

HOUSE BILL NO. 4700

June 26, 2025, Introduced by Reps. Schuette, Wendzel, Liberati, Aragona, Tate and T. Carter and referred to Committee on Regulatory Reform.

A bill to amend 1998 PA 58, entitled
"Michigan liquor control code of 1998,"
by amending section 107 (MCL 436.1107), as amended by 2021 PA 19.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1 Sec. 107. (1) "Cash" means money in hand, bank notes, demand
2 deposits at a bank, or legal tender, that a creditor must accept
3 according to law. Cash does not include call loans, postdated
4 checks, or promissory notes.

5 ~~(2) "Class C license" means a place licensed to sell at retail~~
6 ~~beer, wine, mixed spirit drink, and spirits for consumption on the~~

1 ~~premises.~~

2 (2) "Church" means an entire house or structure set apart
3 primarily for use for purposes of public worship, that is tax
4 exempt under the laws of this state, and in which religious
5 services are held with which a clergyman is associated, and the
6 entire structure of which is kept for that use and not put to any
7 other use inconsistent with that use.

8 (3) "Class A hotel" means a hotel licensed by the commission
9 to sell beer, wine, and mixed spirit drink for consumption on the
10 premises only that provides for the rental of, and maintains the
11 availability for rental of, 1 of the following:

12 (a) Not fewer than 20 bedrooms if located in a local
13 governmental unit with a population of less than 175,000.

14 (b) Not fewer than 50 bedrooms if located in a local
15 governmental unit with a population of 175,000 or more.

16 (c) Notwithstanding the population of the local governmental
17 unit, at least 20 bedrooms if located in any of the following:

18 (i) An authority district established under part 3 of the
19 recodified tax increment financing act, 2018 PA 57, MCL 125.4301 to
20 125.4329.

21 (ii) A development area established under part 6 of the
22 recodified tax increment financing act, 2018 PA 57, MCL 125.4602 to
23 125.4629.

24 (iii) A downtown district established under part 2 of the
25 recodified tax increment financing act, 2018 PA 57, MCL 125.4201 to
26 125.4230.

27 (iv) A principal shopping district established under 1961 PA
28 120, MCL 125.981 to 125.990n.

29 (4) "Class B hotel" means a hotel licensed by the commission

1 to sell beer, wine, mixed spirit drink, and spirits for consumption
2 on the premises only that provides for the rental of, and maintains
3 the availability for rental of, 1 of the following:

4 (a) Not fewer than 20 bedrooms if located in a local
5 governmental unit with a population of less than 175,000.

6 (b) Not fewer than 50 bedrooms if located in a local
7 governmental unit with a population of 175,000 or more.

8 (c) Notwithstanding the population of the local governmental
9 unit, at least 20 bedrooms if located in any of the following:

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11 recodified tax increment financing act, 2018 PA 57, MCL 125.4301 to
12 125.4329.

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17 recodified tax increment financing act, 2018 PA 57, MCL 125.4201 to
18 125.4230.

19 (iv) A principal shopping district established under 1961 PA
20 120, MCL 125.981 to 125.990n.

21 (5) "Class C license" means a place licensed to sell at retail
22 beer, wine, mixed spirit drink, and spirits for consumption on the
23 premises.

24 (6) ~~(3)~~—"Class G-1 license" means a place licensed to sell at
25 retail beer, wine, mixed spirit drink, and spirits for consumption
26 on the premises at a golf course having at least 18 holes that
27 measure at least 5,000 yards and which license is issued only to a
28 facility that permits member access by means of payments that
29 include annual paid membership fees.

1 (7) ~~(4)~~ "Class G-2 license" means a place licensed to sell at
2 retail beer, wine, and mixed spirit drink for consumption on the
3 premises at a golf course having at least 18 holes that measure at
4 least 5,000 yards and which license is issued only to a facility
5 that permits member access by means of payments that include annual
6 paid membership fees.

7 (8) ~~(5)~~ "Club" means a nonprofit association, whether
8 incorporated or unincorporated, organized for the promotion of some
9 common purpose, the object of which is owning, hiring, or leasing a
10 building, or space in a building, of an extent and character as in
11 the judgment of the commission may be suitable and adequate for the
12 reasonable and comfortable use and accommodation of its members and
13 their guests, but does not include an association organized for a
14 commercial or business purpose.

15 (9) ~~(6)~~ "Commission" means the liquor control commission
16 created in section 209.

17 ~~(7) "Church" means an entire house or structure set apart~~
18 ~~primarily for use for purposes of public worship, and that is tax~~
19 ~~exempt under the laws of this state, and in which religious~~
20 ~~services are held and with which a clergyman is associated, and the~~
21 ~~entire structure of which is kept for that use and not put to any~~
22 ~~other use inconsistent with that use.~~

23 (10) ~~(8)~~ "Distiller" means a person licensed to manufacture
24 and sell spirits or alcohol, or both, of any kind.

25 (11) **"Financial records" means any document or summary of**
26 **information contained in a document, including electronic**
27 **documents, that contains information about the financial activities**
28 **or position of a person, including, but not limited to, information**
29 **about the person's assets, balance sheets, budgets, cash flow,**

1 **earnings, revenue, expenditures, income, investments, losses,**
2 **liabilities, payroll, profits, retained earnings, or taxes.**

3 (12) ~~(9)~~ "Hotel" means a building or group of buildings
4 located on the same or adjoining pieces of real property, that
5 provide lodging to travelers and temporary residents and that may
6 also provide food service and other goods and services to
7 registered guests and to the public.

8 ~~(10) "Class A hotel" means a hotel licensed by the commission~~
9 ~~to sell beer, wine, and mixed spirit drink for consumption on the~~
10 ~~premises only, that provides for the rental of, and maintains the~~
11 ~~availability for rental of, not less than 25 bedrooms if located in~~
12 ~~a local governmental unit with a population of less than 175,000 or~~
13 ~~not less than 50 bedrooms if located in a local governmental unit~~
14 ~~with a population of 175,000 or more.~~

15 ~~(11) "Class B hotel" means a hotel licensed by the commission~~
16 ~~to sell beer, wine, mixed spirit drink, and spirits for consumption~~
17 ~~on the premises only, that provides for the rental of, and~~
18 ~~maintains the availability for rental of, not less than 25 bedrooms~~
19 ~~if located in a local governmental unit with a population of less~~
20 ~~than 175,000 or not less than 50 bedrooms if located in a local~~
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23 ~~information contained in a document, including electronic~~
24 ~~documents, that contains information about the financial activities~~
25 ~~or position of a person including, but not limited to, information~~
26 ~~about the assets, balance sheets, budgets, cash flow, earnings,~~
27 ~~revenue, expenditures, income, investments, losses, liabilities,~~
28 ~~payroll, profits, retained earnings, or taxes.~~

29 (13) "License" means a contract between the commission and the

1 licensee granting authority to that licensee to manufacture and
2 sell, sell, or warehouse alcoholic liquor in the manner provided by
3 this act.