

Amendment to HB 140-FN

1 Amend the bill by replacing section 1 with the following:

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3 1 Wine Manufacturer License. Amend RSA 178:8, III to read as follows:

4 III. Each wine manufacturer shall have the right to sell at retail or wholesale at its winery
5 for off-premises consumption any of its wines. Visitors of legal drinking age at said premises may
6 be provided with samples of wine manufactured on the premises for tasting. Samples may be
7 provided either free or for a fee and shall be limited to one 2-ounce sample per label per person.
8 ***The commission may issue an additional license to a wine manufacturer to operate one***
9 ***additional tasting room for both samples and retail sales of its own wine separate and***
10 ***apart from its manufacturing facility, subject to payment of an annual fee of \$420. A***
11 ***licensee may operate a single tasting room cooperatively with other wine manufacturers,***
12 ***subject to payment of an annual fee of \$420 by one of the manufacturers, provided that no***
13 ***manufacturer may sell or provide samples at more than one tasting room and provided***
14 ***that each participating manufacturer shall independently maintain records and pay the***
15 ***fees under paragraph IV.*** Pursuant to rules adopted by the commission, a wine manufacturer
16 may transport its products to a farmers' market or a wine festival licensed under RSA 178:31, and
17 may sell such products at retail in the original container.