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TO: Honorable Wayne Smith, Chair, House Committee on Licensing & Administrative Procedures

FROM: Ursula Parks, Director, Legislative Budget Board

IN RE: HB2262 by Goldman (Relating to opening containers or possessing open containers of certain alcoholic beverages on the premises of a package store.), As Introduced

No significant fiscal implication to the State is anticipated.

The bill would amend the Alcoholic Beverage Code by repealing the prohibition on a person opening a container of liquor or beer, or possessing an opened container of liquor or beer, on the premises of a package store.

The bill would take effect on September 1, 2015.

Local Government Impact

The bill would repeal a misdemeanor offense. Lost revenue from reduced fines imposed and collected is not anticipated to have a significant fiscal impact on units of local government.

Source Agencies: 458 Alcoholic Beverage Commission

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