

Department of Planning and Budget 2008 Fiscal Impact Statement

1. Bill Number: HB1171

House of Origin	<input type="checkbox"/>	Introduced	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Substitute	<input type="checkbox"/>	Engrossed
Second House	<input type="checkbox"/>	In Committee	<input type="checkbox"/>	Substitute	<input type="checkbox"/>	Enrolled

2. Patron: Cosgrove

3. Committee: ABC/Gaming

4. Title: **Alcoholic beverage control; prohibited acts; grounds for suspension or revocation of mixed beverage license; exceptions.**

5. Summary: This bill adds several provisions under which the Alcoholic Beverage Control (ABC) Board can suspend or revoke licenses other than a brewery license. The bill also provides that the grounds for suspension or revocation of a mixed beverage license relating to obscene conduct, language, literature, pictures, etc, do not apply to persons operating theaters, concert halls, art centers, museums, or similar establishments that are devoted primarily to the arts or theatrical performances, when the performances that are presented are not obscene and are expressing matters of serious literary, artistic, scientific, or political value. Nor do the provisions added under which the ABC Board can suspend or revoke licenses other than a brewery license apply to licensees operating theaters, concert halls, art centers, museums, or similar establishments that are devoted primarily to the arts or theatrical performances when the performances are not obscene and are expressing matters of serious literary, artistic, scientific, or political value.

6. No Fiscal Impact: Preliminary.

7. Budget Amendment Necessary: No.

8. Fiscal Implications: According to the Department of Alcoholic and Beverage Control, this bill has no fiscal impact.

9. Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected: Department of Alcoholic and Beverage Control

10. Technical Amendment Necessary: No.

11. Other Comments: No.

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