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Sec	. 1. 28 MRSA	§101, sub-§9	is enacted to read:
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Sec. 2. 28 MRSA §102, first ¶, as enacted by PL 1967, c. 49, §2, is amended to read:

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If a majority of the votes cast in any municipality in answer to any local option question is in the affirmative, the State Liquor Commission may issue licenses of the type authorized by such affirmative vote in such municipality, except that in the case of local option question number 9 on bottle clubs, as provided in section 101, no license is required under this Title.

## STATEMENT OF FACT

This new draft allows voters of a municipality or unincorporated place to petition officials to place a local option question on the ballot concerning bottle clubs. Residents could then vote on whether the municipality or unincorporated place will prohibit the operation of bottle clubs within its boundaries. Procedures are the same as with other local option questions under Title 28, except that bottle clubs are not required to be licensed.

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