

SENATE BILL 87

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AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 57,
Chapter 4 and Title 57, Chapter 5, relative to
hours of sale for beer.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 57, Chapter 5, Part 1, is amended by adding the following as a new section thereto:

57-5-113.

Any establishment that is permitted to sell liquor or wine for on premises consumption pursuant to title 57, chapter 4 shall be allowed to sell beer at any time the establishment is legally authorized to sell liquor or wine provided that the establishment has lawfully obtained a beer permit from the appropriate jurisdiction.

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 57-5-301(b)(5), is amended by designating the existing language as subdivision (A) and adding the following language as subdivision (B):

(B) In any jurisdiction that has elected Tennessee River resort district status pursuant to the provisions of § 67-6-103(a)(3)(F) and is considered a Tennessee River resort district for purposes of title 57, chapter 4, part 1, the hours for the sale of beer as defined in § 57-6-102, in that jurisdiction, shall be the same as the hours authorized for establishments selling liquor or wine for on premises consumption.

SECTION 3. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 57-5-301(b)(5), is further amended by deleting the language "This subdivision (b)(5)" and substituting instead the language "This subdivision (b)(5)(A)".

SECTION 4. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.