

Session 123 - (2019-2020)

S 0342 General Bill, By Rankin and Hutto

Summary: Responsible Alcohol Server Training Act

A BILL TO ENACT THE "RESPONSIBLE ALCOHOL SERVER TRAINING ACT"; TO AMEND TITLE 61 OF THE 1976 CODE, RELATING TO ALCOHOL AND ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES, BY ADDING CHAPTER 3, TO PROVIDE FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT, IMPLEMENTATION, AND ENFORCEMENT OF A MANDATORY ALCOHOL SERVER TRAINING AND EDUCATION PROGRAM, TO REQUIRE SERVERS OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES FOR ON-PREMISES CONSUMPTION IN LICENSED OR PERMITTED BUSINESSES TO OBTAIN ALCOHOL SERVER CERTIFICATES, TO PROVIDE GUIDANCE FOR THE CURRICULA OF THE TRAINING PROGRAMS, TO PROVIDE FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE TO BE RESPONSIBLE FOR APPROVAL OF THE TRAINING PROGRAMS AND IMPLEMENTATION OF THE ALCOHOL SERVER CERTIFICATES, TO REQUIRE FEES FROM PROVIDERS OF TRAINING PROGRAMS AND FROM APPLICANTS FOR ALCOHOL SERVER CERTIFICATES TO COVER THE COSTS OF THE MANDATORY TRAINING AND ENFORCEMENT, TO REQUIRE COORDINATION AMONG THE DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE, THE STATE LAW ENFORCEMENT DIVISION, AND OTHER STATE AND LOCAL AGENCIES FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION AND ENFORCEMENT OF THESE PROVISIONS, AND TO PROVIDE FOR FINES AND PENALTIES FOR VIOLATIONS OF THESE PROVISIONS; TO AMEND SECTION 61-2-60 OF THE 1976 CODE, RELATING TO THE PROMULGATION OF REGULATIONS, TO AUTHORIZE THE DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE TO PROMULGATE REGULATIONS GOVERNING THE DEVELOPMENT, IMPLEMENTATION, EDUCATION, AND ENFORCEMENT OF RESPONSIBLE ALCOHOL SERVER TRAINING PROVISIONS; AND TO AMEND SECTION 61-4-50, SECTION 61-4-90(A), SECTION 61-4-580, SECTION 61-6-2220, SECTION 61-6-4070(A), AND SECTION 61-6-4080 OF THE 1976 CODE, ALL RELATING TO THE UNLAWFUL SALE OF ALCOHOL, TO PROVIDE FOR FINES AND PENALTIES FOR VIOLATIONS OF CERTAIN PROVISIONS.

01/08/19 Senate Introduced and read first time (Senate Journal-page 192)
01/08/19 Senate Referred to Committee on Judiciary (Senate Journal-page 192)
03/07/19 Senate Referred to Subcommittee: Turner (ch), Hutto, M.B.Matthews, Goldfinch, Talley
03/27/19 Senate Committee report: Favorable with amendment Judiciary (Senate Journal-page 12)
03/28/19 Scrivener's error corrected
04/03/19 Senate Read second time (Senate Journal-page 25)
04/09/19 Senate Committee Amendment Amended and Adopted (Senate Journal-page 48)
04/09/19 Senate Amended (Senate Journal-page 48)
04/10/19 Scrivener's error corrected
04/10/19 Senate Amended (Senate Journal-page 75)
04/10/19 Senate Read third time and sent to House (Senate Journal-page 75)
04/10/19 Senate Roll call Ayes-41 Nays-0 (Senate Journal-page 75)
04/11/19 House Introduced and read first time (House Journal-page 59)
04/11/19 House Referred to Committee on Judiciary (House Journal-page 59)
05/08/19 House Committee report: Favorable Judiciary (House Journal-page 4)
01/15/20 House Recommitted to Committee on Judiciary (House Journal-page 87)
05/12/20 House Recalled from Committee on Judiciary
09/15/20 House Debate adjourned until Wed., 09-16-20 (House Journal-page 109)
09/16/20 House Debate adjourned (House Journal-page 6)
09/16/20 House Debate adjourned until Thurs., 09-17-20 (House Journal-page 45)
09/22/20 House Debate adjourned until Wednesday, Sept. 23 (House Journal-page 23)
09/23/20 House Debate adjourned until Thurs., Sept 24 (House Journal-page 110)