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FIRST SPECIAL SESSION

ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTH LEGISLATURE

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No. 1991

S. P. 629

In Senate, January 19, 1976

Referred to the Committee on Liquor Control. Sent down for concurrence and ordered printed.

HARRY N. STARBRANCH, Secretary

Presented by Senator Clifford of Androscoggin.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
SEVENTY-SIX

AN ACT to Extend the Application Period for Licensing of Indoor Tennis Clubs, Indoor Ice Skating Clubs and Golf Course Clubs for the Sale of Alcoholic Beverages.

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

PL 1975, c. 540, § 6, is amended to read:

Sec. 6. Application limited. This Act shall remain in effect only until ~~January 1, 1977~~ January 1, 1978 during which time the Bureau of Alcoholic Beverages shall evaluate the effectiveness of this law and make a written report to the 108th Legislature.

STATEMENT OF FACT

The regular session of this Legislature enacted chapter 540 pertaining to liquor licenses for tennis clubs and skating rinks. The law was a temporary one and required the Bureau of Alcoholic Beverages to evaluate the effectiveness of the law. However, the expiration of the law on January 1, 1977 will not allow any time for the bureau to report on or evaluate the law and will mean the licensees will automatically be without licenses after January 1, 1977, which date is prior to the date the 108th Legislature is scheduled to convene. Changing the date to January 1, 1978 will enable the 108th Legislature to fully evaluate the report from the Bureau of Alcoholic Beverages without pressure of a time deadline.