

HOUSE BILL No. 4487

March 11, 1993, Introduced by Rep. Hood and referred to the Committee on Liquor Control.

A bill to amend section 15 of Act No. 8 of the Public Acts of the Extra Session of 1933, entitled as amended "The Michigan liquor control act," being section 436.15 of the Michigan Compiled Laws.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

- Section 1. Section 15 of Act No. 8 of the Public Acts of 2 the Extra Session of 1933, being section 436.15 of the Michigan
- 3 Compiled Laws, is amended to read as follows:
- 4 Sec. 15. (1) The commission shall have the right and power
- 5 to buy, have in its possession, and sell in its own name all
- 6 alcoholic liquor for distribution as provided in sections 13 and
- 7 14. It shall be the duty of the THE commission to SHALL
- 8 supply such types of alcoholic -liquors LIQUOR as shall be
- 9 demanded by the public, -: Provided, however, That EXCEPT THAT
- 10 if any -such- brands -as THAT are demanded are not manufactured

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- 1 within the borders of the United States or are not readily
- 2 obtainable within the borders of the United States, then -such-
- 3 THOSE orders shall be filled by the commission at the entire
- 4 expense of the person placing -such THE order, plus not less
- 5 than 46% -per-cent- gross profit, subject to any discounts pro-
- 6 vided for in section 16. of this act.
- 7 (2) The commission may lease or occupy any building or land
- 8 required for its operation and may purchase any warehouse
- 9 required for its operation, subject to the approval of the state
- 10 administrative board.
- 11 (3) THE COMMISSION SHALL MAINTAIN A SYSTEM FOR THE DISTRIBU-
- 12 TION OF SPIRITS INVOLVING NOT LESS THAN 75 DISTRIBUTION FACILI-
- 13 TIES IN SUBSTANTIALLY THE SAME SIZE AND IN THE SAME LOCATIONS AS
- 14 IN EXISTENCE ON JANUARY 1, 1992.
- 15 (4) AS USED IN THIS SECTION, "DISTRIBUTION FACILITY" MEANS A
- 16 STORE, WAREHOUSE, OR ANY OTHER SIMILAR TYPE OF FACILITY UTILIZED
- 17 IN THE DISTRIBUTION OF SPIRITS.