

HB1057/823695/1

BY: Economic Matters Committee

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL 1057
(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, strike beginning with “to” in line 6 down through the first “beverages” in line 8 and substitute “who are employed to sell or serve alcoholic beverages to be certified by an approved alcohol awareness program; requiring certain individuals who are hired on or after a certain date to sell or serve alcoholic beverages to complete training in an approved alcohol awareness program within a certain time period”; in line 10, after “changes;” insert “providing for a delayed effective date;”; and in line 14, strike “4–505(a), (b), and (h)” and substitute “4–505(a), (b), (h), and (i)”.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 3, strike beginning with “**BEFORE**” in line 6 down through “in” in line 7 and substitute “**EXCEPT AS PROVIDED IN PARAGRAPH (2) OF THIS SUBSECTION, AN INDIVIDUAL WHO IS EMPLOYED TO SELL OR SERVE ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES SHALL BE CERTIFIED BY**”; after line 8, insert:

“(2) ON OR AFTER JANUARY 1, 2020, AN INDIVIDUAL HIRED TO SELL OR SERVE ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES WHO IS NOT CERTIFIED BY AN APPROVED ALCOHOL AWARENESS PROGRAM AT THE TIME THE INDIVIDUAL IS HIRED SHALL COMPLETE TRAINING IN AN APPROVED ALCOHOL AWARENESS PROGRAM WITHIN 60 DAYS AFTER THE DAY ON WHICH THE INDIVIDUAL IS HIRED.”;

and in line 9, strike “(2)” and substitute “(3)”.

On page 4, after line 2, insert:

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“(i) (1) This section does not create or enlarge a civil cause of action or criminal proceeding against a license holder.

(2) Evidence of a violation of this section:

(i) may only be used as evidence before the local licensing board in an action brought before the local licensing board for a violation of this section; and

(ii) may not be introduced in a civil or criminal proceeding.”.

On page 18, in lines 18 and 19, strike “July 1, 2019” and substitute “January 1, 2020”.