ARKANSAS SENATE

83rd General Assembly - Regular Session, 2001 Amendment Form

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 576.

Amend Senate Bill No. 576 as originally introduced:

Add Senators Cash, Wilkins, and J. Jeffress as Senate cosponsors to the bill

AND

Add Representatives Roebuck, Mack, Borhauer, Allison, and French as House cosponsors to the bill

AND

Page 1, line 24, delete "beer,"

AND

Page 1, delete line 30 and substitute:

"sparkling and still wines under the provisions of this section.

(3)(A) There is levied a special alcoholic beverage excise tax of one percent (1%) upon all retail receipts or proceeds derived from the sale of beer.

(B) The tax shall be in addition to all other taxes now imposed by the Arkansas Gross Receipts Act of 1941."

AND

Page 2, line 9, delete "subsection (a)" and substitute "subdivision (a)(2) of this section"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 15 and 16 and substitute:

"(B)(i) Twenty percent (20%) of the funds shall be used to support and expand the Arkansas Better Chance Program of the Department of Human Services."

AND

Page 2, delete lines 26 and 27 and substitute:
"(B) These funds shall be exempt from budgetary cuts,
reductions, or eliminations caused by a deficiency of general revenues."
The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended and read the second time and
By: Senator Riggs
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