By: Watson S.B. No. 1642

## A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT

- 2 relating to allowing the holder of a brewpub license to sell beer,
- 3 ale, and malt liquor to certain qualified persons outside the
- 4 state.
- 5 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:
- 6 SECTION 1. Section 74.09(a), Alcoholic Beverage Code, is
- 7 amended to read as follows:
- 8 (a) In addition to the activities authorized by Section
- 9 74.01, the holder of a brewpub license may sell beer produced under
- 10 the license to the holder of a general, local, or branch
- 11 distributor's license or to qualified distributors or other
- 12 similarly situated entities outside the state.
- SECTION 2. Section 74.10(a), Alcoholic Beverage Code, is
- 14 amended to read as follows:
- 15 (a) In addition to the activities authorized by Section
- 16 74.01, the holder of a brewpub license may sell ale and malt liquor
- 17 to the holder of a wholesaler's permit, a general class B
- 18 wholesaler's permit, or a local class B wholesaler's permit or to
- 19 qualified wholesalers or other similarly situated entities outside
- 20 the state.
- 21 SECTION 3. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives
- 22 a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as
- 23 provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this
- 24 Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this

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1 Act takes effect September 1, 2017.