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Senate Bill 656 (Substitute S-1 as reported)
Sponsor: Senator Jim Runestad
Committee: Regulatory Reform

CONTENT

The bill would amend the Michigan Liquor Control Code to prohibit an on-premises licensee from allowing on the licensed premise a machine that dispensed alcoholic liquor directly to a customer, except as otherwise provided in the bill.

The prohibition would not apply to a dispensing machine located in a bedroom or a hotel suite of a class A or class B hotel licensee. The prohibition would not apply to a dispensing machine located at an on-premises licensed establishment if all of the conditions specified in the bill were met. The prohibition also would not apply to a dispensing machine that was located at an on-premises licensed establishment if the conditions specified in the bill were met.

The bill would require a licensee or a clerk, servant, agent, or employee of the licensee who supplied a secure key card or reactivated a secure key card as described above to comply with Section 801(1) of the Code, which prohibits a licensee from selling, furnishing, or giving alcoholic liquor to minors or visibly intoxicated individuals, and prescribes penalties for a violation.

The bill also would rescind R 436.1045 of the Michigan Administrative Code, which regulates dispensing equipment, furniture, and fixtures.

Proposed MCL 436.1552

Legislative Analyst: Christian Schmidt

FISCAL IMPACT

The bill would have no fiscal impact on State or local government.

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