

March 24, 2005

**H 892. REGULATE SALE OF MALT BEVERAGE KEGS (=S 476).** *REGULATING THE SALE OF KEGS CONTAINING MALT BEVERAGE.* Identical to S 476, introduced 3/10/05.

**Intro. by Alexander.**

Ref. to Commerce

GS 18B

May 25, 2005

**H 892. REGULATE SALE OF MALT BEVERAGE KEGS.** Intro. 3/24/05. House committee substitute makes the following changes to 1st edition. Renumbers proposed GS 18B-1010 as new GS 18B-310. Modifies proposed GS 18B-310(b) to require that every keg resold by a retail seller (was, kegs supplied for sale by a wholesaler to a permittee other than a hotel, restaurant, or private club) be marked with a coded tag or adhesive label. Deletes requirement that keg be marked with a permanent identification number and that tag be removed from keg upon keg's return, maintained with sales records, and returned to the Alcohol Law Enforcement Div'n (ALE) semiannually for destruction. Sets forth additional forms of identification that may be provided to verify purchaser's date of birth, but requires that identification include a physical description of purchaser. Deletes provisions that required the retail seller to collect a deposit of \$50 from the retail buyer and report certain buyer acts to the ALE and instead authorizes ABC Comm'n to charge fees to the retailer for costs listed. Also deletes specific references to imprisonment and permit revocation as punishment for a violation of act and provision that made compliance with act a defense to any criminal prosecution or civil proceeding under act. Makes technical and conforming changes.

June 8, 2005

**H 892. REGULATE SALE OF MALT BEVERAGE KEGS.** Intro. 3/24/05. House committee substitute makes the following changes to 2nd edition. Modifies proposed GS 18B-310(b) to require that form to be signed by retail purchaser of keg include the date the keg is to be returned. Deletes requirement that form include the specific address where, and dates when, malt beverage in keg will be consumed. Requires retail sellers to retain a copy of form for one year from date of purchase (was, three years). Makes technical changes.

August 23, 2005

**H 892. REGULATE SALE OF MALT BEVERAGE KEGS.** Intro. 3/24/05. House committee substitute makes the following changes to 3rd edition. Modifies proposed GS 18B-310(c) to require that Alcoholic Beverage Control Comm'n charge malt beverage retailers fees (was, authorized fees) to cover the costs connected with the production and distribution of required forms, coded tags and labels, and the maintenance of a database of registration numbers issued to permitted retailers. Further revises subsection to require that those fees be credited to the Comm'n Fund and that at the end of each fiscal year any fee revenue that exceeds required costs be transferred to the General Fund.