

1-1 By: Madla S.C.R. No. 27  
1-2 (In the Senate - Filed March 13, 2003; March 20, 2003, read  
1-3 first time and referred to Committee on Government Organization;  
1-4 April 8, 2003, reported adversely, with favorable Committee  
1-5 Substitute by the following vote: Yeas 7, Nays 0; April 8, 2003,  
1-6 sent to printer.)

1-7 COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR S.C.R. No. 27 By: Armbrister

1-8 SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

1-9 WHEREAS, The Texas Alcoholic Beverage Code was enacted by  
1-10 Chapter 194, Acts of the 65th Legislature, Regular Session, 1977,  
1-11 and became effective on September 1, 1977; and

1-12 WHEREAS, In the intervening years since this codification,  
1-13 the Alcoholic Beverage Code has been amended numerous times in each  
1-14 legislative session, and there are now many provisions that seem to  
1-15 be in conflict and require evaluation, review, and revision; and

1-16 WHEREAS, According to the statute's public policy statement,  
1-17 the Alcoholic Beverage Code is "an exercise of the police power of  
1-18 the state for the protection of the welfare, health, peace,  
1-19 temperance, and safety of the people of the state," and it is to the  
1-20 benefit of the citizens of this state that the code be as accessible  
1-21 as possible; and

1-22 WHEREAS, The revision of the Alcoholic Beverage Code should  
1-23 take place during the 2004-2005 interim so as to coincide with the  
1-24 evaluation of the Texas Alcoholic Beverage Commission by the Sunset  
1-25 Advisory Commission; now, therefore, be it

1-26 RESOLVED, That the 78th Legislature of the State of Texas  
1-27 hereby request that the Texas Legislative Council schedule a  
1-28 nonsubstantive revision of the Alcoholic Beverage Code during the  
1-29 2004-2005 interim; and, be it further

1-30 RESOLVED, That the secretary of state forward an official  
1-31 copy of this resolution to the chairman and vice-chairman of the  
1-32 Texas Legislative Council.

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