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## VIRGINIA ACTS OF ASSEMBLY - CHAPTER

2 An Act to amend and reenact §§ 4.1-112.1, 4.1-207, 4.1-208, 4.1-209, and 4.1-231 of the Code of 3 Virginia, relating to alcoholic beverage control; licenses.

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### Approved

#### 6 Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Virginia:

#### 7 1. That §§ 4.1-112.1, 4.1-207, 4.1-208, 4.1-209, and 4.1-231 of the Code of Virginia are amended 8 and reenacted as follows: 9

§ 4.1-112.1. Direct shipments of beer and wine authorized; regulations of the Board.

10 A. Holders of wine shippers' licenses and beer shippers' licenses issued pursuant to this section may sell and ship not more than two cases of wine per month nor more than two cases of beer per month to 11 12 any person in Virginia to whom alcoholic beverages may be lawfully sold. All such sales and shipments 13 must be for personal consumption only and not for resale. A case of wine shall mean any combination of packages containing not more than nine liters of wine. A case of beer shall mean any combination of 14 15 packages containing not more than 288 ounces of beer. Any winery or farm winery located within or outside the Commonwealth may apply to the Board for issuance of a wine shipper's license that shall 16 17 authorize the shipment of brands of wine and farm wine identified in such application. Any brewery 18 located within or outside the Commonwealth may apply to the Board for issuance of a beer shipper's 19 license that shall authorize the shipment of brands of beer identified in such application. Any person 20 located within or outside the Commonwealth who is authorized to sell wine or beer at retail in their 21 state of domicile and who is not a winery, farm winery, or brewery may nevertheless apply for a wine 22 or beer shipper's license, or both, if such person satisfies the requirements of subsection B. Any 23 brewery, winery or farm winery that applies for a shipper's license or authorizes any other person, other 24 than a retail off-premises licensee, to apply for a license to ship such brewery's, winery's or farm 25 winery's brands of wine or beer shall notify any wholesale licensees that have been authorized to 26 distribute such brands that an application has been filed for a shipper's license. The notice shall be in 27 writing and in a form prescribed by the Board. The Board may adopt such regulations as it reasonably 28 deems necessary to implement the provisions of this section, including regulations that permit the holder 29 of a shipper's license to amend the same by, among other things, adding or deleting any brands of wine, 30 farm wine, or beer identified in such shipper's license.

31 B. Any applicant for a wine or beer shipper's license that does not own or have the right to control 32 the distribution of the brands of wine, farm wine, or beer identified in such person's application may be 33 issued a shipper's license for wine or beer or both, if the applicant has obtained and filed with its 34 application for a shipper's license, and with any subsequent application for renewal thereof, the written 35 consent of the winery, farm winery, or brewery whose brands of wine, farm wine, or beer are identified 36 therein. Any retail off-premises licensee that purchases wine or beer from anyone authorized to sell wine 37 or beer at wholesale for resale in Virginia shall be presumed to have the authorization of such winery, 38 farm winery, or brewery to ship its brands. Any winery, farm winery, or brewery that has provided 39 written authorization to a shipper licensed pursuant to this section to sell and ship its brand or brands of 40 wine, farm wine, or beer shall not be restricted by any provision of this section from withdrawing such 41 authorization at any time. If such authorization is withdrawn, the winery, farm winery, or brewery shall 42 promptly notify such shipper licensee and the Board in writing of its decision to withdraw from such 43 shipper licensee the authority to sell and ship any of its brands, whereupon such shipper licensee shall promptly file with the Board an amendment to its license eliminating any such withdrawn brand or 44 45 brands from the shipper's license.

C. The direct shipment of beer and wine by holders of licenses issued pursuant to this section shall 46 47 be by approved common carrier only. The Board shall develop regulations pursuant to which common 48 carriers may apply for approval to provide common carriage of wine or beer, or both, shipped by 49 holders of licenses issued pursuant to this section. Such regulations shall include provisions that require 50 (i) the recipient to demonstrate, upon delivery, that he is at least 21 years of age; (ii) the recipient to sign an electronic or paper form or other acknowledgement of receipt as approved by the Board; and 51 (iii) the Board-approved common carrier to submit to the Board such information as the Board may 52 53 prescribe. The Board-approved common carrier shall refuse delivery when the proposed recipient appears 54 to be under the age of 21 years and refuses to present valid identification. All licensees shipping wine or 55 beer pursuant to this section shall affix a conspicuous notice in 16-point type or larger to the outside of 56 each package of wine or beer shipped within or into the Commonwealth, in a conspicuous location

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stating: "CONTAINS ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES; SIGNATURE OF PERSON AGED 21 YEARS OR 57 OLDER REQUIRED FOR DELIVERY." Any delivery of alcoholic beverages to a minor by a common 58 59 carrier shall constitute a violation by the common carrier. The common carrier and the shipper licensee 60 shall be liable only for their independent acts.

61 D. For purposes of §§ 4.1-234 and 4.1-236 and Chapter 6 (§ 58.1-600 et seq.) of Title 58.1, each 62 shipment of wine or beer by a wine shipper licensee or a beer shipper licensee shall constitute a sale in Virginia. The licensee shall collect the taxes due to the Commonwealth and remit any excise taxes 63 64 monthly to the Department of Alcoholic Beverage Control and any sales taxes to the Department of 65 Taxation. 66

§ 4.1-207. Wine licenses.

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The Board may grant the following licenses relating to wine:

68 1. Winery licenses, which shall authorize the licensee to manufacture wine and to sell and deliver or 69 ship the wine, in accordance with Board regulations, in closed containers, to persons licensed to sell the 70 wine so manufactured at wholesale for the purpose of resale, and to persons outside the Commonwealth 71 for resale outside the Commonwealth. In addition, such license shall authorize the licensee to (i) operate 72 distilling equipment on the premises of the licensee in the manufacture of spirits from fruit or fruit 73 juices only, which shall be used only for the fortification of wine produced by the licensee, and (ii) 74 store wine in bonded warehouses on or off the licensed premises upon permit issued by the Board.

75 2. Wholesale wine licenses, which shall authorize the licensee to acquire and receive deliveries and 76 shipments of wine and to sell and deliver or ship the wine, in accordance with Board regulations, in closed containers, to (i) persons licensed to sell such wine in the Commonwealth, (ii) persons outside 77 78 the Commonwealth for resale outside the Commonwealth, (iii) religious congregations for use only for 79 sacramental purposes, and (iv) owners of boats registered under the laws of the United States sailing for 80 ports of call of a foreign country or another state.

No wholesale wine licensee shall purchase wine for resale from a person outside the Commonwealth 81 who does not hold a wine importer's license unless such wholesale wine licensee holds a wine importer's 82 83 license and purchases wine for resale pursuant to the privileges of such wine importer's license.

3. Wine importers' licenses, which shall authorize persons located within or outside the 84 85 Commonwealth to sell and deliver or ship wine, in accordance with Board regulations, in closed containers, to persons in the Commonwealth licensed to sell wine at wholesale for the purpose of resale, 86 87 and to persons outside the Commonwealth for resale outside the Commonwealth.

4. Retail off-premises winery licenses to persons holding winery licenses, which shall authorize the 88 89 licensee to sell wine at the place of business designated in the winery license, in closed containers, for 90 off-premises consumption and to deliver the wine to the purchasers in accordance with Board 91 regulations. All such deliveries of wine shall be performed by the owner or any agent, officer, director, 92 shareholder or employee of the licensee.

93 5. Farm winery licenses, which shall authorize the licensee to manufacture wine containing 18 94 percent or less of alcohol by volume and to sell, deliver or ship the wine, in accordance with Board 95 regulations, in closed containers, to (i) the Board, (ii) persons licensed to sell the wine so manufactured at wholesale or retail for the purpose of resale, § 4.1-326 notwithstanding, or (iii) persons outside the 96 97 Commonwealth. In addition, the licensee may (a) acquire and receive deliveries and shipments of wine manufactured by the licensee and to sell and deliver or ship this wine, in accordance with Board 98 99 regulations, to persons licensed to sell wine in the Commonwealth, § 4.1-326 notwithstanding and (b) 100 store wine in bonded warehouses located on or off the licensed premises upon permits issued by the Board. For the purposes of this title, a farm winery license shall be designated either as a Class A or 101 102 Class B farm winery license in accordance with the limitations set forth in § 4.1-219.

103 Such licenses shall also authorize the licensee to sell wine at retail at the places of business 104 designated in the licenses, which may include no more than five additional retail establishments of the 105 licensee. Wine may be sold at these business places for on-premises consumption and in closed containers for off-premises consumption, including delivery of such wine to purchasers in accordance 106 107 with Board regulations. All such deliveries of wine shall be performed by the owner or any agent, 108 officer, director, shareholder or employee of the licensee.

109 § 4.1-208. Beer licenses. 110

The Board may grant the following licenses relating to beer:

111 1. Brewery licenses, which shall authorize the licensee to manufacture beer and to sell and deliver or ship the beer so manufactured, in accordance with Board regulations, in closed containers to (i) persons 112 licensed to sell the beer at wholesale, (ii) persons licensed to sell beer at retail for the purpose of resale, 113 114 only as provided in subdivision B 4 of § 4.1-216, (iii) owners of boats registered under the laws of the United States sailing for ports of call of a foreign country or another state, and (iv); (ii) persons licensed 115 to sell beer at retail for the purpose of resale within a theme or amusement park owned and operated 116 by the brewery or a parent, subsidiary or a company under common control of such brewery, or upon 117

118 property of such brewery or a parent, subsidiary or a company under common control of such brewery 119 contiguous to such premises, or in a development contiguous to such premises owned and operated by 120 such brewery or a parent, subsidiary or a company under common control of such brewery; and (iii) 121 persons outside the Commonwealth for resale outside the Commonwealth. Such license may also 122 authorize individuals holding a brewery license to operate a facility designed for and utilized exclusively 123 for the education of persons in the manufacture of beer, including sampling by such individuals of beer 124 products, within a theme or amusement park located upon the premises occupied by such brewery, or 125 upon property of such person contiguous to such premises, or in a development contiguous to such 126 premises owned and operated by such person or a wholly owned subsidiary. Provided, however, that 127 such samples may be provided only to individuals for consumption on the premises of such facility and 128 only to individuals to whom such products may be lawfully sold.

129 2. Bottlers' licenses, which shall authorize the licensee to acquire and receive deliveries and 130 shipments of beer in closed containers and to bottle, sell and deliver or ship it, in accordance with 131 Board regulations to (i) wholesale beer licensees for the purpose of resale, (ii) owners of boats registered 132 under the laws of the United States sailing for ports of call of a foreign country or another state, and 133 (iii) persons outside the Commonwealth for resale outside the Commonwealth.

134 3. Wholesale beer licenses, which shall authorize the licensee to acquire and receive deliveries and 135 shipments of beer and to sell and deliver or ship it, in accordance with Board regulations, in closed 136 containers to (i) persons licensed under this chapter to sell such beer at wholesale or retail for the 137 purpose of resale, (ii) owners of boats registered under the laws of the United States sailing for ports of 138 call of a foreign country or another state, and (iii) persons outside the Commonwealth for resale outside 139 the Commonwealth.

140 No wholesale beer licensee shall purchase beer for resale from a person outside the Commonwealth 141 who does not hold a beer importer's license unless such wholesale beer licensee holds a beer importer's 142 license and purchases beer for resale pursuant to the privileges of such beer importer's license.

143 4. Beer importers' licenses, which shall authorize persons licensed within or outside the Commonwealth to sell and deliver or ship beer into the Commonwealth, in accordance with Board 144 145 regulations, in closed containers, to persons in the Commonwealth licensed to sell beer at wholesale for 146 the purpose of resale. 147

5. Retail on-premises beer licenses to:

148 a. Hotels, restaurants and clubs, which shall authorize the licensee to sell beer, either with or without 149 meals, only in dining areas and other designated areas of such restaurants, or in dining areas, private 150 guest rooms, and other designated areas of such hotels or clubs, for consumption only in such rooms 151 and areas.

152 b. Persons operating dining cars, buffet cars, and club cars of trains, which shall authorize the 153 licensee to sell beer, either with or without meals, in the dining cars, buffet cars, and club cars so 154 operated by them for on-premises consumption when carrying passengers.

155 c. Persons operating sight-seeing boats, or special or charter boats, which shall authorize the licensee 156 to sell beer, either with or without meals, on such boats operated by them for on-premises consumption 157 when carrying passengers.

158 d. Grocery stores located in any town or in a rural area outside the corporate limits of any city or 159 town, which shall authorize the licensee to sell beer for on-premises consumption in such establishments. 160 No license shall be granted unless it appears affirmatively that a substantial public demand for such 161 licensed establishment exists and that public convenience and the purposes of this title will be promoted 162 by granting the license.

e. Persons operating food concessions at coliseums, stadia, or similar facilities, which shall authorize 163 164 the licensee to sell beer, in paper, plastic, or similar disposable containers, during the performance of professional sporting exhibitions, events or performances immediately subsequent thereto, to patrons 165 166 within all seating areas, concourses, walkways, concession areas, and additional locations designated by the Board in such coliseums, stadia, or similar facilities, for on-premises consumption. Upon 167 168 authorization of the licensee, any person may keep and consume his own lawfully acquired alcoholic beverages on the premises in all areas and locations covered by the license. 169

170 f. Persons operating food concessions at any outdoor performing arts amphitheater, arena or similar 171 facility which has seating for more than 3,500 persons and is located in any county with a population 172 between 65,000 and 70,000. Such license shall authorize the licensee to sell beer during the performance 173 of any event, in paper, plastic or similar disposable containers to patrons within all seating areas, 174 concourses, walkways, concession areas, or similar facilities, for on-premises consumption. Upon authorization of the licensee, any person may keep and consume his own lawfully acquired alcoholic 175 176 beverages on the premises in all areas and locations covered by the license.

177 g. Persons operating food concessions at exhibition or exposition halls, convention centers or similar 178 facilities located in any county operating under the urban county executive form of government or any

179 city which is completely surrounded by such county, which shall authorize the licensee to sell beer 180 during the event, in paper, plastic or similar disposable containers to patrons or attendees within all 181 seating areas, exhibition areas, concourses, walkways, concession areas, and such additional locations 182 designated by the Board in such facilities, for on-premises consumption. Upon authorization of the 183 licensee, any person may keep and consume his own lawfully acquired alcoholic beverages on the 184 premises in all areas and locations covered by the license. For purposes of this subsection, "exhibition or exposition halls" and "convention centers" mean facilities conducting private or public trade shows or 185 186 exhibitions in an indoor facility having in excess of 100,000 square feet of floor space.

187 6. Retail off-premises beer licenses, which shall authorize the licensee to sell beer in closed 188 containers for off-premises consumption and to deliver the beer to purchasers in accordance with Board 189 regulations. All such deliveries of beer shall be performed by the owner or any agent, officer, director, 190 shareholder or employee of the licensee.

191 7. Retail off-premises brewery licenses to persons holding a brewery license which shall authorize 192 the licensee to (i) sell beer at the place of business designated in the brewery license, in closed 193 containers which shall include growlers and other reusable containers, for off-premises consumption and 194 (ii) deliver the beer to purchasers in accordance with Board regulations. All such deliveries of beer shall 195 be performed by the owner or any agent, officers, directors, shareholders or employee of the licensee.

196 8. Retail on-and-off premises beer licenses to persons enumerated in subdivisions 5 a and d, which 197 shall accord all the privileges conferred by retail on-premises beer licenses and in addition, shall 198 authorize the licensee to sell beer in closed containers for off-premises consumption and to deliver the 199 beer to purchasers in accordance with Board regulations. All such deliveries of beer shall be performed 200 by the owner or any agent, officer, director, shareholder or employee of the licensee. 201

§ 4.1-209. Wine and beer licenses; advertising.

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- A. The Board may grant the following licenses relating to wine and beer:
- 1. Retail on-premises wine and beer licenses to:

204 a. Hotels, restaurants and clubs, which shall authorize the licensee to sell wine and beer, either with 205 or without meals, only in dining areas and other designated areas of such restaurants, or in dining areas, 206 private guest rooms, and other designated areas of such hotels or clubs, for consumption only in such 207 rooms and areas. However, with regard to a hotel classified by the Board as a resort complex, the Board 208 may authorize the sale and consumption of alcoholic beverages in all areas within the resort complex 209 deemed appropriate by the Board;

210 b. Persons operating dining cars, buffet cars, and club cars of trains, which shall authorize the 211 licensee to sell wine and beer, either with or without meals, in the dining cars, buffet cars, and club cars 212 so operated by them, for on-premises consumption when carrying passengers;

213 c. Persons operating sight-seeing boats, or special or charter boats, which shall authorize the licensee 214 to sell wine and beer, either with or without meals, on such boats operated by them for on-premises 215 consumption when carrying passengers;

216 d. Persons operating as air carriers of passengers on regular schedules in foreign, interstate or 217 intrastate commerce, which shall authorize the licensee to sell wine and beer for consumption by 218 passengers in such airplanes anywhere in or over the Commonwealth while in transit and in designated 219 rooms of establishments of such carriers at airports in the Commonwealth, § 4.1-129 notwithstanding;

220 e. Hospitals, which shall authorize the licensee to sell wine and beer in the rooms of patients for 221 their on-premises consumption only in such rooms, provided the consent of the patient's attending 222 physician is first obtained;

223 f. Persons operating food concessions at coliseums, stadia, or similar facilities, which shall authorize 224 the licensee to sell wine and beer in paper, plastic or similar disposable containers, during any event and 225 immediately subsequent thereto, to patrons within all seating areas, concourses, walkways, concession 226 areas and additional locations designated by the Board in such coliseums, stadia or similar facilities, for on-premises consumption. Upon authorization of the licensee, any person may keep and consume his 227 228 own lawfully acquired alcoholic beverages on the premises in all areas and locations covered by the 229 license;

230 g. Persons operating food concessions at any outdoor performing arts amphitheater, arena or similar 231 facility which (i) has seating for more than 20,000 persons and is located in any county with a 232 population between 210,000 and 216,000 or in any city with a population between 392,000 and 394,000, (ii) has capacity for more than 3,500 persons and is located in any county with a population between 233 234 65,000 and 70,000 or in a city with a population between 40,000 and 47,000, or (iii) has capacity for 235 more than 9,500 persons and is located in any county operated under the county manager form of 236 government. Such license shall authorize the licensee to sell wine and beer during the performance of 237 any event, in paper, plastic or similar disposable containers to patrons within all seating areas, 238 concourses, walkways, concession areas, or similar facilities, for on-premises consumption. Upon authorization of the licensee, any person may keep and consume his own lawfully acquired alcoholic 239

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240 beverages on the premises in all areas and locations covered by the license; and

241 h. Persons operating food concessions at exhibition or exposition halls, convention centers or similar 242 facilities located in any county operating under the urban county executive form of government or any 243 city which is completely surrounded by such county, which shall authorize the licensee to sell wine and 244 beer during the event, in paper, plastic or similar disposable containers to patrons or attendees within all 245 seating areas, exhibition areas, concourses, walkways, concession areas, and such additional locations 246 designated by the Board in such facilities, for on-premises consumption. Upon authorization of the 247 licensee, any person may keep and consume his own lawfully acquired alcoholic beverages on the 248 premises in all areas and locations covered by the license. For purposes of this subsection, "exhibition or 249 exposition hall" and "convention centers" mean facilities conducting private or public trade shows or 250 exhibitions in an indoor facility having in excess of 100,000 square feet of floor space.

251 2. Retail off-premises wine and beer licenses, which shall authorize the licensee to sell wine and beer
252 in closed containers for off-premises consumption and to deliver the same to purchasers in accordance
253 with Board regulations. All such deliveries of wine or beer shall be performed by the owner or any
254 agent, officer, director, shareholder or employee of the licensee.

3. Gourmet shop licenses, which shall authorize the licensee to sell wine and beer in closed containers for off-premises consumption and, the provisions of § 4.1-308 notwithstanding, to give to any person to whom wine or beer may be lawfully sold, (i) a sample of wine, not to exceed one ounce by volume or (ii) a sample of beer not to exceed two ounces by volume, for on-premises consumption.

259 4. Convenience grocery store licenses, which shall authorize the licensee to sell wine and beer in260 closed containers for off-premises consumption.

5. Retail on-and-off premises wine and beer licenses to persons enumerated in subdivision 1 a, which shall accord all the privileges conferred by retail on-premises wine and beer licenses and in addition, shall authorize the licensee to sell wine and beer in closed containers for off-premises consumption and to deliver the same to the purchasers, in accordance with Board regulations. All such deliveries of wine or beer shall be performed by the owner or any agent, officer, director, shareholder or employee of the licensee.

6. Banquet licenses to persons in charge of banquets, and to duly organized nonprofit corporations or 267 268 associations in charge of special events, which shall authorize the licensee to sell or give wine and beer 269 in rooms or areas approved by the Board for the occasion for on-premises consumption in such rooms 270 or areas. Except as provided in § 4.1-215, a separate license shall be required for each day of each 271 banquet or special event. For the purposes of this subdivision, when the location named in the original 272 application for a license is outdoors, the application may also name an alternative location in the event 273 of inclement weather. However, no such license shall be required of any hotel, restaurant, or club 274 holding a retail wine and beer license.

7. Gift shop licenses, which shall authorize the licensee to sell wine and beer unchilled, only within
the interior premises of the gift shop in closed containers for off-premises consumption and to deliver
the wine and beer to purchasers in accordance with Board regulations. All such deliveries of wine or
beer shall be performed by the owner or any agent, officer, director, shareholder or employee of the
licensee.

8. Gourmet brewing shop licenses, which shall authorize the licensee to sell to any person to whom
wine or beer may be lawfully sold, ingredients for making wine or brewing beer, including packaging,
and to rent to such persons facilities for manufacturing, fermenting, and bottling such wine or beer, for
off-premises consumption in accordance with subdivision 6 of § 4.1-200.

284 9. Annual banquet licenses, to duly organized private nonprofit fraternal, patriotic or charitable 285 membership organizations that are exempt from state and federal taxation and in charge of banquets 286 conducted exclusively for its members and their guests, which shall authorize the licensee to serve wine 287 and beer in rooms or areas approved by the Board for the occasion for on-premises consumption in such 288 rooms or areas. Such license shall authorize the licensee to conduct no more than 12 banquets per 289 calendar year. For the purposes of this subdivision, when the location named in the original application 290 for a license is outdoors, the application may also name an alternative location in the event of inclement weather. However, no such license shall be required of any hotel, restaurant, or club holding a retail 291 292 wine and beer license.

293 B. Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary, persons granted a wine and beer license 294 pursuant to this section may display within their licensed premises point-of-sale advertising materials 295 that incorporate the use of any professional athlete or athletic team, provided that such advertising 296 materials: (i) otherwise comply with the applicable regulations of the Federal Bureau of Alcohol, 297 Tobacco and Firearms; and (ii) do not depict any athlete consuming or about to consume alcohol prior 298 to or while engaged in an athletic activity; do not depict an athlete consuming alcohol while the athlete 299 is operating or about to operate a motor vehicle or other machinery; and do not imply that the alcoholic 300 beverage so advertised enhances athletic prowess.

- 301 § 4.1-231. Taxes on state licenses.
- 302 A. The annual fees on state licenses shall be as follows:
- 303 1. Alcoholic beverage licenses. For each:

a. Distiller's license, if not more than 5,000 gallons of alcohol or spirits, or both, manufactured during the year in which the license is granted, \$450; and if more than 5,000 gallons manufactured 304 305 306 during such year, \$3,725;

- b. Fruit distiller's license, \$3,725; 307
- 308 c. Banquet facility license or museum license, \$190;
- 309 d. Bed and breakfast establishment license, \$35;
- 310 e. Tasting license, \$40 per license granted; and
- 311 f. Equine sporting event license, \$130.
- 312 2. Wine licenses. For each:

313 a. Winery license, if not more than 5,000 gallons of wine manufactured during the year in which the license is granted, \$189, and if more than 5,000 gallons manufactured during such year, \$3,725; 314

b. Wholesale wine license, \$185 for any wholesaler who sells 30,000 gallons of wine or less per 315 year, \$930 for any wholesaler who sells more than 30,000 gallons per year but not more than 150,000 316 317 gallons of wine or less per year, \$1,430 for any wholesaler who sells more than 150,000 but not more 318 than 300,000 gallons of wine per year, and, \$1,860 for any wholesaler who sells more than 300,000 319 gallons of wine per year;

- 320 c. Wine importer's license, \$370;
- 321 d. Retail off-premises winery license, \$145;
- 322 e. Farm winery license, \$190 for any Class A license and \$3,725 for any Class B license;
- 323 f. Wine shipper's license, \$65; and
- 324 g. Day spa license, \$100.
- 325 3. Beer licenses. For each:

a. Brewery license, if not more than 10,000 barrels of beer manufactured during the year in which 326 327 the license is granted, \$2,150, and if more than 10,000 barrels manufactured during such year, \$4,300; 328

b. Bottler's license, \$1,430;

329 c. Wholesale beer license, \$930 for any wholesaler who sells 300,000 cases of beer a year or less, 330 and \$1,430 for any wholesaler who sells more than 300,000 but not more than 600,000 cases of beer a year, and \$1,860 for any wholesaler who sells more than 600,000 cases of beer a year; 331 332

d. Beer importer's license, \$370;

333 e. Retail on-premises beer license to a hotel, restaurant, club or other person, except a common 334 carrier of passengers by train or boat, \$145; for each such license to a common carrier of passengers by 335 train or boat, \$145 per annum for each of the average number of boats, dining cars, buffet cars or club 336 cars operated daily in the Commonwealth; 337

f. Retail off-premises beer license, \$120;

338 g. Retail on-and-off premises beer license to a hotel, restaurant, club or grocery store located in a 339 town or in a rural area outside the corporate limits of any city or town, \$300; and 340

h. Beer shipper's license, \$65.

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4. Wine and beer licenses. For each:

342 a. Retail on-premises wine and beer license to a hotel, restaurant, club or other person, except a 343 common carrier of passengers by train, boat or airplane, \$300; for each such license to a common 344 carrier of passengers by train or boat, \$300 per annum for each of the average number of boats, dining 345 cars, buffet cars or club cars operated daily in the Commonwealth, and for each such license granted to 346 a common carrier of passengers by airplane, \$750; 347

b. Retail on-premises wine and beer license to a hospital, \$145;

348 c. Retail off-premises wine and beer license, including each gift shop, gourmet shop and convenience 349 grocery store license, \$230;

350 d. Retail on-and-off premises wine and beer license to a hotel, restaurant or club, \$600;

351 e. Banquet license, \$40 per license granted by the Board, except for banquet licenses granted by the 352 Board pursuant to subsection A of § 4.1-215 for events occurring on more than one day, which shall be \$100 per license; 353 354

- f. Gourmet brewing shop license, \$230;
- g. Wine and beer shipper's license, \$65; and 355
- 356 h. Annual banquet license, \$150.
- 357 5. Mixed beverage licenses. For each:

358 a. Mixed beverage restaurant license granted to persons operating restaurants, including restaurants 359 located on premises of and operated by hotels or motels, or other persons:

360 (i) With a seating capacity at tables for up to 100 persons, \$560;

(ii) With a seating capacity at tables for more than 100 but not more than 150 persons, \$975; and 361

**362** (iii) With a seating capacity at tables for more than 150 persons, \$1,430.

b. Mixed beverage restaurant license for restaurants located on the premises of and operated byprivate, nonprofit clubs:

365 (i) With an average yearly membership of not more than 200 resident members, \$750;

366 (ii) With an average yearly membership of more than 200 but not more than 500 resident members, 367 \$1.860; and

- **368** (iii) With an average yearly membership of more than 500 resident members, \$2,765.
- **369** c. Mixed beverage caterer's license, \$1,860;
- d. Mixed beverage special events license, \$45 for each day of each event;
- e. Mixed beverage club events licenses, \$35 for each day of each event;
- f. Annual mixed beverage special events license, \$560;
- 373 g. Mixed beverage carrier license:
- (i) \$190 for each of the average number of dining cars, buffet cars or club cars operated daily in theCommonwealth by a common carrier of passengers by train;
- 376 (ii) \$560 for each common carrier of passengers by boat;
- 377 (iii) \$1,475 for each license granted to a common carrier of passengers by airplane.
- h. Annual mixed beverage amphitheater license, \$560;
- i. Annual mixed beverage motor sports race track license, \$560; and
- **380** j. Annual mixed beverage banquet license, \$500.
- 381 6. Temporary licenses. For each temporary license authorized by § 4.1-211, one-half of the tax382 imposed by this section on the license for which the applicant applied.
- B. The tax on each such license, except banquet and mixed beverage special events licenses, shall be subject to proration to the following extent: If the license is granted in the second quarter of any year, the tax shall be decreased by one-fourth; if granted in the third quarter of any year, the tax shall be decreased by one-half; and if granted in the fourth quarter of any year, the tax shall be decreased by three-fourths.
- 388 If the license on which the tax is prorated is a distiller's license to manufacture not more than 5,000 gallons of alcohol or spirits, or both, during the year in which the license is granted, or a winery license to manufacture not more than 5,000 gallons of wine during the year in which the license is granted, the number of gallons permitted to be manufactured shall be prorated in the same manner.
- 392 Should the holder of a distiller's license or a winery license to manufacture not more than 5,000 393 gallons of alcohol or spirits, or both, or wine, apply during the license year for an unlimited distiller's or 394 winery license, such person shall pay for such unlimited license a license tax equal to the amount that 395 would have been charged had such license been applied for at the time that the license to manufacture 396 less than 5,000 gallons of alcohol or spirits or wine, as the case may be, was granted, and such person 397 shall be entitled to a refund of the amount of license tax previously paid on the limited license.
- 398 Notwithstanding the foregoing, the tax on each license granted or reissued for a period of less than
  12 months shall be equal to one-twelfth of the taxes required by subsection A computed to the nearest
  400 cent, multiplied by the number of months in the license period.
- 401 C. Nothing in this chapter shall exempt any licensee from any state merchants' license or state 402 restaurant license or any other state tax. Every licensee, in addition to the taxes imposed by this chapter, 403 shall be liable to state merchants' license taxation and state restaurant license taxation and other state **404** taxation the same as if the alcoholic beverages were nonalcoholic. In ascertaining the liability of a beer 405 wholesaler to merchants' license taxation, however, and in computing the wholesale merchants' license 406 tax on a beer wholesaler, the first \$163,800 of beer purchases shall be disregarded; and in ascertaining 407 the liability of a wholesale wine distributor to merchants' license taxation, and in computing the 408 wholesale merchants' license tax on a wholesale wine distributor, the first \$163,800 of wine purchases 409 shall be disregarded.