

HOUSE No. 4370

Substituted by the House, on motion of Mr. Speliotis of Danvers, for a bill with the same title (House, No. 4289). April 4, 2018.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

**In the One Hundred and Ninetieth General Court
(2017-2018)**

An Act authorizing the town of Lynnfield to grant 5 additional licenses for the sale of all alcoholic beverages to be drunk on the premises.

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

1 SECTION 1. (a) Notwithstanding section 17 of chapter 138 of the General Laws, the
2 licensing authority of the town of Lynnfield may grant 5 additional licenses for the sale of all
3 alcoholic beverages to be drunk on the premises pursuant to section 12 of said chapter 138 to
4 establishments located within the Planned Village Development Zoning District along Walnut
5 street and the General Business Zoning District along Route 1 (Broadway), as those zoning
6 districts are defined by the town’s zoning map, as it existed as of October, 2009. A license
7 granted pursuant to this act shall be clearly marked on its face “Planned Village Development
8 Zoning District along Walnut Street” or “General Business Zoning District along Route 1
9 (Broadway)” and shall be subject to all of said chapter 138 except said section 17.

10 (b) The licensing authority shall not approve the transfer of a license granted pursuant to
11 this act to a location outside of the Planned Village Development Zoning District along Walnut
12 street or the General Business Zoning District along Route 1 (Broadway), but it may grant a

13 license to a new applicant within the Planned Village Development Zoning District along Walnut
14 Street or the General Business Zoning District along Route 1 (Broadway), if the applicant files
15 with the licensing authority a letter from the department of revenue and a letter from the
16 department of unemployment assistance indicating that the license is in good standing with those
17 departments and that all applicable taxes, fees and contributions have been paid.

18 (c) If a license granted pursuant to this act is cancelled, revoked or no longer in use, the
19 license shall be returned physically, with all of the legal rights, privileges and restrictions
20 pertaining thereto, to the licensing authority and the licensing authority may then grant the
21 license to a new applicant within the Planned Village Development Zoning District along Walnut
22 Street or the General Business Zoning District along Route 1 (Broadway), under the same
23 conditions as specified in this act.

24 (d) A license authorized for issuance pursuant to this act shall be granted within 1 year
25 after the effective date of this act; provided, however, that licenses originally granted within that
26 time period may be granted to a new applicant pursuant to subsection (b) or (c) thereafter.

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