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A Bill

SENATE BILL 635

5 By: Senator C. Penzo
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For An Act To Be Entitled

8 AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING ALCOHOLIC
9 BEVERAGES; TO AUTHORIZE BOTTLE LOCKERS IN CERTAIN
10 RESTAURANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
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Subtitle

14 TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING ALCOHOLIC
15 BEVERAGES; AND TO AUTHORIZE BOTTLE
16 LOCKERS IN CERTAIN RESTAURANTS.
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19 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:
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21 SECTION 1. Arkansas Code Title 3, Chapter 9, Subchapter 2, is amended
22 to add an additional section to read as follows:

23 3-9-243. Bottle lockers in restaurants – Definition.

24 (a) As used in this section, "bottle locker" means a storage system,
25 such as an individual locker or cabinet, within a restaurant where the
26 restaurant stores bottles of alcoholic beverages purchased and for
27 consumption by a guest for which the guest pays a storage fee to the
28 restaurant.

29 (b) A restaurant located in a wet territory that has been issued an
30 on-premises consumption permit to sell and serve alcoholic beverages may
31 offer to a guest of the restaurant the option of the use of a bottle locker
32 to store alcoholic beverages for later consumption at the restaurant by the
33 guest.
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