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ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTH LEGISLATURE

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No. 1906

H. P. 1631

House of Representatives, May 28, 1975

Approved for introduction by a Majority of the Committee on Reference of Bills pursuant to Joint Rule 10. Committee on Bills in the Second Reading reports no further Verbal Amendments Necessary. Kathleen W. Goodwin, Chairman. Report Accepted.

EDWIN H. PERT, Clerk

Presented by Mr. McKernan of Bangor.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
SEVENTY-FIVE

AN ACT Authorizing the Licensing of Indoor Tennis Clubs, Indoor Skating Clubs and Golf Course Clubs for the Sale of Alcoholic Beverages without Requiring the Sale of Food.

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:

Sec. 1. 28 MRSA § 2, sub-§§ 10-A and 10-B are enacted to read:

10-A. Indoor tennis club. "Indoor tennis club" shall mean any commercially operated indoor facility with 4 or more tennis courts which is open to the general public, which charges a fee and which has adequate facilities for the sale and consumption of alcoholic beverages.

10-B. Indoor skating club. "Indoor skating club" shall mean any commercially operated indoor facility offering skating facilities to the general public, which charges a fee and which has adequate facilities for the sale and consumption of alcoholic beverages.

Sec. 2. 28 MRSA § 701, 2nd ¶, as last amended by PL 1971, c. 222, § 2, is further amended by inserting after the 6th line the following:

Club—Indoor tennis or indoor skating or
golf—spirituous and vinous 750

Club—Indoor tennis or indoor skating or
golf—malt liquor 200

Sec. 3. 28 MRSA § 701, 2nd ¶, last line, as enacted by PL 1971, c. 222, § 2, is repealed and the following enacted in place thereof:

Wine	\$200
Incorporated civic organization—one event	
annually—spirituous, vinous and malt liquor	50
Municipal auditorium—malt liquor	200
Municipal auditorium—spirituous and vinous	750

Sec. 4. 28 MRSA § 807 is enacted to read:

§ 807. Indoor tennis clubs, skating clubs and golf club facilities

Licenses for the sale of spirituous and vinous liquors and malt liquor to be consumed on the premises may be issued to golf clubs, indoor tennis clubs and indoor skating clubs as defined in section 2, subsections 10-A, 10-B and 16.

Sec. 5. **Provisional clause.** Notwithstanding any other provision of law, licenses may be granted to indoor tennis clubs, indoor skating clubs and golf clubs in municipalities and unincorporated places which have previously voted affirmatively on Title 28, section 101, subsections 2 and 11.