

AN ACT

relating to the sale of certain alcoholic beverages to private club registration permit holders.

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

SECTION 1. Section 19.01, Alcoholic Beverage Code, is amended to read as follows:

Sec. 19.01. AUTHORIZED ACTIVITIES. The holder of a wholesaler's permit may:

(1) purchase and import liquor from distillers, brewers, wineries, wine bottlers, rectifiers, and manufacturers who are holders of nonresident seller's permits or from their agents who hold manufacturer's agents permits;

(2) purchase liquor from other wholesalers in the state;

(3) sell liquor in the original containers in which it is received to retailers and wholesalers in this state authorized to sell the liquor; ~~and~~

(4) sell liquor to qualified persons outside the state; and

(5) sell ale and malt liquor to a holder of a private club registration permit.

SECTION 2. Section 20.01, Alcoholic Beverage Code, is amended to read as follows:

Sec. 20.01. AUTHORIZED ACTIVITIES. The holder of a general

1 class B wholesaler's permit may:

2 (1) purchase and import malt and vinous liquors from  
3 brewers, wineries, rectifiers, and wine manufacturers and wine  
4 bottlers who are the holders of nonresident seller's permits or  
5 their agents who are holders of manufacturer's agent permits;

6 (2) purchase malt and vinous liquors from holders of  
7 brewer's permits or other wholesalers in the state;

8 (3) sell the malt and vinous liquors in the original  
9 containers in which they are received to retailers and wholesalers  
10 authorized to sell them in this state, including holders of local  
11 distributor's permits, mixed beverage permits, and daily temporary  
12 mixed beverage permits; ~~and~~

13 (4) sell the malt and vinous liquors to qualified  
14 persons outside the state; and

15 (5) sell ale and malt liquor to a holder of a private  
16 club registration permit.

17 SECTION 3. Section 21.01, Alcoholic Beverage Code, is  
18 amended to read as follows:

19 Sec. 21.01. AUTHORIZED ACTIVITIES. The holder of a local  
20 class B wholesaler's permit may:

21 (1) purchase and import malt and vinous liquors from  
22 brewers, wineries, rectifiers, and wine manufacturers and bottlers  
23 who are holders of nonresident seller's permits and from their  
24 agents who are holders of manufacturer's agent permits;

25 (2) purchase malt and vinous liquors from holders of  
26 brewer's permits and from other wholesalers in the state; ~~and~~

27 (3) sell the malt and vinous liquors, in the original

1 containers in which he receives them, to general and local class B  
 2 wholesaler's permittees and, in his county of residence, to local  
 3 distributor's permittees and retailers, including mixed beverage  
 4 permittees and daily temporary mixed beverage permittees; and  
 5 (4) sell ale and malt liquor to a holder of a private  
 6 club registration permit.

7 SECTION 4. This Act takes effect September 1, 2009.

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President of the Senate

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Speaker of the House

I hereby certify that S.B. No. 731 passed the Senate on  
March 25, 2009, by the following vote: Yeas 31, Nays 0.

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Secretary of the Senate

I hereby certify that S.B. No. 731 passed the House on  
April 15, 2009, by the following vote: Yeas 147, Nays 0, one  
present not voting.

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Chief Clerk of the House

Approved:

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Date

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Governor