



# State of Tennessee

## PUBLIC CHAPTER NO. 435

### HOUSE BILL NO. 794

By Representatives Ramsey, Hazlewood, Jernigan, White, Cooper, Hardaway, Helton

Substituted for: Senate Bill No. 1082

By Senators Dickerson, Gilmore

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 57, Chapter 3, Part 7 and Title 57, Chapter 4, relative to the sale of alcoholic beverages by the drink.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 57-3-704(a)(1), is amended by adding the following new language after the first sentence:

The training program must consist of not less than three and one-half (3 ½) hours of alcohol awareness training.

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 57-4-102(28)(A), is amended by deleting the semicolon at the end of the subdivision and adding the following language to the end of the subdivision:

. Within the premises as defined in this subdivision (28)(A), and subject to the municipality's right of ownership and control and any conditions, rules, or regulations imposed by the city or its designee or by law, alcoholic beverages may also be served to customers seated at tables and chairs contiguous to the outside front wall of a licensee's building;

renumbering the last section accordingly:

SECTION 3. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 57-4-106, is amended by deleting the language "sell" wherever it appears and substituting instead the language "serve or sell".

SECTION 4. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 57-4-101(p), is amended by deleting the subsection and substituting instead the following:

(p) An entity licensed or applying for a license under subsection (a), or a manufacturer exercising the rights granted to it under § 57-3-202(i)(1), may include in the entity's designation of its premises any contiguous area owned or controlled by the entity for purposes of on-premises consumption of alcoholic beverages and beer. If the contiguous area used for on-premises consumption is unenclosed, the entity shall make reasonable efforts to ensure that a customer cannot leave the premises with an alcoholic beverage or beer purchased on the premises by using barriers to prevent the ingress and egress of customers to and from the premises. If more than one (1) entity licensed under subsection (a) or § 57-3-202 operates within the same building or facility, the designations of premises under this subsection (p) may overlap; provided, that each entity serves alcoholic beverages and beer in a glass or cup identifying the entity selling the alcoholic beverages or beer for on-premises consumption.

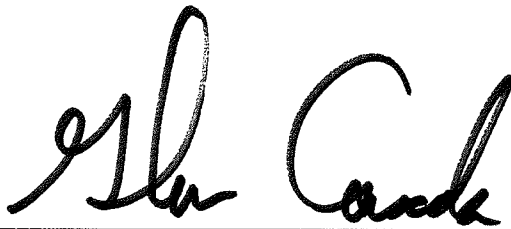
SECTION 5. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 57-4-102(28)(C)(i), is amended by deleting the subdivision and substituting instead the following:

(i) Referring to one (1) or more establishments licensed under this chapter, or a manufacturer exercising the rights granted to it under §57-3-202(i)(1); and

SECTION 6. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.

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PASSED: April 29, 2019



GLEN CASADA, SPEAKER  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES



RANDY MCNALLY  
SPEAKER OF THE SENATE

APPROVED this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of May 2019



BILL LEE, GOVERNOR