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1 IN THE SENATE BY THE FINANCE COMMITTEE
2 CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 276 (Finance)
3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA
4 FIFTEENTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act relating to brewpub, brewery, and beverage
7 dispensary liquor licenses; and to prohibited finan-
8 cial interests in a licensed liquor business; and
9 providing for an effective date."

10 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA:

11 * Section 1. AS 04.11.080 is amended by adding a new paragraph to read:

12 (20) brewpub license.

13 * Sec. 2. AS 04.11.130(b) is amended to read:

14 (b) A brewery license authorizes the holder to sell beer in
15 quantities of more than five [WINE] gallons to persons licensed to
16 sell beer under this title, or in another state or country.

17 * Sec. 3. AS 04.11 is amended by adding a new section to read:

18 Sec. 04.11.135. BREWPUB LICENSE. (a) A brewpub license author-
19 izes the holder of a beverage dispensary license to

20 (1) manufacture on premises licensed under the beverage
21 dispensary license not more than 16,000 gallons of beer in a calendar
22 year; and

23 (2) sell beer manufactured on premises licensed under the
24 beverage dispensary license for consumption only on the licensed
25 premises.

26 (b) Except as provided under AS 04.11.360(12), the brewpub
27 license is not transferable, shall remain the property of the state,
28 and is not subject to any form of alienation.

29 (c) The annual brewpub license fee is \$250.

1 * Sec. 4. AS 04.11.360 is amended by adding a new paragraph to read:

2 (12) the license was issued under AS 04.11.135, unless the
3 transferor is also applying to transfer the beverage dispensary li-
4 cense required under AS 04.11.135 to the same transferee.

5 * Sec. 5. AS 04.11.450(b) is amended to read:

6 (b) A person who is a representative or owner of a wholesale
7 business, brewery, winery, bottling works, or distillery may not be
8 issued, solely or together with others, a beverage dispensary license
9 or package store license. A holder of a beverage dispensary license
10 may be issued a brewpub license, subject to the provisions of AS 04.-
11 11.135.

12 * Sec. 6. AS 04.11.450(c) is amended to read:

13 (c) In this section, "direct or indirect financial interest"
14 means holding a legal or equitable interest in the operation of a
15 business licensed under this title. However, credit extended by a
16 distiller, a brewery, or a winery to a wholesaler, or credit extended
17 by a wholesaler to persons licensed under this title, or a consulting
18 fee received from a person licensed under this title, is not consid-
19 ered a financial interest in a business licensed under this title.

20 * Sec. 7. This Act takes effect immediately under AS 01.10.070(c).