

SB

148

COMMITTEE REPORT
SENATE

FURTHER: Community &
Regional Affairs

2/13/79

Date: _____

Mr. President:

The Committee on HESS has had SB 148
relating to liquor licenses

under consideration and (a majority of the committee) (the committee)
reports it back with the following recommendations:

- do pass do not pass
- do pass with attached amendments(s)
- replace with CS for _____ same title
 new title
- and recommends _____
- AND attaches a "Letter of Intent" New Fiscal Note
- reports it back without recommendation *AS H. 111 = 148*
- referred to the _____ Committee

MEMBERS SIGNING
DO PASS

Arthur Sturgis

MEMBERS HAVING
OTHER RECOMMENDATIONS:

Sturgis - 148
Sturgis - 148

Sturgis
CHAIRMAN

NO REC

AMENDMENT

OFFERED IN THE SENATE:

By: SENATE HESS

To: _____ SENATE BILL No. 143

HOUSE BILL No. _____

PAGE: 1

LINE: 8-15

beginning line 8: delete Section 1 and renumber
remaining sections accordingly

SECTION 1 - ADDS SUBSECTION (c) TO AS 04.10.040 -

This section says that if an individual has a liquor establishment & holds both a beverage dispensary license & retail license & the only entrance to the place is through the beverage dispensary license side, the ABC Board wants authority to determine that additional entrances are needed for health, fire & convenience purposes.

SECTION 2 - AMENDING AS 04.10.145(a) -

Currently an individual that holds a recreational-site license may only sell beer at a recreational event. Passage of this bill would allow him to sell WINE also.

SECTION 3 - ADDS A NEW SECTION - SECTION 265 to AS 04.10.

The thrust of this section is that if a municipality adopts by ordinance the standards and criteria spelled out in section 3(c) of this section for reviewing liquor licenses, then the municipality will have the review authority to disapprove liquor licenses. THAT'S ONLY IF MUNI'S ADOPT STANDARDS IN COMPLIANCE WITH 3(c). If muni denies application for a license, then applicant can appeal to superior court.

SECTION 4 - AMENDS section 270 to accomodate new language presented in section 3 above -

What this section is saying, is that if the municipalities do not adopt the standards as spelled out in 3(c), then the application will be transmitted to the ABC Board for action and not the municipality.

SECTION 5 - AMENDS section 350(a) to accomodate new language presented in section 3 above -

In a nut shell, what this section is saying is that if a muni has adopted an ordinance in compliance with 3(c), and the muni disapproves the reissuance of a license, then the license will not be renewed.

SECTION 6 - ADDS A NEW SECTION - SECTION 445 to AS 04.10 - TITLED LIMITATION OF SALES -

This section allows a municipality that is authorized to ^{sale} ~~sell~~ alcoholic beverages, to limit the the sale of beverages to nondistilled beverages, by ordinance. However, an ordinance to limit the sale of beverages is not effective unless first approved by voters. CONVERSELY, those muni's that are limited to nondistilled beverages by ordinance, can repeal that ordinance if approved by voters.

+ beer & wine