

SENATE BILL No. 115

DIGEST OF INTRODUCED BILL

Citations Affected: IC 7.1-5-12-5.

Synopsis: Prohibition on smoking. Removes a requirement for certain businesses that the vote of the members to allow smoking on the premises of the business occur within the previous two years.

Effective: July 1, 2015.

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January 6, 2015, read first time and referred to Committee on Public Policy.



First Regular Session 119th General Assembly (2015)

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Conflict reconciliation: Text in a statute in *this style type* or ~~this style type~~ reconciles conflicts between statutes enacted by the 2014 Regular Session and 2014 Second Regular Technical Session of the General Assembly.

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A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning alcohol and tobacco.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

- 1 SECTION 1. IC 7.1-5-12-5, AS AMENDED BY P.L.70-2014,
2 SECTION 5, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
3 JULY 1, 2015]: Sec. 5. (a) Except as provided in subsection (c) and
4 subject to section 13 of this chapter, smoking may be allowed in the
5 following:
6 (1) A horse racing facility operated under a permit under
7 IC 4-31-5 and any other permanent structure on land owned or
8 leased by the owner of the facility that is adjacent to the facility.
9 (2) A riverboat (as defined in IC 4-33-2-17) and any other
10 permanent structure that is:
11 (A) owned or leased by the owner of the riverboat; and
12 (B) located on land that is adjacent to:
13 (i) the dock to which the riverboat is moored; or
14 (ii) the land on which the riverboat is situated in the case of
15 a riverboat described in IC 4-33-2-17(2).
16 (3) A facility that operates under a gambling game license under



- 1 IC 4-35-5 and any other permanent structure on land owned or
 2 leased by the owner of the facility that is adjacent to the facility.
 3 (4) A satellite facility licensed under IC 4-31-5.5.
 4 (5) An establishment owned or leased by a business that meets the
 5 following requirements:
 6 (A) The business was in business and permitted smoking on
 7 December 31, 2012.
 8 (B) The business prohibits entry by an individual who is less
 9 than twenty-one (21) years of age.
 10 (C) The owner or operator of the business holds a beer, liquor,
 11 or wine retailer's permit.
 12 (D) The business limits smoking in the establishment to either:
 13 (i) cigar smoking; or
 14 (ii) smoking with a waterpipe or hookah device.
 15 (E) During the preceding calendar year, at least ten percent
 16 (10%) of the business's annual gross income was from:
 17 (i) the sale of cigars and the rental of onsite humidors; or
 18 (ii) the sale of loose tobacco for use in a waterpipe or
 19 hookah device.
 20 (F) The person in charge of the business posts in the
 21 establishment conspicuous signs that display the message that
 22 cigarette smoking is prohibited.
 23 (6) A premises owned or leased by and regularly used for the
 24 activities of a business that meets all of the following:
 25 (A) The business is exempt from federal income taxation
 26 under 26 U.S.C. 501(c).
 27 (B) The business:
 28 (i) meets the requirements to be considered a club under
 29 IC 7.1-3-20-1; or
 30 (ii) is a fraternal club (as defined in IC 7.1-3-20-7).
 31 (C) The business provides food or alcoholic beverages only to
 32 its bona fide members and their guests.
 33 (D) The **members of the** business:
 34 **(i) voted**, during a meeting of the ~~business's~~ members, ~~voted~~
 35 ~~within the previous two (2) years~~ to allow smoking on the
 36 premises; **and**
 37 **(ii) have not voted, during a meeting of the members and**
 38 **after a meeting described in item (i), to prohibit smoking**
 39 **on the premises.**
 40 (E) The business:
 41 (i) provides a separate, enclosed, designated smoking room
 42 or area that is adequately ventilated to prevent migration of



- 1 smoke to nonsmoking areas of the premises;
 2 (ii) allows smoking only in the room or area described in
 3 item (i); and
 4 (iii) does not allow an individual who is less than eighteen
 5 (18) years of age to enter into the room or area described in
 6 item (i).
- 7 (7) A retail tobacco store used primarily for the sale of tobacco
 8 products and tobacco accessories that meets the following
 9 requirements:
- 10 (A) The owner or operator of the store held a valid tobacco
 11 sales certificate issued under IC 7.1-3-18.5 on June 30, 2012.
 12 (B) The store prohibits entry by an individual who is less than
 13 eighteen (18) years of age.
 14 (C) The sale of products other than tobacco products and
 15 tobacco accessories is merely incidental.
 16 (D) The sale of tobacco products accounts for at least
 17 eighty-five percent (85%) of the store's annual gross sales.
 18 (E) Food or beverages are not sold in a manner that requires
 19 consumption on the premises, and there is not an area set aside
 20 for customers to consume food or beverages on the premises.
- 21 (8) A bar or tavern:
- 22 (A) for which a permittee holds:
- 23 (i) a beer retailer's permit under IC 7.1-3-4;
 24 (ii) a liquor retailer's permit under IC 7.1-3-9; or
 25 (iii) a wine retailer's permit under IC 7.1-3-14;
- 26 (B) that does not employ an individual who is less than
 27 eighteen (18) years of age;
 28 (C) that does not allow an individual who:
 29 (i) is less than twenty-one (21) years of age; and
 30 (ii) is not an employee of the bar or tavern;
 31 to enter any area of the bar or tavern; and
 32 (D) that is not located in a business that would otherwise be
 33 subject to this chapter.
- 34 (9) A cigar manufacturing facility that does not offer retail sales.
 35 (10) A premises of a cigar specialty store to which all of the
 36 following apply:
- 37 (A) The owner or operator of the store held a valid tobacco
 38 sales certificate issued under IC 7.1-3-18.5 on June 30, 2012.
 39 (B) The sale of tobacco products and tobacco accessories
 40 account for at least fifty percent (50%) of the store's annual
 41 gross sales.
 42 (C) The store has a separate, enclosed, designated smoking



- 1 room that is adequately ventilated to prevent migration of
2 smoke to nonsmoking areas.
- 3 (D) Smoking is allowed only in the room described in clause
4 (C).
- 5 (E) Individuals who are less than eighteen (18) years of age are
6 prohibited from entering into the room described in clause (C).
- 7 (F) Cigarette smoking is not allowed on the premises of the
8 store.
- 9 (G) The owner or operator of the store posts a conspicuous
10 sign on the premises of the store that displays the message that
11 cigarette smoking is prohibited.
- 12 (H) Food or beverages are not sold in a manner that requires
13 consumption on the premises, and there is not an area set aside
14 for customers to consume food or beverages on the premises.
- 15 (11) The premises of a business that is located in the business
16 owner's private residence (as defined in IC 3-5-2-42.5) if the only
17 employees of the business who work in the residence are the
18 owner and other individuals who reside in the residence.
- 19 (b) The owner, operator, manager, or official in charge of an
20 establishment or premises in which smoking is allowed under this
21 section shall post conspicuous signs in the establishment that read
22 "WARNING: Smoking Is Allowed In This Establishment" or other
23 similar language.
- 24 (c) This section does not allow smoking in the following enclosed
25 areas of an establishment or premises described in subsection (a)(1)
26 through (a)(10):
- 27 (1) Any hallway, elevator, or other common area where an
28 individual who is less than eighteen (18) years of age is permitted.
- 29 (2) Any room that is intended for use by an individual who is less
30 than eighteen (18) years of age.
- 31 (d) The owner, operator, or manager of an establishment or premises
32 that is listed under subsection (a) and that allows smoking shall provide
33 a verified statement to the commission that states that the establishment
34 or premises qualifies for the exemption. The commission may require
35 the owner, operator, or manager of an establishment or premises to
36 provide documentation or additional information concerning the
37 exemption of the establishment or premises.

