

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

SENATE BILL

No. 213 Session of 2021

INTRODUCED BY HUGHES, TARTAGLIONE, BREWSTER, SCHWANK, COSTA AND  
COMITTA, FEBRUARY 11, 2021

REFERRED TO JUDICIARY, FEBRUARY 11, 2021

AN ACT

1 Amending Title 18 (Crimes and Offenses) of the Pennsylvania  
2 Consolidated Statutes, in minors, further providing for  
3 misrepresentation of age to secure liquor or malt or brewed  
4 beverages, for purchase, consumption, possession or  
5 transportation of liquor or malt or brewed beverages and for  
6 carrying a false identification card.

7 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania  
8 hereby enacts as follows:

9 Section 1. Sections 6307(b), 6308(b) and 6310.3(b) of Title  
10 18 of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes are amended and the  
11 sections are amended by adding subsections to read:

12 § 6307. Misrepresentation of age to secure liquor or malt or  
13 brewed beverages.

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15 (b) Minimum penalty.--[A] In addition to the penalty imposed  
16 under subsection (b.1), a person who is convicted of violating  
17 subsection (a) may be sentenced to pay a fine of not more than  
18 \$500 for the first violation and not more than \$1,000 for  
19 subsequent violations. No court shall have the authority to  
20 suspend any sentence as defined in this section.

1     (b.1) Community service.--A person convicted of violating  
2 subsection (a) shall be sentenced to not more than 40 hours of  
3 community service for a first violation and not more than 100  
4 hours of community service for a second or subsequent violation.

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6     § 6308. Purchase, consumption, possession or transportation of  
7             liquor or malt or brewed beverages.

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9     (b) Penalty.--[A] In addition to the penalty imposed under  
10 subsection (b.1), a person convicted of violating subsection (a)  
11 may be sentenced to pay a fine of not more than \$500 for the  
12 first violation and not more than \$1,000 for the second and each  
13 subsequent violation.

14     (b.1) Community service.--A person convicted of violating  
15 subsection (a) shall be sentenced to not more than 40 hours of  
16 community service for a first violation and not more than 100  
17 hours of community service for a second or subsequent violation.

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19     § 6310.3. Carrying a false identification card.

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21     (b) Minimum penalty.--[A] In addition to the penalty imposed  
22 under subsection (b.1), a person who is convicted of violating  
23 subsection (a) shall be sentenced to pay a fine of not more than  
24 \$500 for the first violation and not more than \$1,000 for the  
25 second and subsequent violations. No court shall have the  
26 authority to suspend any sentence as defined in this section.

27     (b.1) Community service.--A person convicted of violating  
28 subsection (a) shall be sentenced to not more than 40 hours of  
29 community service for a first violation and not more than 100  
30 hours of community service for a second or subsequent violation.

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