# COMMITTEE ON LEGISLATIVE RESEARCH OVERSIGHT DIVISION

## **FISCAL NOTE**

<u>L.R. No.</u>: 4271-01 <u>Bill No.</u>: HB 1485

Subject: Alcohol; Licenses - Liquor and Beer

Type: Original

Date: December 14, 2015

Bill Summary: This proposal changes the laws regarding when intoxicating liquor may be

sold.

# **FISCAL SUMMARY**

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON GENERAL REVENUE FUND				
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2017	FY 2018	FY 2019	
General Revenue	Minimal	Minimal	Minimal	
Total Estimated Net Effect on General Revenue Minimal Minimal Minimal				

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON OTHER STATE FUNDS				
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2017	FY 2018	FY 2019	
Total Estimated Net Effect on <u>Other</u> State Funds	\$0	\$0	\$0	

Numbers within parentheses: ( ) indicate costs or losses.

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ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON FEDERAL FUNDS				
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2017	FY 2018	FY 2019	
Total Estimated Net Effect on <u>All</u> Federal Funds	\$0	\$0	\$0	

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON FULL TIME EQUIVALENT (FTE)				
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2017	FY 2018	FY 2019	
Total Estimated Net Effect on FTE	0	0	0	

☐ Estimated Net Effect (expenditures or reduced revenues) expected to exceed \$100,000 in any of the three fiscal years after implementation of the act.

FUND AFFECTED FY 2017 FY 2018 FY 20				
Local Government	Minimal	Minimal	Minimal	

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# **FISCAL ANALYSIS**

# **ASSUMPTION**

10:00 p.m. on Sundays

Officials from the **Department of Revenue** assume the proposal would not fiscally impact their agency.

Officials from the **Department of Public Safety - Alcohol and Tobacco Control** assume the proposal would have a minimal positive fiscal impact on the state, cities, and counties from the issuance of additional licenses.

FISCAL IMPACT - State Government	FY 2017 (10 Mo.)	FY 2018	FY 2019
GENERAL REVENUE			
Revenue - Special permits allowing liquor by the drink establishments to remain open until 3:00 a.m. each day and to open on Sundays at 9:00 a.m. or a special license to sell the intoxicating liquor at retail between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and	<u>Minimal</u>	<u>Minimal</u>	<u>Minimal</u>

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT TO THE			
GENERAL REVENUE FUND	<b>Minimal</b>	<b>Minimal</b>	<u>Minimal</u>

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FISCAL IMPACT - Local Government	FY 2017	FY 2018	FY 2019
·	(10 Mo.)		

#### LOCAL POLITICAL SUBDIVISIONS

Revenue - Cities and Counties - Special permits allowing liquor by the drink establishments to remain open until 3:00 a.m. each day and to open on Sundays at 9:00 a.m. or a special license to sell the intoxicating liquor at retail between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 10:00 p.m. on Sundays

Minimal Minimal Minimal

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT TO LOCAL POLITICAL SUBDIVISIONS

Minimal Minimal Minimal

## FISCAL IMPACT - Small Business

Certain small businesses that sell liquor may be impacted by this proposal.

## FISCAL DESCRIPTION

This bill allows specified tax-exempt charitable, fraternal, religious, service, or veterans' organizations that are licensed to sell intoxicating liquor by the drink at retail for consumption on the premises in St. Louis City and St. Louis County to apply to the Supervisor of Alcohol and Tobacco within the Department of Public Safety for a special permit to remain open until 3:00 a.m. each day of the week and to open at 9:00 a.m. on Sundays.

Currently, any person licensed to sell intoxicating liquor in the original package not to be consumed upon the premises may sell malt liquor at retail between 9:00 a.m. and midnight on Sunday. The bill changes the time to between 9:00 a.m. and 10:00 p.m. on Sunday.

The bill specifies that the current provisions regarding the fixed time for opening and closing the premises and the allowed hours and fees for Sunday sales of a business that sells intoxicating liquor in the original package to be consumed off the premises where sold must not apply to any retail business. "Retail business" means any drug store, cigar and tobacco store, grocery store, general merchandise store, or confectionary or delicatessen store. A licensed retail business cannot sell intoxicating liquor in the original package to be consumed off the premises where

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## FISCAL DESCRIPTION (continued)

sold between the hours of 10:00 p.m. and 6:00 a.m. on weekdays and between the hours of 10:00 p.m. Saturday and 6:00 a.m. Monday. A retail business possessing the qualifications and meeting specified requirements may apply to the Supervisor of Alcohol and Tobacco Control for a special license to sell the intoxicating liquor at retail between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 10:00 p.m. on Sundays. A licensee must pay to the Director of the Department of Revenue an additional fee of \$200 a year payable at the same time and in the same manner as its other license fees. In addition to any authorized state permit, license, and inspection fees, a city or county may charge and collect a fee not to exceed \$300 from any licensee for the privilege of selling intoxicating liquor at retail between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 10:00 p.m. on Sundays in the city or county.

This legislation is not federally mandated, would not duplicate any other program and would not require additional capital improvements or rental space.

# SOURCES OF INFORMATION

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