HB 161 2025

A bill to be entitled

An act relating to wine container size limitations; amending s. 564.05, F.S.; revising an exception to the maximum allowable capacity for an individual container of wine sold in this state; providing an effective date.

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

Section 1. Section 564.05, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

564.05 Limitation of size of individual wine containers; penalty.—It is unlawful for a person to sell within this state wine in an individual container holding more than 1 gallon of such wine, unless such wine is in a reusable or recyclable container holding 5.16 gallons or a glass container holding 4.5 liters, 6 liters, 9 liters, 12 liters, or 15 liters. However, qualified distributors and manufacturers may sell wine to other qualified distributors or manufacturers in any size container. Except as provided in s. 564.09, wine sold or offered for sale by a licensed vendor to be consumed off the premises shall be in the unopened original container. A person convicted of a violation of this section commits a misdemeanor of the second degree, punishable as provided in s. 775.082 or s. 775.083.

Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2025.

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