

Hall of the House of Representatives
90th General Assembly - Regular Session, 2015
Amendment Form

Subtitle of House Bill No. 1959

TO AMEND VARIOUS PROVISIONS OF TITLE 3 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING ALCOHOLIC
BEVERAGES.

Amendment No. 1 to House Bill No. 1959

Amend House Bill No. 1959 as originally introduced:

Delete the TITLE in its entirety, and substitute the following:
"AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW REGARDING THE SCOPE OF A STATE PERMIT AUTHORIZING
THE SALE OF BEER AND LIGHT WINE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

AND

Delete the SUBTITLE in its entirety, and substitute the following:
"TO AMEND THE LAW REGARDING THE SCOPE OF A STATE PERMIT AUTHORIZING THE SALE
OF BEER AND LIGHT WINE."

AND

Delete everything after the enacting clause, and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 3-5-207(a), concerning the scope of a
state permit authorizing the sale of beer and light wine, is amended to read
as follows:

(a)(1) Except as provided in subsection (b) of this section, any
permit issued under ~~the provisions of~~ § 3-5-206 authorizing the sale of light
wines or beer for consumption under the provisions prescribed in the permit
shall ~~be construed to~~ authorize the sale of such liquor by the bottle, by the
glass or draught, and in or from the original package.

(2) The Director of Alcoholic Beverage Control Division shall not
issue a new beer permit, including a native beer and light wine permit, for
off-premises consumption issued under § 3-5-206 or a small farm wine permit
for off-premises consumption issued under § 3-5-1602 to a business that is
within one thousand feet (1,000') of a gas pump located on property:

(A) That the applicant controls;

(B) In which the applicant holds an interest directly or
indirectly, individually, as a member of a partnership, or as a shareholder
of a corporation; or

(C) For which the applicant receives compensation or
profit.



(3) The director shall not transfer an existing beer permit issued under § 3-5-206,, including a native beer and light wine permit, or a small farm winery license issued under § 3-5-1602, for off-premise consumption to a business that is within one thousand feet (1,000') of a gas pump located on property:

(A) That the applicant controls;

(B) In which the applicant holds an interest directly or indirectly, individually, as a member of a partnership, or as a shareholder of a corporation; or

(C) For which the applicant receives compensation or profit.

SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 3-5-207, concerning the scope of a state permit authorizing the sale of beer and light wine, is amended to add an additional subsection to read as follows:

(d) This section applies only to an application for a new permit or a transfer of an existing permit filed with the Director of the Alcoholic Beverage Control Division after August 1, 2015."

The Amendment was read _____
By: Representative Wardlaw
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