

By the Committee on Regulated Industries; and Senator Burgess

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1 A bill to be entitled
 2 An act relating to in-store servicing of alcoholic
 3 beverages; amending s. 561.424, F.S.; conforming
 4 provisions to changes made by the act; creating s.
 5 561.425, F.S.; authorizing the in-store servicing of
 6 distilled spirits sold by a distributor to a vendor;
 7 defining the term "in-store servicing"; providing an
 8 effective date.

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 10 Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

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 12 Section 1. Subsection (2) of section 561.424, Florida
 13 Statutes, is amended, and subsection (3) is added to that
 14 section, to read:

15 561.424 Vinous beverages; in-store servicing authorized.—

16 (2) Nothing in s. 561.42 or any other provision of the
 17 alcoholic beverage law prohibits ~~shall prohibit~~ a distributor of
 18 wine from providing in-store servicing of wine sold by the ~~such~~
 19 distributor to a vendor.

20 (3) As used in this section, the term "in-store servicing"
 21 ~~as used herein~~ means:

22 (a) Placing the wine on the vendor's shelves and
 23 maintaining the appearance and display of the ~~said~~ wine on the
 24 vendor's shelves in the vendor's licensed premises.†

25 (b) Placing the wine that is not ~~so~~ shelved or displayed in
 26 a storage area designated by the vendor, which is located in the
 27 vendor's licensed premises.†

28 (c) Rotating ~~rotation of~~ vinous beverages.† ~~and~~

29 (d) Price stamping ~~of~~ vinous beverages in the vendor's

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30 licensed premises. ~~This section shall not apply to distilled~~
31 ~~spirits.~~

32 Section 2. Section 561.425, Florida Statutes, is created to
33 read:

34 561.425 Distilled spirits; in-store servicing authorized.-

35 (1) Nothing in s. 561.42 or any other provision of the
36 alcoholic beverage law prohibits a distributor of distilled
37 spirits from providing in-store servicing of distilled spirits
38 sold by the distributor to a vendor.

39 (2) As used in this section, the term "in-store servicing"
40 means:

41 (a) Placing distilled spirits, including distilled spirits
42 located in a storage area designated by the vendor, on the
43 vendor's shelves and maintaining the appearance and display of
44 the distilled spirits on the vendor's shelves in the vendor's
45 licensed premises.

46 (b) Placing the distilled spirits in displays.

47 (c) Placing the distilled spirits that are not shelved or
48 displayed in a storage area designated by the vendor, which is
49 located in the vendor's licensed premises.

50 (d) Rotating distilled spirits.

51 (e) Price stamping distilled spirits in the vendor's
52 licensed premises.

53 Section 3. This act shall take effect July 1, 2024.