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# 124th MAINE LEGISLATURE

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**Legislative Document**

**No. 904**

H.P. 622

House of Representatives, March 5, 2009

**An Act To Permit Brew Pubs To Sell Half-gallon Containers of Malt  
Liquor**

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Reference to the Committee on Legal and Veterans Affairs suggested and ordered printed.

*Millicent M. MacFarland*  
MILLICENT M. MacFARLAND  
Clerk

Presented by Representative SMITH of Monmouth.  
Cosponsored by Senator PLOWMAN of Penobscot and  
Representatives: CONNOR of Kennebunk, FITTS of Pittsfield, PRATT of Eddington,  
TRINWARD of Waterville, VALENTINO of Saco, Senators: NUTTING of Androscoggin,  
SIMPSON of Androscoggin, SULLIVAN of York.

1 **Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine as follows:**

2 **Sec. 1. 28-A MRSA §1051, sub-§7** is enacted to read:

3 7. **Small brewery.** Notwithstanding subsection 3, a small brewery under section  
4 1355, subsection 2 that holds a license under this chapter may sell, on the premises during  
5 regular business hours, malt liquor produced at the brewery in a half-gallon container to  
6 be consumed off the premises.

7 **SUMMARY**

8 This bill allows a small brewery that holds an on-premises liquor license to be able to  
9 sell, on the premises during business hours, malt liquor produced at the brewery in half-  
10 gallon containers to be consumed off the premises.