

A Bill for an Act Relating to Classes of Liquor Licenses.

*Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Hawaii:*

SECTION 1. Section 281-31, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is hereby amended in the following respects:

(a) By amending the last sentence of Class 3 to read as follows:

“Nothing herein shall prevent a wholesaler from selling liquors to post exchanges, ships service stores, army or navy officers’ clubs, or like organizations located on army or navy reservations, or to any vessel other than vessels performing a regular water transportation service between any two or more ports in the State, or to aviation companies who operate an aerial transportation enterprise as a common carrier, under Chapter 269, engaged in regular flight passenger services between any two or more airports in the State for use on aircraft, or aviation companies engaged in transpacific flight operations for use on aircraft outside the jurisdiction of the State.”

(b) By adding a new class immediately following Class 8 thereof, to be designated “Class 9” and to read as follows:

“Class 9. Tour or Cruise Vessel Licenses. A general license may be granted to the owner of any tour or cruise vessel for the sale of liquor (other than alcohol) on board the vessel while in the waters of the State; provided such sales are made only for consumption by passengers on board while the vessel is in operation outside the port or dock of any island of the State. If the vessel has a home port in the State, the license shall be issuable in the county wherein the home port is situated, otherwise in the city and county of Honolulu. If on any vessel for which no license has been obtained under this chapter any liquor is sold or served within three miles of the shore of any island of the State, the same shall constitute a violation of this chapter.”

(c) By renumbering Classes 9 and 10 thereof as Classes 10 and 11 respectively.

(d) By deleting the phrase “classes 7 to 9” in the last paragraph; “Sections 281-57 to 281-61 shall not apply to classes 7 to 9.”, and inserting in lieu thereof “classes 7 to 10.”

SECTION 2. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

(Approved June 27, 1969.)