

SENATE BILL 289

By Ketron

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 57,  
relative to alcoholic beverages.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 57-3-204(b), is amended by deleting subdivision (2) in its entirety and by substituting instead the following language:

(2) A retailers' license under this section may be issued to individuals who are residents of this state and either have been a bona fide resident of the state for at least one (1) year preceding or who have at any time been residents of this state for at least five (5) consecutive years. In the event of the death of a valid retail license holder under this section, the requirements of this subdivision (b)(2) shall not apply if the decedent's next of kin take over the license.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming law, the public welfare requiring it.