



State of Tennessee

PUBLIC CHAPTER NO. 786

SENATE BILL NO. 2089

By Overbey, Ketron

Substituted for: House Bill No. 1996

By Carr

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 57-2-103 and Section 57-3-202, relative to alcoholic beverages.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 57-2-103(d), is amended by adding the following language as a new, appropriately designated subdivision:

A municipality as described in § 57-4-102(26)(B) may adopt an ordinance imposing a minimum distance, not to exceed one thousand feet (1,000'), between distilleries manufacturing distilled spirits; provided, that the ordinance shall not apply to or affect any licensed distillery in operation and open to the public prior to the effective date of this act. A distillery that is exempt from an ordinance adopted under this subdivision shall remain exempt from any ordinance adopted under this subdivision upon the transfer of any ownership interest in the distillery to a successor in interest.

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

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PASSED: March 28, 2016



RON RAMSEY
SPEAKER OF THE SENATE



BETH HARWELL, SPEAKER
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

APPROVED this 12th day of April 2016



BILL HASLAM, GOVERNOR