



State of Tennessee
PUBLIC CHAPTER NO. 817

SENATE BILL NO. 1130

By Johnson, Crowe, Gresham, Niceley, Bowling

Substituted for: House Bill No. 1062

By Casada, Shepard, Lundberg

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 57-3-207, relative to the grape and wine law.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 57-3-207, is amended by adding the following language as a new subsection:

(q)(1) A winery licensed under this section that has a total annual wine production of fifty thousand (50,000) gallons or less shall be authorized to obtain an additional self-distribution permit from the commission subject to the obligations imposed in this subsection (q).

(2) The commission shall not issue any self-distribution permit to a winery that has a registered distribution contract with a wholesaler licensed pursuant to § 57-3-203. If a winery holding a self-distribution permit enters into a distribution contract with a wholesaler or has total output in a calendar year which exceeds fifty thousand (50,000) gallons, then such winery shall promptly surrender its self-distribution permit to the commission.

(3) A winery seeking a self-distribution permit under this subsection (q) may distribute not more than three thousand (3,000) cases of wine manufactured, produced, or bottled on the winery's premises to any licensee holding a license issued pursuant to title 57, chapter 4, part 1, located within one hundred (100) miles of the winery's premises where such wine has been manufactured, produced, or bottled.

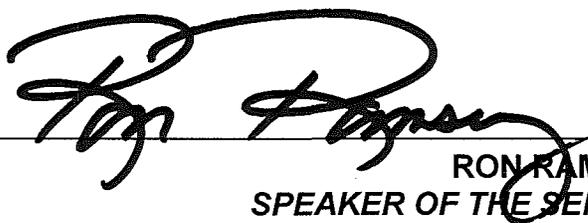
(4) A winery engaged in self-distribution under this section shall be responsible for all taxes and records which are imposed upon a wholesaler under § 57-3-203 which result from any direct sales under this subsection.

(5) The commission shall impose no additional fee or charge for the issuance of a self-distribution permit under this section.

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

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PASSED: April 9, 2014



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RON RAMSEY
SPEAKER OF THE SENATE



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BETH HARWELL, SPEAKER
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

APPROVED this 29th day of April 2014



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BILL HASLAM, GOVERNOR

ADDENDUM TO SENATE BILL 1130

This bill has an effective date of April 28, 2014 in accordance with Article III, Section 18 of the Constitution of the State of Tennessee.