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H.B. No. 1505

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

1
2 relating to ownership of a license or permit authorizing the sale of
3 alcoholic beverages at a facility owned by a municipality or
4 county.

5 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

6 SECTION 1. Subchapter D, Chapter 109, Alcoholic Beverage
7 Code, is amended by adding Section 109.5305 to read as follows:

8 Sec. 109.5305. OWNERSHIP OF LICENSE OR PERMIT FOR A
9 BUILDING OWNED BY A MUNICIPALITY OR COUNTY. The provision of
10 Section 109.53 or a rule adopted by the commission prohibiting
11 subterfuge ownership of a license or permit or the premises covered
12 by a license or permit does not apply to a facility owned by a
13 municipality or county that is financed with public securities, the
14 interest on which is exempt from federal income taxation under the
15 Internal Revenue Code of 1986, or a license or permit issued for a
16 premises at that facility.

17 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2009.