

**SENATE BILL NO. 505**

May 15, 1997, Introduced by Senator DINGELL and referred  
to the Committee on Economic Development, International  
Trade and Regulatory Affairs.

A bill to amend 1933 (Ex Sess) PA 8, entitled  
"The Michigan liquor control act,"  
by amending section 4 (MCL 436.4).

**THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:**

1       Sec. 4. ~~Exceptions to act. The provisions of this~~ THIS  
2 act ~~shall~~ DOES not ~~be construed to prevent the~~ APPLY TO THE  
3 FOLLOWING:

4       (A) THE manufacture of cider from fruit ~~—~~ for the purpose  
5 of making vinegar ~~—~~ and non-intoxicating cider and fruit juice  
6 for use and sale, and cider and fruit juice ~~shall be deemed~~  
7 ~~non-intoxicating within the meaning of this act~~ when used ~~and/~~  
8 or sold, OR BOTH, within 30 days after ~~the~~ manufacture.  
9 ~~thereof; and this act shall not apply to wine~~

10       (B) WINE or cider of any alcoholic content made on the  
11 premises by the owner or lessee of ~~such~~ THOSE premises provided

1 ~~such~~ THOSE premises are used and occupied by ~~such~~ THAT owner  
2 or lessee as a dwelling and ~~such~~ THE wine or cider is made for  
3 family use and home consumption. ~~;/ or to prevent the~~

4 (C) THE sale, ~~or~~ gift, or keeping and storing for sale by  
5 druggists and general merchants and others of ~~any of the~~ medic-  
6 inal preparations manufactured in accordance with the formulas  
7 prescribed by the United States pharmacopoeia and national formu-  
8 lary, patent or proprietary preparations, and other bona fide  
9 medicinal and technical preparations, ~~which~~ THAT contain no  
10 more alcohol than is necessary to extract the medicinal proper-  
11 ties of the drugs contained in ~~such~~ THOSE preparations ~~;/~~ and  
12 no more alcohol than is necessary to hold the medicinal agents in  
13 solution and to preserve ~~the same~~ THEM, ~~which~~ THAT are manu-  
14 factured and sold as medicine and not as beverages, THAT are  
15 unfit for use for beverage purposes, and the sale of which does  
16 not ~~now~~ require the payment of a United States liquor dealer's  
17 tax. ~~;/ or to prevent the~~

18 (D) THE manufacture and sale of tinctures or of toilet,  
19 medicinal, and antiseptic preparations and solutions THAT ARE not  
20 intended for internal human use ~~nor~~ OR THAT ARE NOT INTENDED to  
21 be sold as beverages, ~~and which~~ THAT are unfit for beverage  
22 purposes, and upon the outside of each bottle, box, or package of  
23 which is CONSPICUOUSLY AND LEGIBLY printed in ~~the~~ English  
24 ~~language, conspicuously and legibly,~~ the quantity by volume of  
25 alcohol in ~~such~~ THOSE preparations. ~~;/ or to prevent the~~

26 (E) THE manufacture and keeping for sale of the food product  
27 known as flavoring extracts ~~which shall be so~~ THAT ARE

1 manufactured and sold for cooking, culinary, or flavoring  
 2 purposes ~~—~~ and are unfit for use as a beverage or for beverage  
 3 purposes, ~~—: Provided, That it shall not be lawful to~~ EXCEPT  
 4 THAT A PERSON SHALL NOT manufacture or sell any toilet,  
 5 medicinal, or antiseptic preparations or solutions, or any fla-  
 6 voring extracts or patent or proprietary medicines or prepara-  
 7 tions, IF the manufacture and sale of ~~which now~~ THOSE ITEMS  
 8 requires the payment of a United States liquor dealer's tax ~~—~~  
 9 except as ~~herein~~ provided ~~—: Provided further, That nothing in~~  
 10 ~~this act shall apply to the~~ IN THIS ACT.

11 (F) THE manufacture ~~and/~~ or sale, OR BOTH, of ethyl,  
 12 mechanical, or industrial alcohol, not used for or made unfit for  
 13 beverage purposes. ~~—: And provided further, That this act shall~~  
 14 ~~not apply to the~~

15 (G) THE purchase of alcoholic liquor ~~as defined in this~~  
 16 ~~act,~~ for use in the manufacture of toilet, medicinal, or anti-  
 17 septic preparations or solutions, or any flavoring extract or  
 18 patent or proprietary medicines or preparations, by a manufac-  
 19 turer using ~~such~~ alcoholic liquor exclusively for ~~such~~ THE  
 20 manufacturing purposes and ~~duly~~ licensed ~~therefor~~ by the com-  
 21 mission ~~—; said~~ FOR THAT USE. A license ~~to expire on May first~~  
 22 ~~following the date of issuance,~~ issued ~~on~~ FOR THAT USE IS  
 23 PREDICATED UPON the payment of an annual fee of ~~10 dollars~~  
 24 \$10.00 and the furnishing of ~~such~~ A bond or bonds as the com-  
 25 mission ~~may require~~ REQUIRES running to the people of the state  
 26 of Michigan, for the faithful performance of the conditions of

1 the license and compliance with ~~the provisions of~~ this act.  
2 THE LICENSE EXPIRES ON MAY 1 FOLLOWING THE DATE OF ITS ISSUANCE.  
3 (H) THE POSSESSION OR RECEIPT AS A GIFT OF NOT MORE THAN 20  
4 GALLONS OF HOME-BREWED OR CRAFT-BREWED BEER, HOME-MADE WINE, OR  
5 HOME-MADE CIDER CONTAINING ALCOHOL.