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HOUSE BILL 1330

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By Representatives Horn, Heavey, G. Cole and Johanson; by request of Liquor Control Board

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- 1 AN ACT Relating to liquor licenses; amending RCW 66.24.010,
- 2 66.24.025, 66.24.380, 66.24.490, 66.28.010, 66.28.040, 66.28.070,
- 3 66.28.150, 66.28.155, and 66.44.310; and prescribing penalties.
- 4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:
- 5 **Sec. 1.** RCW 66.24.010 and 1988 c 200 s 1 are each amended to read 6 as follows:
- 7 (1) Every license shall be issued in the name of the applicant, and 8 the holder thereof shall not allow any other person to use the license.
- 9 (2) For the purpose of considering any application for a license,
- 10 the board may cause an inspection of the premises to be made, and may
- 11 inquire into all matters in connection with the construction and
- 12 operation of the premises. For the purpose of reviewing any
- 13 application for a license and for considering the denial, suspension or
- 14 revocation of any license, the liquor control board may consider any
- 15 prior criminal conduct of the applicant and the provisions of RCW
- 16 9.95.240 and of chapter 9.96A RCW shall not apply to such cases. The
- 17 board may, in its discretion, grant or refuse the license applied for.
- 18 Further, authority to approve a license may be granted by the board to

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- 1 <u>any person or persons the board designates in writing.</u> No retail 2 license of any kind may be issued to:
- 3 (a) ((A person who has not resided in the state for at least one 4 month prior to making application, except in cases of licenses issued 5 to dining places on railroads, boats, or aircraft;
- 6 (b))) A copartnership, unless all of the members thereof are qualified to obtain a license, as provided in this section;
- 8 (((c))) <u>(b)</u> A person whose place of business is conducted by a 9 manager or agent, unless such manager or agent possesses the same 10 qualifications required of the licensee;
- 11 ((\(\frac{(d)}{d}\))) (c) A corporation, unless it was created under the laws of
 12 the state of Washington or holds a certificate of authority to transact
 13 business in the state of Washington. Also, the officers and majority
 14 shareholders that have a substantial interest must be at least twenty15 one years of age.
- (3) The board may, in its discretion, subject to the provisions of 16 17 RCW 66.08.150, suspend or cancel any license; and all rights of the licensee to keep or sell liquor thereunder shall be suspended or 18 19 terminated, as the case may be. The board may request the appointment 20 of administrative law judges under chapter 34.12 RCW who shall have power to administer oaths, issue subpoenas for the attendance of 21 22 witnesses and the production of papers, books, accounts, documents, and 23 testimony, examine witnesses, and to receive testimony in any inquiry, 24 investigation, hearing, or proceeding in any part of the state, under 25 such rules and regulations as the board may adopt.
 - Witnesses shall be allowed fees and mileage each way to and from any such inquiry, investigation, hearing, or proceeding at the rate authorized by RCW 34.05.446, as now or hereafter amended. Fees need not be paid in advance of appearance of witnesses to testify or to produce books, records, or other legal evidence.
- 31 In case of disobedience of any person to comply with the order of the board or a subpoena issued by the board, or any of its members, or 32 administrative law judges, or on the refusal of a witness to testify to 33 any matter regarding which he may be lawfully interrogated, the judge 34 35 of the superior court of the county in which the person resides, on application of any member of the board or administrative law judge, 36 37 shall compel obedience by contempt proceedings, as in the case of disobedience of the requirements of a subpoena issued from said court 38 or a refusal to testify therein. 39

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- (4) Upon receipt of notice of the suspension or cancellation of a 1 license, the licensee shall forthwith deliver up the license to the 2 3 board. Where the license has been suspended only, the board shall 4 return the license to the licensee at the expiration or termination of the period of suspension. The board shall notify all vendors in the 5 city or place where the licensee has its premises of the suspension or 6 7 cancellation of the license; and no employee may allow or cause any 8 liquor to be delivered to or for any person at the premises of that 9 licensee.
- (5)(a) At the time of the original issuance of a class H license, the board shall prorate the license fee charged to the new licensee according to the number of calendar quarters, or portion thereof, remaining until the first renewal of that license is required.
- 14 (b) Unless sooner canceled, every license issued by the board shall 15 expire at midnight of the thirtieth day of June of the fiscal year for which it was issued. However, if the board deems it feasible and 16 desirable to do so, it may establish, by rule pursuant to chapter 34.05 17 RCW, a system for staggering the annual renewal dates for any and all 18 19 licenses authorized by this chapter. If such a system of staggered annual renewal dates is established by the board, the license fees 20 provided by this chapter shall be appropriately prorated during the 21 first year that the system is in effect. 22
 - (6) Every license issued under this section shall be subject to all conditions and restrictions imposed by this title or by the regulations in force from time to time. All conditions and restrictions imposed by the board in the issuance of an individual license shall be listed on the face of the individual license along with the trade name, address, and expiration date.

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- 29 (7) Every licensee shall post and keep posted its license, or 30 licenses, in a conspicuous place on the premises.
- 31 (8) Before the board shall issue a license to an applicant it shall give notice of such application to the chief executive officer of the 32 incorporated city or town, if the application be for a license within 33 an incorporated city or town, or to the county legislative authority, 34 if the application be for a license outside the boundaries of 35 incorporated cities or towns; and such incorporated city or town, 36 37 through the official or employee selected by it, or the county legislative authority or the official or employee selected by it, shall 38 39 have the right to file with the board within twenty days after date of

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transmittal of such notice, written objections against the applicant or against the premises for which the license is asked, and shall include 2 with such objections a statement of all facts upon which such 3 4 objections are based, and in case written objections are filed, may 5 request and the liquor control board may in its discretion hold a formal hearing subject to the applicable provisions of Title 34 RCW, as 6 7 now or hereafter amended. Upon the granting of a license under this 8 title the board shall send a duplicate of the license or written 9 notification to the chief executive officer of the incorporated city or 10 town in which the license is granted, or to the county legislative authority if the license is granted outside the boundaries of 11 incorporated cities or towns. 12

(9) Before the board issues any license to any applicant, it shall give (a) due consideration to the location of the business to be conducted under such license with respect to the proximity of churches, schools, and public institutions and (b) written notice by certified mail of the application to churches, schools, and public institutions within five hundred feet of the premises to be licensed. The board shall issue no beer retailer license class A, B, D, or E or wine retailer license class C or F or class H license covering any premises not now licensed, if such premises are within five hundred feet of the premises of any tax-supported public elementary or secondary school measured along the most direct route over or across established public walks, streets, or other public passageway from the outer property line of the school grounds to the nearest public entrance of the premises proposed for license, and if, after receipt by the school or public institution of the notice as provided in this subsection, the board receives written notice, within twenty days after posting such notice, from an official representative or representatives of the school within five hundred feet of said proposed licensed premises, indicating to the board that there is an objection to the issuance of such license because of proximity to a school. For the purpose of this section, church shall mean a building erected for and used exclusively for religious worship and schooling or other activity in connection therewith. No liquor license may be issued or reissued by the board to any motor sports facility or licensee operating within the motor sports facility unless the motor sports facility enforces a program reasonably calculated to prevent alcohol or alcoholic beverages not purchased within the facility from entering the facility and such program is

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approved by local law enforcement agencies. It is the intent under 2 this subsection that a retail license shall not be issued by the board where doing so would, in the judgment of the board, adversely affect a 3 private school meeting the requirements for private schools under Title 4 28A RCW, which school is within five hundred feet of the proposed 5 licensee. The board shall fully consider and give substantial weight 6 7 to objections filed by private schools. If a license is issued despite 8 the proximity of a private school, the board shall state in a letter 9 addressed to the private school the board's reasons for issuing the 10 license.

- 11 (10) The restrictions set forth in the preceding subsection shall 12 not prohibit the board from authorizing the transfer of existing 13 licenses now located within the restricted area to other persons or 14 locations within the restricted area: PROVIDED, Such transfer shall in 15 no case result in establishing the licensed premises closer to a church 16 or school than it was before the transfer.
- (11) Nothing in this section prohibits the board, in its discretion, from issuing a temporary retail or wholesaler license to a transferee of a retail or wholesaler license to continue the operation of the retail or wholesaler premises during the period a transfer application for the license from person to person at the same premises is pending and when the following conditions exist:
- 23 (a) The licensed premises has been operated under a retail or 24 wholesaler license within ninety days of the date of filing the 25 application for a temporary license;
- 26 (b) The retail or wholesaler license for the premises has been 27 surrendered pursuant to issuance of a temporary operating license;
- (c) The applicant for the temporary license has filed with the board an application for transfer of the retail or wholesaler license at such premises to himself or herself; and
- 31 (d) The application for a temporary license is accompanied by a 32 temporary license fee established by the board by rule.

A temporary license issued by the board under this section shall be for a period not to exceed sixty days. A temporary license may be extended at the discretion of the board for an additional sixty-day period upon payment of an additional fee and upon compliance with all conditions required in this section.

Refusal by the board to issue or extend a temporary license shall not entitle the applicant to request a hearing. A temporary license

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- may be canceled or suspended summarily at any time if the board
- 2 determines that good cause for cancellation or suspension exists. RCW
- 3 66.08.130 and chapter 34.05 RCW shall apply to temporary licenses.
- 4 Application for a temporary license shall be on such form as the
- 5 board shall prescribe. If an application for a temporary license is
- 6 withdrawn before issuance or is refused by the board, the fee which
- 7 accompanied such application shall be refunded in full.
- 8 Sec. 2. RCW 66.24.025 and 1981 1st ex.s. c 5 s 11 are each amended 9 to read as follows:
- 10 (1) The holder of one or more licenses may assign and transfer the
- 11 same to any qualified person under such rules and regulations as the
- 12 board may prescribe: PROVIDED, HOWEVER, That no such assignment and
- 13 transfer shall be made which will result in both a change of licensee
- 14 and change of location; the fee for such assignment and transfer shall
- 15 be seventy-five dollars: PROVIDED, FURTHER, That no fee will be
- 16 charged for transfer to the surviving spouse only of a deceased
- 17 licensee if the parties were maintaining a marital community and the
- 18 license was issued in the names of one or both of the parties.
- 19 (2) The proposed sale of more than ten percent of the outstanding
- 20 and/or issued stock of a licensed corporation or any proposed change in
- 21 the officers of a licensed corporation must be reported to the board,
- 22 and board approval must be obtained before such changes are made. All
- 23 officers and majority shareholders having a substantial interest must
- 24 <u>be at least twenty-one years of age.</u> A fee of seventy-five dollars
- 25 will be charged for the processing of such change of stock ownership
- 26 and/or corporate officers.
- 27 **Sec. 3.** RCW 66.24.380 and 1988 c 200 s 2 are each amended to read
- 28 as follows:
- 29 There shall be a beer retailer's license to be designated as class
- 30 G; a special license to a society or organization to sell beer at
- 31 picnics or other special occasions at a specified date and place; fee
- 32 thirty-five dollars per day. Sale, service, and consumption of beer is
- 33 to be confined to specified premises or designated areas only.
- 34 However, a holder of a class G license may sell, at no more than two
- 35 <u>licensed events each year to members and guests in attendance at the</u>
- 36 special occasion, limited quantities of beer in unopened bottles and
- 37 original packages not exceeding four gallons of malt liquor in kegs or

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- 1 other containers, not to be consumed on the premises where sold, by
- 2 paying an additional fee of ten dollars a day. The board shall adopt
- 3 rules under chapter 34.05 RCW for the purpose of carrying out the
- 4 provisions of this section.

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- 5 **Sec. 4.** RCW 66.24.490 and 1987 c 386 s 6 are each amended to read 6 as follows:
- 7 (1) There shall be a retailer's license to be designated as a class I license; this shall be a special occasion license ((to)) which may be 8 issued to the holder of a class A, C, D, or H license to extend the 9 privilege of selling and serving ((spirituous)) liquor ((by the 10 individual glass, beer, and wine)) as authorized under the license, at 11 12 retail, for consumption on the premises, to members and guests of a society or organization on special occasions at a specified date and 13 14 place when such special occasions of such groups are held on premises 15 other than the ((class H)) licensed premises and for consumption on the premises of such outside location. The holder of such special occasion 16 license shall be allowed to remove from the liquor stocks at the 17 18 licensed class A, C, D, or H premises, liquor for sale and service at 19 such special occasion locations. ((Such)) A single event special class I license ((shall)) may be issued for a specified date and place and 20 21 upon payment of a fee of twenty-five dollars per day ((or,)). No more than two single event class I licenses may be issued during any twelve-22 23 month period to a licensee. Upon proper application to the liquor 24 control board, an annual class I license may be issued to the holder of 25 a class A, C, D, or H license upon payment of a fee of three hundred fifty dollars. 26
 - (2) The holder of ((an annual)) a class I license shall obtain ((prior)) approval from the board ((approval)) or its designee for each event at which the class I license will be utilized. When applying for such board approval, the class I licensee shall provide to the board all necessary or requested information concerning the society or organization which will be holding the function at which the class I license will be utilized.
 - (3) Upon receipt of a request for utilization of a class I license at a particular time and place, the board shall ((give notification of the pending request to the chief executive officer of the incorporated city or town, if the function is to be held within an incorporated city or town, or to the county legislative authority if the function is to

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- be held outside the boundaries of incorporated cities or towns)) ensure
 that the class I licensee has notified local authorities.
- 3 (4) If attendance at the function, for which class I license 4 utilization approval is requested, will be open to the general public,
- 5 board approval may only be given where the society or organization
- 6 sponsoring the function is within the definition of "society or
- 7 organization" in RCW 66.24.375. If attendance at the function will be
- 8 limited to members and invited guests of the sponsoring society or
- 9 organization, board approval may be given even though the sponsoring
- 10 society or organization is not within the definition of "society or
- 11 organization" in RCW 66.24.375.
- 12 (5) Where the applicant for ((either)) a ((daily or annual)) class
- 13 I license is a ((class H)) club licensee, the board shall not issue the
- 14 class I license, or approve the use of a previously issued class I
- 15 license, unless the following requirements are met:
- 16 (a) The gross food sales of the ((class H)) club exceed its gross
- 17 liquor sales; and
- 18 (b) The event for which the class I license will be used is hosted
- 19 by a member of the ((class H)) licensed club.
- 20 **Sec. 5.** RCW 66.28.010 and 1992 c 78 s 1 are each amended to read 21 as follows:
- 22 (1) No manufacturer, importer, or wholesaler, or person financially
- 23 interested, directly or indirectly, in such business, whether resident
- 24 or nonresident, shall have any financial interest, direct or indirect,
- 25 in any licensed retail business, nor shall any manufacturer, importer,
- 26 or wholesaler own any of the property upon which such licensed persons
- 27 conduct their business, nor shall any such licensed person, under any
- 28 arrangement whatsoever, conduct his business upon property in which any
- 29 manufacturer, importer, or wholesaler has any interest. Except as
- 30 provided in subsection (3) of this section, no manufacturer, importer,
- 31 or wholesaler shall advance moneys or moneys' worth to a licensed
- 32 person under an arrangement, nor shall such licensed person receive,
- 33 under an arrangement, an advance of moneys or moneys' worth: PROVIDED,
- 34 That "person" as used in this section only shall not include those
- 35 state or federally chartered banks, state or federally chartered
- 36 savings and loan associations, state or federally chartered mutual
- 37 savings banks, or institutional investors which are not controlled
- 38 directly or indirectly by a manufacturer, importer, or wholesaler as

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long as the bank, savings and loan association, or institutional 1 investor does not influence or attempt to influence the purchasing 2 3 practices of the retailer with respect to alcoholic beverages. 4 manufacturer, importer, or wholesaler shall be eligible to receive or hold a retail license under this title, nor shall such manufacturer, 5 importer, or wholesaler sell at retail any liquor as herein defined: 6 7 PROVIDED, That nothing in this section shall prohibit a licensed brewer 8 from being licensed as a retailer pursuant to chapter 66.24 RCW for the 9 purpose of selling beer or wine at retail on the brewery premises and 10 nothing in this section shall prohibit a domestic winery from being licensed as a retailer pursuant to chapter 66.24 RCW for the purpose of 11 selling beer or wine at retail on the winery premises. 12 Such beer and wine so sold at retail shall be subject to the taxes imposed by RCW 13 14 66.24.290 and 66.24.210 and to reporting and bonding requirements as 15 prescribed by regulations adopted by the board pursuant to chapter 16 34.05 RCW, and beer and wine that is not produced by the brewery or 17 winery shall be purchased from a licensed beer or wine wholesaler: PROVIDED FURTHER, That nothing in this section shall prohibit a 18 19 licensed brewer or domestic winery, or a lessee of a licensed brewer or 20 domestic winery, from being licensed as a class H restaurant pursuant to chapter 66.24 RCW for the purpose of selling liquor at a class H 21 premises on the property on which the primary manufacturing facility of 22 23 the licensed brewer or domestic winery is located or on contiguous 24 property owned by the licensed brewer or domestic winery as prescribed 25 by regulations adopted by the board pursuant to chapter 34.05 RCW.

26 (2) Financial interest, direct or indirect, as used in this section, shall include any interest, whether by stock ownership, 27 mortgage, lien, or through interlocking directors, or otherwise. 28 29 Pursuant to rules promulgated by the board in accordance with chapter 30 34.05 RCW manufacturers, wholesalers and importers may perform, and retailers may accept the service of building, rotating and restocking 31 case displays and stock room inventories; rotating and rearranging can 32 and bottle displays of their own products; provide point of sale 33 34 material and brand signs; price case goods of their own brands; and 35 perform such similar normal business services as the board may by regulation prescribe. 36

37 (3)(a) This section does not prohibit a manufacturer, importer, or 38 wholesaler from providing services to a class G or J retail licensee 39 for: (i) Installation of draft beer dispensing equipment or

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- advertising, (ii) advertising, pouring or dispensing of beer or wine at 1 2 a beer or wine tasting exhibition or judging event, or (iii) a class G or J retail licensee from receiving any such services as may be 3 provided by a manufacturer, importer, or wholesaler: PROVIDED, That 4 5 nothing in this section shall prohibit a retail licensee, or any person financially interested, directly or indirectly, in such a retail 6 licensee from having a financial interest, direct or indirect, in a 7 business which provides, for a compensation commensurate in value to 8 9 the services provided, bottling, canning or other services to a 10 manufacturer, so long as the retail licensee or person interested therein has no direct financial interest in or control of said 11 manufacturer. 12
- (b) A person holding contractual rights to payment from selling a liquor wholesaler's business and transferring the license shall not be deemed to have a financial interest under this section if the person (i) lacks any ownership in or control of the wholesaler, (ii) is not employed by the wholesaler, and (iii) does not influence or attempt to influence liquor purchases by retail liquor licensees from the wholesaler.
- (c) The board shall adopt such rules as are deemed necessary to carry out the purposes and provisions of subsection (3)(a) of this section in accordance with the administrative procedure act, chapter 34.05 RCW.
- 24 (4) A license issued under RCW 66.24.395 does not constitute a 25 retail license for the purposes of this section.
- 26 **Sec. 6.** RCW 66.28.040 and 1987 c 452 s 15 are each amended to read 27 as follows:

Except as permitted by the board under RCW 66.20.010, no brewer, 28 29 wholesaler, distiller, winery, importer, rectifier, or other 30 manufacturer of liquor shall, within the state, by himself, his clerk, 31 servant, or agent, give to any person any liquor; but nothing in this 32 section nor in RCW 66.28.010 shall prevent a brewer, wholesaler, winery, <u>distiller</u>, or importer from furnishing samples of ((beer or 33 34 wine)) liquor to authorized licensees for the purpose of negotiating a sale, in accordance with regulations adopted by the liquor control 35 36 board, provided that the samples are subject to taxes imposed by RCW 66.24.290 and 66.24.210; nothing in this section shall prevent the 37 furnishing of samples of liquor to the board for the purpose of 38

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negotiating the sale of liquor to the state liquor control board; 2 nothing in this section shall prevent a brewery, winery, distiller, or wholesaler from furnishing ((beer or wine)) liquor for instructional 3 4 purposes under RCW 66.28.150; nothing in this section shall prevent a 5 winery or wholesaler from furnishing wine without charge to a not-forprofit group organized and operated solely for the purpose of enology 6 7 or the study of viticulture which has been in existence for at least 8 six months and any wine so furnished shall be used solely for such 9 educational purposes, provided that the wine furnished shall be subject 10 to the taxes imposed by RCW 66.24.210; nothing in this section shall prevent a brewer from serving beer without charge, on the brewery 11 premises; nothing in this section shall prevent donations of wine for 12 13 the purposes of RCW 66.12.180; and nothing in this section shall prevent a domestic winery from serving wine without charge, on the 14 15 winery premises. Nothing in this section prevents a distillery from serving liquor, purchased from the board, for use as samples without 16 charge at charitable events such as concerts or fund-raisers subject to 17 rules adopted by the board. 18

- 19 **Sec. 7.** RCW 66.28.070 and 1987 c 205 s 1 are each amended to read 20 as follows:
- 21 (1) Except as provided in subsection (2) of this section, it shall 22 be unlawful for any retail beer licensee to purchase beer, except from 23 a duly licensed beer wholesaler, and it shall be unlawful for any 24 brewer or beer wholesaler to purchase beer, except from a duly licensed 25 beer wholesaler or beer importer.
- (2) A beer retailer licensee may purchase beer from a government agency which has lawfully seized beer from a licensed beer retailer, or from a board-authorized retailer, or from a licensed retailer which has discontinued business if the wholesaler has refused to accept beer from that retailer for return and refund. Beer purchased under this subsection shall meet the quality standards set by its manufacturer.
- 32 (3) Special occasion licensees holding either a class G or J
 33 license may purchase beer or wine from a beer or wine retailer duly
 34 licensed to sell beer or wine for off-premises consumption or from a
 35 duly licensed beer or wine wholesaler.
- 36 **Sec. 8.** RCW 66.28.150 and 1982 1st ex.s. c 26 s 1 are each amended 37 to read as follows:

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A brewery, winery, distillery, or wholesaler may, without charge, 1 2 instruct licensees and their employees, or conduct courses of 3 instruction for licensees and their employees, on the subject of ((beer 4 or wine,)) liquor, including but not limited to, the history, nature, values, and characteristics of beer, spirituous liquor, or wine, the 5 use of wine lists, and the methods of presenting, serving, storing, and 6 7 handling ((beer or wine)) liquor. The ((brewery, winery,)) liquor 8 <u>manufacturer</u> or wholesaler may furnish ((beer or wine)) <u>liquor</u> and such 9 other equipment, materials, and utensils as may be required for use in 10 connection with the instruction or courses of instruction. instruction or courses of instruction may be given at the premises of 11 the ((brewery, winery,)) liquor manufacturer or wholesaler, at the 12 premises of a retail licensee, or elsewhere. 13

14 **Sec. 9.** RCW 66.28.155 and 1984 c 196 s 1 are each amended to read 15 as follows:

16 A brewery, winery, <u>distillery</u>, wholesaler, or its licensed agent may conduct educational activities or provide product information to 17 18 the consumer on the licensed premises of a retailer. Information on 19 the subject of ((wine or beer,)) liquor including, but not limited to, the history, nature, quality, and characteristics of a ((wine or beer)) 20 specific liquor product, methods of harvest, production, storage, 21 handling, and distribution of a ((wine or beer)) specific liquor 22 product, and the general development of the ((wine and beer)) liquor 23 24 industry may be provided by a ((brewery, winery)) liquor manufacturer, 25 wholesaler, or its licensed agent to the public on the licensed premises of a retailer. The retailer requesting such activity shall 26 attempt to schedule a series of brewery, winery, and wholesaler 27 appearances in an effort to equitably represent the industries. 28 29 Nothing in this section permits a ((brewery, winery)) manufacturer, wholesaler, or its licensed agent to receive compensation 30 or financial benefit from the educational activities or product 31 information presented on the licensed premises of a retailer. 32 33 promotional value of such educational activities or product information 34 shall not be considered advancement of moneys or of moneys' worth within the meaning of RCW 66.28.010. 35

36 **Sec. 10.** RCW 66.44.310 and 1981 1st ex.s. c 5 s 24 are each 37 amended to read as follows:

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- 1 (1) Except as otherwise provided by RCW 66.44.316 and 66.44.350, it shall be a misdemeanor,
- 3 (a) To serve or allow to remain on the premises of any tavern,
 4 ((or)) cocktail lounge portion of any class H licensed premises, or
 5 taproom portion of any A, C, or D licensed premises, any person under
 6 the age of twenty-one years;
- 7 (b) For any person under the age of twenty-one years to enter or 8 remain on the premises of any tavern, or cocktail lounge portion of any 9 public class H licensed premises;
- 10 (c) For any person under the age of twenty-one years to represent 11 his age as being twenty-one or more years for the purpose of securing 12 admission to, or remaining on the premises of, any tavern or cocktail 13 lounge portion of any class H licensed premises.
- 14 (2) The Washington state liquor control board shall have the power 15 and it shall be its duty to classify the various licensees, as taverns 16 or otherwise, within the meaning of this title, except bona fide 17 restaurants, dining rooms and cafes serving commercial food to the 18 public shall not be classified as taverns during the hours such food 19 service is made available to the public.

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