

No. 1986-29

AN ACT

HB 1549

Amending the act of April 12, 1951 (P.L.90, No.21), entitled "An act relating to alcoholic liquors, alcohol and malt and brewed beverages; amending, revising, consolidating and changing the laws relating thereto; regulating and restricting the manufacture, purchase, sale, possession, consumption, importation, transportation, furnishing, holding in bond, holding in storage, traffic in and use of alcoholic liquors, alcohol and malt and brewed beverages and the persons engaged or employed therein; defining the powers and duties of the Pennsylvania Liquor Control Board; providing for the establishment and operation of State liquor stores, for the payment of certain license fees to the respective municipalities and townships, for the abatement of certain nuisances and, in certain cases, for search and seizure without warrant; prescribing penalties and forfeitures; providing for local option, and repealing existing laws," providing for special provisions for exchange of hotel liquor licenses.

The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania hereby enacts as follows:

Section 1. The act of April 12, 1951 (P.L.90, No.21), known as the Liquor Code, is amended by adding a section to read:

Section 470.2. Exchange of Hotel Liquor License; Special Provisions.—
In any case where the board finds that the holder of a hotel liquor license cannot comply with the provisions of section 461(c) because during 1985 the premises for which said license was issued was destroyed or substantially damaged by a natural disaster which resulted in a Presidential declaration of an emergency or of a major disaster, the board shall, notwithstanding the quota provisions of this act, upon receipt of an application for a restaurant liquor license together with appropriate fees and bond, receive the hotel liquor license and issue, in exchange for said license, a restaurant liquor license.

Section 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

APPROVED—The 17th day of April, A. D. 1986.

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