



Ohio Legislative Service Commission

Synopsis of House Committee Amendments*

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(H. Commerce, Labor, & Technology)

Adds to the House-passed version a provision that allows a D-5L liquor permit to be issued to the owner or operator of a retail food establishment or food service operation that is located in a municipal corporation that is wholly located in a county and has the largest population in that county when the county has a population between 140,000 and 141,000.

Revises the law governing the issuance of F-2 liquor permits as follows:

- specifies that a permit may be issued if an association or corporation or a recognized local unit of an association or corporation is operated for a political purpose in addition to being operated for a charitable, cultural, educational, or fraternal purpose as under current law;
- prohibits a permit from being effective for more than four consecutive days rather than 48 consecutive hours as under current law;
- prohibits more than one permit from being issued in a 30-day period rather than two permits in a calendar year as under current law;
- expands the list of existing liquor permit holders that may conduct the sale of beer or intoxicating liquor on behalf of an F-2 permit holder at an event sponsored by the F-2 permit holder to include D-1 through D-5o liquor permit holders rather than only D-3, D-4, or D-5 permit holders as specified in current law;
- clarifies that Sunday sales under an F-2 permit are not affected by whether the Sunday sales of beer or intoxicating liquor for on-premises consumption are generally allowed to be made in the election precinct or at the particular location where the F-2 permit holder's event is to be held, provided that certain conditions are met; and

* This synopsis does not address amendments that may have been adopted on the House Floor.

--Allows an F-2 liquor permit to be issued for the same location that an F-8 liquor permit is issued provided that certain criteria apply.

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