## **SENATE . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . No. 2071**

Senate, Wednesday, November 25, 2015 -- Text of the further Senate amendment (Senator Joyce) to the House Bill authorizing the town of Stoughton to grant 6 licenses for the sale of all alcoholic beverages to be drunk on the premises (House, No. 3695).

## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the One Hundred and Eighty-Ninth General Court (-)

- 1 SECTION 1. (a) Notwithstanding section 17 of chapter 138 of the General Laws, the 2 licensing authority of the town of Stoughton may grant 6 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 town's central business district, as that district is defined by the
- 5 town's zoning map, as it existed as of May 1, 2014. A license granted pursuant to this act shall
- 6 be clearly marked on its face "Central Business District Only." A license granted pursuant to this
- 7 act shall be subject to the conditions set by the licensing authority and shall be subject to all of
- 8 said chapter 138 except said section 17.
- 9 (b) The licensing authority shall not approve the transfer of a license granted pursuant to
- 10 this act to any other person, partnership, corporation, limited liability company, organization, or
- 11 other entity or to any other location.
- 12 (c) If a license granted pursuant to this act is cancelled, revoked or no longer in use at the
- 13 location of original issuance, the license shall be returned physically, with all of the legal rights,
- 14 privileges and restrictions pertaining thereto, to the licensing authority and the licensing

- 15 authority may then grant the license to a new applicant to be used at a location in the town's
- 16 central business district under the same conditions.
- 17 SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon its passage.