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LEGISLATIVE ACTION

Senate Comm: RS 01/27/2017 House

The Committee on Regulated Industries (Gibson) recommended the following:

Senate Amendment (with title amendment)

Delete line 44 and insert:

Section 2. Subsection (1) of section 565.04, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

565.04 Package store restrictions.-

(1) (a) Vendors licensed under s. 565.02(1)(a) which are located within 1,000 feet of a school or which are considered a neighborhood market may shall not in said place of business

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11 sell, offer, or expose for sale any merchandise other than such 12 beverages, and such places of business shall be devoted 13 exclusively to such sales; provided, however, that such vendors 14 shall be permitted to sell bitters, grenadine, nonalcoholic 15 mixer-type beverages (not to include fruit juices produced outside this state), fruit juices produced in this state, home 16 17 bar, and party supplies and equipment (including but not limited 18 to glassware and party-type foods), miniatures of no alcoholic 19 content, and tobacco products. Such places of business shall 20 have no openings permitting direct access to any other building 21 or room, except to a private office or storage room of the place 22 of business from which patrons are excluded.

23 (b) As used in this subsection, the term "neighborhood 24 market" means a grocery store that is part of a chain of grocery 25 stores with sizes varying from 28,000 to 66,000 square feet, 26 with an average size of 42,000 square feet, which are used to 27 fill the gap between supercenters, in filling areas where 28 another supermarket chain had closed all stores due to 29 competition. Such markets offer a variety of products including 30 full lines of groceries, pharmaceuticals, health and beauty 31 aids, photo developing services, and a limited selection of 32 general merchandise. 33 34 35 And the title is amended as follows: 36 Delete lines 11 - 12

amending s. 565.04, F.S.; limiting the package store restrictions to vendors located within a certain

and insert:

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40 distance of a school or vendors that are considered 41 neighborhood markets; providing an effective date.