HOUSE No. 3813

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, May 27, 2021.

The committee on Consumer Protection and Professional Licensure to whom was referred the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 3715) of Danillo A. Sena, Michael P. Kushmerek and John J. Cronin (by vote of the town) relative to authorizing the town of Lunenburg to grant an additional license for the sale of all alcoholic beverages not to be drunk on the premises to Jaxx Country Variety, reports recommending that the accompanying bill (House, No. 3813) ought to pass.

For the committee,

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The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the One Hundred and Ninety-Second General Court (2021-2022)

An Act authorizing the town of Lunenburg to grant an additional license for the sale of all alcoholic beverages not to be drunk on the premises to Jaxx Country Variety.

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Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

- SECTION 1. (a) Notwithstanding section 17 of chapter 138 of the General Laws, the local licensing authority of the town of Lunenburg may grant an additional license for the sale of all alcoholic beverages not to be drunk on the premises pursuant to section 15 of said chapter 138 to Genghis, Inc. d/b/a Jaxx Country Variety located at 1353 Massachusetts Avenue in the town of Lunenburg, Massachusetts. The license shall be subject to all said chapter 138 except said section 17.
 - (b) The licensing authority shall not approve the transfer of the license granted under this act to any other location but it may grant the license to a new applicant at the same location if the applicant files with the licensing authority a letter from the department of revenue and a letter from the department of unemployment assistance indicating that the license is in good standing with those departments and that all applicable taxes, fees and contributions have been paid.
 - (c) If a licensee terminates or fails to renew a license granted under this act or any such license is cancelled, revoked or no longer in use, it shall be returned physically, with all of the legal rights, privileges and restrictions pertaining thereto, to the licensing authority, and the

- licensing authority may then grant the license to a new applicant at the same location under the same conditions as specified in this act.
- (d) All licenses granted under this act shall be issued within 1 year after the
 effective date of this act; provided, however, that a license originally granted within that time
 period may be granted to a new applicant under subsections (b) or (c) thereafter.

21 SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon its passage.

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