

## Session 120 - (2013-2014)

H\*3554 (Rat #0068, Act #0036 of 2013) General Bill, By Cole, Forrester, G.M. Smith, Stavrinakis, Herbkersman and Merrill

*Similar (S 0423)*

**Summary:** Beer and Wine

AN ACT TO AMEND SECTION 61-4-1515, CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, RELATING TO SAMPLES AND SALES OF BEER AT BREWERIES, SO AS TO SPECIFY THAT TWELVE PERCENT ALCOHOL BY WEIGHT IS THE MAXIMUM THAT MAY BE OFFERED FOR ON-PREMISES CONSUMPTION, TO ALLOW FOR THE SALE OF FORTY-EIGHT OUNCES OF BEER TO A CONSUMER EVERY TWENTY-FOUR HOURS, OF WHICH ONLY SIXTEEN OUNCES MAY BE MORE THAN EIGHT PERCENT ALCOHOL BY WEIGHT, TO REQUIRE THE BREWERY TO ESTABLISH A SYSTEM TO MONITOR SUCH SALES AND SAMPLES, TO PROVIDE THE BEER MUST BE SOLD AT THE APPROXIMATE RETAIL PRICE, TO PROVIDE THAT APPROPRIATE TAXES MUST BE REMITTED, TO REQUIRE THE BREWERY TO POST CERTAIN INFORMATION, TO REQUIRE THE BREWERY TO PROVIDE CERTAIN ALCOHOL ENFORCEMENT TRAINING, TO REQUIRE THE BREWERY TO MAINTAIN CERTAIN LIABILITY INSURANCE, TO CLARIFY THAT A CERTAIN PROVISION APPLIES TO OFF-PREMISES CONSUMPTION, TO INCREASE THE FINE AND PENALTIES FOR A BREWERY VIOLATING CERTAIN OFF-PREMISES CONSUMPTION PROVISIONS; TO AMEND SECTION 61-4-960, RELATING TO RETAILERS OF BEER FOR OFF-PREMISES CONSUMPTION AND BEER TASTINGS, SO AS TO ALLOW A BEER TASTING TO BE HELD IN CONJUNCTION WITH A WINE TASTING, AND TO REQUIRE THE DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND THE STATE LAW ENFORCEMENT DIVISION TO SUBMIT A REPORT DETAILING CERTAIN INFORMATION REGARDING THE EFFECT OF THE AMENDMENTS TO SECTION 61-4-1515. - ratified title

02/19/13 House Introduced and read first time (House Journal-page 23)  
02/19/13 House Referred to Committee on Judiciary (House Journal-page 23)  
02/26/13 House Member(s) request name added as sponsor: G.M.Smith  
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03/06/13 House Committee report: Favorable with amendment Judiciary (House Journal-page 42)  
03/07/13 House Member(s) request name added as sponsor: Herbkersman  
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03/20/13 House Amended  
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03/20/13 House Roll call Yeas-71 Nays-32  
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03/21/13 Senate Introduced and read first time (Senate Journal-page 15)  
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04/17/13 Senate Committee report: Favorable with amendment Judiciary (Senate Journal-page 17)  
04/18/13 Scrivener's error corrected  
05/13/13 Senate Committee Amendment Amended and Adopted (Senate Journal-page 16)  
05/13/13 Senate Amended (Senate Journal-page 16)  
05/14/13 Scrivener's error corrected  
05/21/13 Senate Read second time (Senate Journal-page 13)  
05/21/13 Senate Roll call Ayes-31 Nays-1 (Senate Journal-page 13)  
05/22/13 Senate Read third time and returned to House with amendments (Senate Journal-page 8)  
05/23/13 House Concurred in Senate amendment and enrolled (House Journal-page 31)  
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