

# HOUSE BILL No. 5010

September 27, 2011, Introduced by Rep. Lund and referred to the Committee on Regulatory Reform.

A bill to amend 1998 PA 58, entitled  
"Michigan liquor control code of 1998,"  
by amending section 533 (MCL 436.1533), as amended by 1998 PA 416.

## THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1       Sec. 533. A retail vendor licensed under this act to sell for  
2 consumption on the premises may apply for a license as a specially  
3 designated merchant. A specially designated distributor may apply  
4 for a license as a specially designated merchant. In cities,  
5 incorporated villages, or townships, the commission shall issue  
6 only 1 specially designated distributor license for each 3,000 of  
7 population, or fraction of 3,000. **NOTWITHSTANDING R 436.1133 OF THE**  
8 **MICHIGAN ADMINISTRATIVE CODE OR ANY OTHER RULE PROMULGATED UNDER**  
9 **THIS ACT, THE COMMISSION SHALL NOT REQUIRE THAT THE PROPOSED**  
10 **LICENSED ESTABLISHMENT FOR A NEW SPECIALLY DESIGNATED DISTRIBUTOR**

1 LICENSE BE LOCATED A CERTAIN DISTANCE FROM AN EXISTING SPECIALLY  
2 DESIGNATED DISTRIBUTOR'S LICENSED ESTABLISHMENT. The COMMISSION MAY  
3 WAIVE THE quota requirement ~~may be waived at the discretion of the~~  
4 ~~commission~~ **IN THIS SECTION** if there is no existing specially  
5 designated distributor licensee within 2 miles of the applicant,  
6 measured along the nearest traffic route.