

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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3 ONE HUNDRED AND TENTH LEGISLATURE  
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5 **Legislative Document**

**No. 1811**

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7 H. P. 1829 House of Representatives, January 13, 1982  
8 Submitted by the Department of Finance and Administration pur-  
9 suant to Joint Rule 24.

On Motion of Mr. Cox of Brewer, referred to the Committee on Legal  
Affairs. Sent up for concurrence and ordered printed.

EDWIN H. PERT, Clerk

10 Presented by Representative Cox of Brewer.

Cosponsor: Representative Studley of Berwick.

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14 IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD  
15 NINETEEN HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-TWO  
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17 **AN ACT to Change the 30-day Notice concerning State**  
18 **Agency Liquor Stores.**  
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20 Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine as follows:

21 **28 MRSA §153, sub-§1, 2nd ¶, 4th sentence, as repealed**  
22 **and replaced by PL 1975, c. 256, is amended to read:**

23 Upon receipt of all applications for a special agency store  
24 in a municipality, the State Liquor Commission shall notify  
25 the municipal officers of that municipality of the proposed  
26 location of each applicant at least ~~30~~ 10 days prior to the  
27 final selection of an applicant or applicants by the State  
28 Liquor Commission.

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Statement of Fact

2           The purpose of this bill is to reduce the 30-day wait-  
3 ing period to a 10-day waiting period and should still pro-  
4 vide an adequate period of time for a response from munici-  
5 pal authorities because of the additional 15-day appeal  
6 period required for all aggrieved applicants.