
THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL

No. 248 Session of
2013

INTRODUCED BY PETRI, BARRAR, FABRIZIO, FARRY, M. K. KELLER, W.
KELLER, KORTZ, MULLERY, O'NEILL AND SABATINA,
JANUARY 23, 2013

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON LIQUOR CONTROL, JANUARY 23, 2013

AN ACT

1 Amending the act of April 12, 1951 (P.L.90, No.21), entitled, as
2 reenacted, "An act relating to alcoholic liquors, alcohol and
3 malt and brewed beverages; amending, revising, consolidating
4 and changing the laws relating thereto; regulating and
5 restricting the manufacture, purchase, sale, possession,
6 consumption, importation, transportation, furnishing, holding
7 in bond, holding in storage, traffic in and use of alcoholic
8 liquors, alcohol and malt and brewed beverages and the
9 persons engaged or employed therein; defining the powers and
10 duties of the Pennsylvania Liquor Control Board; providing
11 for the establishment and operation of State liquor stores,
12 for the payment of certain license fees to the respective
13 municipalities and townships, for the abatement of certain
14 nuisances and, in certain cases, for search and seizure
15 without warrant; prescribing penalties and forfeitures;
16 providing for local option, and repealing existing laws,"
17 further providing for liquor importers' licenses and fees,
18 privileges and restrictions.

19 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
20 hereby enacts as follows:

21 Section 1. Section 410(e) of the act of April 12, 1951
22 (P.L.90, No.21), known as the Liquor Code, reenacted and amended
23 June 29, 1987 (P.L.32, No.14), is amended to read:

24 Section 410. Liquor Importers' Licenses; Fees; Privileges;
25 Restrictions.--* * *

1 (e) (1) Importers' licenses shall permit the holders
2 thereof to bring or import liquor from other states, foreign
3 countries, or insular possessions of the United States, and
4 purchase liquor from manufacturers located within this
5 Commonwealth, to be sold outside of this Commonwealth or to
6 Pennsylvania Liquor Stores within this Commonwealth, or when in
7 original containers of ten gallons or greater capacity, to
8 licensed manufacturers within this Commonwealth.

9 (2) Importing distributors that import liquor from a foreign
10 country through a port located in this Commonwealth shall
11 receive from Pennsylvania Liquor Stores a bonus of two per
12 centum of the wholesale price of the imported liquor sold to
13 Pennsylvania Liquor Stores.

14 (3) All importations of liquor into Pennsylvania by the
15 licensed importer shall be consigned to the board or the
16 principal place of business or authorized place of storage
17 maintained by the licensee.

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19 Section 2. This act shall take effect in 60 days.