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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT " A " to S.P. 223,  
L.D. 660, Bill, "AN ACT to Change Price Posting Re-  
quirements for Beer and Table Wine Suppliers."

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Amend the bill by striking out the first 2 lines  
after the enacting clause and inserting in their  
place the following:

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'28 MRSA §655 is enacted to read:

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§655. Posting of prices'

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Further amend the bill in that part designated  
"§680" in the 9th line (page 1, line 31 in L.D.) by  
inserting after the underlined word "licensees" the  
following 'and all other entities or instrumentali-  
ties'

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Further amend the bill in that part designated  
"§680" in the 2nd paragraph (page 2, line 6 in L.D.)  
by adding at the end the following new sentence:

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'All price changes shall be effective on the first  
day of a month.'

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Further amend the bill in that part designated  
"§680" by striking out all of the 3rd paragraph (page  
2, lines 7 to 9 in L.D.).

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STATEMENT OF FACT

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This amendment improves the placement of the new  
price posting section by numbering it as section 655  
rather than section 680. In addition, it adds the  
words "and all other entities or instrumentalities."  
This makes it clear that a wholesaler must post all

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1 the prices for which it sells its products, whether  
2 they are sold to a retail licensee or to any other  
3 entity or instrumentality, such as an instrumentality  
4 of the United States or other entity given an excise  
5 tax credit under section 452.

6 The amendment also requires that all price  
7 changes be effective on the first day of a month and  
8 deletes the confidentiality provision of the original  
9 bill.

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