

STATE OF MAINE SENATE (Filing No. S-382) 108TH LEGISLATURE FIRST REGULAR SESSION

SENATE AMENDMENT"G"to S.P. 590, L. D. 1896, Bill,"AN ACT to Make Additional Corrections of Errors and Inconsistencies in the Laws of Maine."

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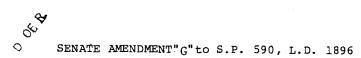
Amend the bill by inserting after section 100 the following: 'Sec. 100-A. 28 MRSA \$452, 5th ¶, as amended by PL 1969, c. 360, \$15, is repealed and the following enacted in its place:

The commission is authorized to give such proper credits and to make such proper tax adjustments as they may from time to time deem the wholesale licensee to be entitled to upon the filing of affidavits in such form as they may prescribe and shall refund all excise tax paid by the wholesale licensee on all malt liquor or table wine caused to be destroyed by a supplier as long as the quantity and size are verified by the Bureau of Alcoholic Beverages and the destruction is witnessed by an inspector of the bureau if credit is issued and allowed for same by the manufacturer.

The commissioner is also authorized to refund the excise tax on distributor's inventories in the event such inventories are destroyed by fire, flood or other natural disaster.'

Statement of Fact

This amendment would allow refund of excise tax to distributors in case of distribution of unsuitable merchandise if destruction is under the supervision of the Bureau of Alcoholic Beverages and in case of destruction of distributor's inventory by natural disaster.



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