HOUSE BILL No. 5119

October 2, 2001, Introduced by Rep. Rocca and referred to the Committee on Regulatory Reform.

A bill to amend 1998 PA 58, entitled "Michigan liquor control code of 1998," by amending section 525 (MCL 436.1525).

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

- 1 Sec. 525. (1) The following license fees shall be paid at
- 2 the time of filing applications or as otherwise provided in this
- **3** act:
- (a) Manufacturers of spirits, but not including makers,

- 5 blenders, and rectifiers of wines containing 21% or less alcohol
 6 by volume, \$\frac{\$10,000.00}{\$1,000.00}\$ \$1,000.00.

 7 (b) Manufacturers of beer, \$50.00 per 1,000 barrels, or
 8 fraction of a barrel, production annually with a maximum fee of
 9 \$1,000.00, and in addition \$50.00 for each motor vehicle used in
 10 delivery to retail licensees. A fee increase shall not apply to
 - 11 a manufacturer of less than 15,000 barrels production per year.

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- 1 (c) Outstate seller of beer, delivering or selling beer in 2 this state, \$1,000.00.
- 3 (d) Wine makers, blenders, and rectifiers of wine, including
- 4 makers, blenders, and rectifiers of wines containing 21% or less
- 5 alcohol by volume, \$100.00. The small wine maker license fee
- 6 shall be \$25.00.
- 7 (e) Outstate seller of wine, delivering or selling wine in
- 8 this state, \$300.00.
- **9** (f) Outstate seller of mixed spirit drink, delivering or
- 10 selling mixed spirit drink in this state, \$300.00.
- 11 (g) Dining cars or other railroad or Pullman cars selling
- 12 alcoholic liquor, \$100.00 per train.
- (h) Wholesale vendors other than manufacturers of beer,
- 14 \$300.00 for the first motor vehicle used in delivery to retail
- 15 licensees and \$50.00 for each additional motor vehicle used in
- 16 delivery to retail licensees.
- 17 (i) Watercraft, licensed to carry passengers, selling alco-
- 18 holic liquor, a minimum fee of \$100.00 and a maximum fee of
- 19 \$500.00 per year computed on the basis of \$1.00 per person per
- 20 passenger capacity.
- 21 (j) Specially designated merchants, for selling beer or wine
- 22 for consumption off the premises only but not at wholesale,
- 23 \$100.00 for each location regardless of the fact that the loca-
- 24 tion may be a part of a system or chain of merchandising.
- 25 (k) Specially designated distributors licensed by the com-
- 26 mission to distribute spirits and mixed spirit drink in the
- 27 original package for the commission for consumption off the

- 1 premises, \$150.00 per year, and an additional fee of \$3.00 for
- 2 each \$1,000.00 or major fraction of that amount in excess of
- 3 \$25,000.00 of the total retail value of merchandise purchased
- 4 under each license from the commission during the previous calen-
- 5 dar year.
- (l) Hotels of class A selling beer and wine, a minimum fee
- 7 of \$250.00 and, for all bedrooms in excess of 20, \$1.00 for each
- 8 additional bedroom, but not more than \$500.00.
- 9 (m) Hotels of class B selling beer, wine, mixed spirit
- 10 drink, and spirits, a minimum fee of \$600.00 and, for all bed-
- 11 rooms in excess of 20, \$3.00 for each additional bedroom. If a
- 12 hotel of class B sells beer, wine, mixed spirit drink, and spir-
- 13 its in more than 1 public bar, the fee shall entitle the hotel to
- 14 sell in only 1 public bar, other than a bedroom, and a license
- 15 shall be secured for each additional public bar, other than a
- 16 bedroom, the fee for which shall be \$350.00.
- (n) Taverns, selling beer and wine, \$250.00.
- 18 (o) Class C license selling beer, wine, mixed spirit drink,
- 19 and spirits, \$600.00. If a class C licensee sells beer, wine,
- 20 mixed spirit drink, and spirits in more than 1 bar, a fee of
- 21 \$350.00 shall be paid for each additional bar. In municipally
- 22 owned or supported facilities in which nonprofit organizations
- 23 operate concession stands, a fee of \$100.00 shall be paid for
- 24 each additional bar.
- 25 (p) Clubs selling beer, wine, mixed spirit drink, and spir-
- 26 its, \$300.00 for clubs having 150 or fewer duly accredited
- 27 members and \$1.00 for each additional member. The membership

- 1 list for the purpose only of determining the license fees to be
- 2 paid under this section shall be the accredited list of members
- 3 as determined by a sworn affidavit 30 days before the closing of
- 4 the license year. This section shall not prevent the commission
- 5 from checking a membership list and making its own determination
- 6 from the list or otherwise. The list of members and additional
- 7 members shall not be required of a club paying the maximum fee.
- 8 The maximum fee shall not exceed \$750.00 for any 1 club.
- 9 (q) Warehousers, to be fixed by the commission with a mini-
- 10 mum fee for each warehouse of \$50.00.
- 11 (r) Special licenses, a fee of \$50.00 per day, except that
- 12 the fee for that license or permit issued to any bona fide non-
- 13 profit association, duly organized and in continuous existence
- 14 for 1 year before the filing of its application, shall be
- 15 \$25.00. Not more than 5 special licenses may be granted to any
- 16 organization, including an auxiliary of the organization, in a
- 17 calendar year.
- 18 (s) Airlines licensed to carry passengers in this state
- 19 which sell, offer for sale, provide, or transport alcoholic
- 20 liquor, \$600.00.
- 21 (t) Brandy manufacturer, \$100.00.
- (u) Mixed spirit drink manufacturer, \$100.00.
- 23 (v) Brewpub, \$100.00.
- (2) The fees provided in this act for the various types of
- 25 licenses shall not be prorated for a portion of the effective
- 26 period of the license.