

**Department of Planning and Budget**  
**2008 Fiscal Impact Statement**

**1. Bill Number:** HB694

House of Origin	<u>  X  </u>	Introduced	<u>      </u>	Substitute	<u>      </u>	Engrossed
Second House	<u>      </u>	In Committee	<u>      </u>	Substitute	<u>      </u>	Enrolled

**2. Patron:** Armstrong

**3. Committee:** General Laws

**4. Title:** Alcoholic beverage control; wine tastings by gourmet shop licensees

**5. Summary:** Allows gourmet shop licensees to sell or give samples of wine or beer at tastings sponsored by the licensee for its customers for on-premises consumption. Additionally, with the consent of the licensee, farm wineries, wineries, and breweries may participate in tastings held by licensees authorized to conduct tastings, including the pouring of samples to any person to whom alcoholic beverages may be lawfully sold.

**6. No Fiscal Impact:** Preliminary.

**7. Budget Amendment Necessary:** No.

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

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

**10. Technical Amendment Necessary:** No.

**11. Other Comments:** No.

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