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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 263, L.D. 367, Bill, "An Act to Clarify the Criteria for Renewal of Agency Liquor Store Licenses"

Amend the bill by inserting after section 1 the following:

'Sec. 2. 28-A MRSA §458, sub-§2-A is enacted to read:

2-A. Review exemptions. Notwithstanding subsection 2, paragraph C, when considering an application for the renewal of an agency license, the bureau may not consider minor changes to the placement of liquor inventory if the changes are not for the purposes of marketing beyond those provided in law or agency rule or for increasing access by minors but are to address some other liquor placement issue that is within the scope of the person's license.'

SUMMARY

This amendment clarifies the bill by stating that the Department of Public Safety, Bureau of Liquor Enforcement may not consider a minor change in the placement of liquor inventory that is within the scope of an agency liquor license, state law and agency rule as a reason to deny a renewal of a retail license.

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT