

18 RESOLVED, That the 78th Legislature of the State of Texas  
19 hereby request that the Texas Legislative Council schedule a  
20 revision of the Alcoholic Beverage Code during the 2004-2005  
21 interim; and, be it further

22 RESOLVED, That the secretary of state forward an official  
23 copy of this resolution to the chairman and vice chairman of the  
24 Texas Legislative Council.