

ACT 93

H.B. NO. 2410

A Bill for an Act Relating to Intoxicating Liquor.

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

SECTION 1. The legislature finds that state law does not fully encompass the needs of the craft brewing industry. Similar to wineries, craft breweries allow guests to visit the production location and satellite tasting rooms for tours and educational opportunities. These locations provide sample tastings and information on the beverages being served while also educating visitors on the local nature of the company.

Although state laws do not restrict minors from being present in the tasting rooms for brewpub and small craft producer pub licensees, some counties prohibit minors from being present unless the minor is ordering or consuming food from a licensed kitchen on the premises.

Considering that the majority of brewing jobs in the State are filled with applicants from the continental United States and abroad, the legislature finds that allowing minors on craft brewery premises, particularly in tasting rooms, provides an opportunity for potential applicants to learn and gain interest in Hawaii's prevalent service industry.

The purpose of this Act is to permit brewpub and small craft producer pub licensees to allow minors on the licensee's premises under certain circumstances.

SECTION 2. Section 281-31, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is amended as follows:

1. By amending subsection (n) to read:
“(n) Class 14. Brewpub license. A brewpub licensee:
 - (1) May sell malt beverages manufactured on the licensee's premises for consumption on the premises;
 - (2) May sell malt beverages manufactured by the licensee in brewery-sealed packages to class 3 wholesale dealer licensees pursuant to conditions imposed by the county by ordinance or rule;
 - (3) May sell intoxicating liquor purchased from a class 3 wholesale dealer licensee to consumers for consumption on the licensee's premises. The categories of establishments shall be as follows:

- (A) A standard bar; or
- (B) Premises in which live entertainment or recorded music is provided. Facilities for dancing by the patrons may be permitted as provided by commission rules;
- (4) May, subject to federal labeling and bottling requirements, sell malt beverages manufactured on the licensee's premises to consumers in brewery-sealed kegs and sell malt beverages manufactured on the licensee's premises or purchased from a class 1 manufacturer licensee, a class 3 wholesale dealer licensee, a class 14 brewpub licensee, or a class 18 small craft producer pub licensee to consumers in growlers for off-premises consumption; provided that for purposes of this paragraph, "growler" means a glass, ceramic, or metal container, not to exceed one half-gallon, which shall be securely sealed;
- (5) May, subject to federal labeling and bottling requirements, sell malt beverages manufactured on the licensee's premises in recyclable containers provided by the licensee or by the consumer which do not exceed one gallon per container and are securely sealed on the licensee's premises to consumers for off-premises consumption;
- (6) Shall comply with all regulations pertaining to class 4 retail dealer licensees when engaging in the retail sale of malt beverages;
- (7) May, subject to federal labeling and bottling requirements, sell malt beverages manufactured on the licensee's premises in brewery-sealed containers directly to class 2 restaurant licensees, class 3 wholesale dealer licensees, class 4 retail dealer licensees, class 5 dispenser licensees, class 6 club licensees, class 8 transient vessel licensees, class 9 tour or cruise vessel licensees, class 10 special licensees, class 11 cabaret licensees, class 12 hotel licensees, class 13 caterer licensees, class 14 brewpub licensees, class 15 condominium hotel licensees, class 18 small craft producer pub licensees, and consumers pursuant to conditions imposed by county regulations governing class 1 manufacturer licensees and class 3 wholesale dealer licensees; ~~and~~
- (8) May conduct the activities under paragraphs (1) to (7) at one location other than the licensee's premises; provided that:
 - (A) The manufacturing takes place in Hawaii; and
 - (B) The other location is properly licensed under the same ownership[-]; and
- (9) May allow minors, who are accompanied by a parent or legal guardian of legal drinking age, on the licensee's premises."

2. By amending subsection (r) to read:

"(r) Class 18. Small craft producer pub license. A small craft producer pub licensee:

- (1) Shall manufacture not more than:
 - (A) Sixty thousand barrels of malt beverages;
 - (B) Twenty thousand barrels of wine; or
 - (C) Seven thousand five hundred barrels of alcohol on the licensee's premises during the license year;

provided that for purposes of this paragraph, "barrel" means a container not exceeding thirty-one gallons or wine gallons of liquor;
- (2) May sell malt beverages, wine, or alcohol manufactured on the licensee's premises for consumption on the premises;
- (3) May sell malt beverages, wine, or alcohol manufactured by the licensee in producer-sealed packages to class 3 wholesale dealer licensees pursuant to conditions imposed by the county by ordinance or rule;

- (4) May sell intoxicating liquor purchased from a class 3 wholesale dealer licensee to consumers for consumption on the licensee's premises. The categories of establishments shall be as follows:
- (A) A standard bar; or
 - (B) Premises in which live entertainment or recorded music is provided. Facilities for dancing by the patrons may be permitted as provided by commission rules;
- (5) May, subject to federal labeling and bottling requirements, sell malt beverages manufactured on the licensee's premises to consumers in producer-sealed kegs and sell malt beverages manufactured on the licensee's premises or purchased from a class 1 manufacturer licensee, a class 3 wholesale dealer licensee, a class 14 brewpub licensee, or a class 18 small craft producer pub licensee to consumers in growlers for off-premises consumption; provided that for purposes of this paragraph, "growler" means a glass, ceramic, or metal container, not to exceed one half-gallon, which shall be securely sealed;
- (6) May, subject to federal labeling and bottling requirements, sell malt beverages, wine, or alcohol manufactured on the licensee's premises in recyclable containers provided by the licensee or by the consumer which do not exceed:
- (A) One gallon per container for malt beverages and wine; and
 - (B) One liter for alcohol; and
- are securely sealed on the licensee's premises to consumers for off-premises consumption;
- (7) Shall comply with all regulations pertaining to class 4 retail dealer licensees when engaging in the retail sale of malt beverages, wine, and alcohol;
- (8) May, subject to federal labeling and bottling requirements, sell malt beverages, wine, and alcohol manufactured on the licensee's premises in producer-sealed containers directly to class 2 restaurant licensees, class 3 wholesale dealer licensees, class 4 retail dealer licensees, class 5 dispenser licensees, class 6 club licensees, class 8 transient vessel licensees, class 9 tour or cruise vessel licensees, class 10 special licensees, class 11 cabaret licensees, class 12 hotel licensees, class 13 caterer licensees, class 14 brewpub licensees, class 15 condominium hotel licensees, class 18 small craft producer pub licensees, and consumers pursuant to conditions imposed by county regulations governing class 1 manufacturer licensees and class 3 wholesale dealer licensees; ~~and~~
- (9) May conduct the activities under paragraphs (1) to (8) at one location other than the licensee's premises; provided that:
- (A) The manufacturing takes place in Hawaii; and
 - (B) The other location is properly licensed under the same ownership~~[-]; and~~
- (10) May allow minors, who are accompanied by a parent or legal guardian of legal drinking age, on the licensee's premises."

SECTION 3. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed and stricken. New statutory material is underscored.

SECTION 4. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 2018.

(Approved June 29, 2018.)