

Amendment to HB 1765-FN

1 Amend the bill by replacing sections 1 and 2 with the following:

2

3 1 New Paragraph; Liquor Licenses and Fees; Wine Manufacturer License. Amend RSA 178:8 by
4 inserting after paragraph XII the following new paragraph:

5 XIII. For an additional annual fee of \$120, any wine manufacturer licensee with sales of
6 under 1,000 cases per licensing year may purchase products from a beverage manufacturer licensed
7 under RSA 178:12, or another wine manufacturer licensed under this section, for the purpose of
8 sampling or selling its products at the licensee's premises. Wine manufacturer licensees operating
9 pursuant to this paragraph shall be subject to the following limitations:

10 (a) On-premises samples may be sold or given away.

11 (b) Sample sizes shall be limited to the provisions of RSA 178:12, II-a for beverages, and
12 paragraph III of this section for wine.

13 (c) Off-premises retail sales made at the beverage manufacturer's facility or another
14 wine manufacturer's facility shall be limited to products in their unopened original containers and to
15 customers and persons of legal drinking age.

16 (d) All sales and sampling activities must occur during the licensee's normal business
17 hours.

18 2 Liquor Licenses and Fees; Beverage Manufacturer License. RSA 178:12, XIV is repealed and
19 reenacted to read as follows:

20 XIV. For an additional annual fee of \$120, any beverage manufacturer licensee with
21 production of under 2,500 barrels per licensing year may purchase products from any wine
22 manufacturer licensed under RSA 178:8, or from any beverage manufacturer licensed under RSA
23 178:12, regardless of such manufacturer's production volume for the purpose of sampling or selling
24 such products at the licensee's premises. Beverage manufacturer licensees operating under this
25 paragraph shall be subject to the following limitations:

26 (a) On-premises samples may be sold or given away.

27 (b) Sample sizes shall be limited to the provisions of paragraph II-a of this section for
28 beverages, and RSA 178:8, III for wine.

29 (c) Off-premises retail sales made at the wine manufacturer's facility or another
30 beverage manufacturer's facility shall be limited to products in their unopened original containers
31 and to customers and persons of legal drinking age.

Amendment to HB 1765-FN

- Page 2 -

1 (d) All sales and sampling activities must occur during the licensee's normal business
2 hours.