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STATE OF MAINE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 107TH LEGISLATURE

HOUSE AMENDMENT'A "to COMMITTEE AMENDMENT"A" to H.P. 338, L.D. 421, Bill, "AN ACT to Allow Municipalities to Permit the Sale of Malt Liquor in All Restaurants, Class A Taverns and Taverns on Sunday."

Amend said amendment by inserting before the first paragraph the following:

'Amend said Bill by inserting in the last line of the title, after the word and punctuation "Restaurants," the following words: 'Restaurants Operating under a Part-time Malt Liquor License,

Further amend said Bill by inserting after the enacting clause the following:

Sec. 1. 28 MRSA §4, is amended by adding after the 4th ¶, the following new ¶ to read:

Restaurants operating under a part-time restaurant malt liquor license, as defined under section 2, shall have the right to sell liquor on Sundays between the hours of 12 noon and midnight and such sales may be made during such time by the licensee himself, a clerk, servant or agent in a municipality or unincorporated place where a majority of votes cast in the municipality or unincorporated place in a state-wide special /general election shall answer in the affirmative to the following local option question:

Shall this municipality or unincorporated place authorize the sale on Sunday of malt liquor in those restaurants operating under a part-time restaurant malt liquor license during the rest of the week?

and where there was a majority of affirmative votes cast on any local liquor option question voted upon, other than questions 1, 5 and 6, at the

last election at which local liquor option questions were on the ballot in the municipality or unincorporated place.'

Further amend said Amendment by inserting after the 2nd paragraph the following:

- 'Sec. 2-A. 28 MRSA §101, sub-§17 is enacted to read:
- 17. Shall this municipality or unincorporated place authorize the sale on Sunday of malt liquor in those restaurants operating under a parttime restaurant malt liquor license during the rest of the week?'

Further amend said Amendment in the 11th line from the end before the Statement of Fact by striking out the figure "2" and inserting in place thereof the words and figures '3 and section 4'

Further amend said amendment by inserting before the statement of fact the following:

'Further amend said Bill by renumbering the sections to read consecutively.'

Statement of Fact

This amendment will permit the Sunday sale of malt liquor in restaurants holding parttime malt liquor licenses which are located in municipalities or unincorporated places which have voted to allow those Sunday sales.

Filed by Mr. Farley of Biddeford.

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