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#### AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL NO. 189

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Amend Bill, page 1, line 22, by inserting after "for" 1 breweries and for 2 Amend Bill, page 7, by inserting between lines 27 and 28 3 Section 4. Section 446 of the act is amended by adding a 4 5 subsection to read: Section 446. Breweries. --\* \* \* 6 (c) (1) The holder of a brewery license may, at the 7 discretion of the board, obtain a farmers market permit. The 8 permit shall entitle the holder to participate in more than one 9 farmers market at any given time and an unlimited number 10 throughout the year and sell malt or brewed beverages produced 11 under the authority of the underlying brewery license by the 12 growler, the bottle or package not to exceed one hundred forty-13 four ounces. Samples not to exceed four fluid ounces per brand 14 of malt or brewed beverages may be offered free of charge. A 15 farmers market permit shall be issued upon proper application 16 and payment of an annual fee of two hundred fifty dollars 17 (\$250.00). A permit holder may participate in more than one 18 farmers market at any given time. Sales by permit holders shall 19 take place during the standard hours of operation of the farmers 20 market. Written notice of the date, times and location the 21 permit is to be used at shall be provided by the permit holder 22 to the enforcement bureau at least two (2) weeks prior to the 23 event. Except as provided in this subsection, breweries 24 utilizing farmers market permits shall be governed by all 25 applicable provisions of this act as well as by all applicable 26 regulations adopted by the board. 27 (2) The permit authorized by this section is only available 28 to a brewery that qualifies as a manufacturer as authorized 29 under section 431(a) and has not named or constituted a 30 distributor or importing distributor as a primary or original 31 supplier of the product under section 431(b). Only malt or 32 brewed beverages for which the brewery is responsible for paying 33 the malt beverage tax shall be considered in calculating the 34 total number of barrels produced each year. All brands of malt 35 or brewed beverages sold or provided under the authority of the 36 farmers market permit must be registered as set forth by this 37

act. 1 The term "farmers market" as used in this section shall 2 include a building, structure or other place: 3 (i) owned, leased or otherwise in the possession of a 4 person, municipal corporation or public or private organization; 5 (ii) used or intended to be used by two or more farmers or 6 an association of farmers, who are certified by the Department 7 of Agriculture to participate in the Farmers Market Nutrition Program subject to 7 CFR Pt. 249 (relating to Senior Farmers' 9 Market Nutrition Program (SFMNP)), for the purpose of selling 10 agricultural commodities produced in this Commonwealth directly 11 to consumers; 12 (iii) which is physically located within this Commonwealth; 13 14 and (iv) which is not open for business more than twelve hours 15 each day. 16 The term "growler" as used in this section shall mean a 17 refillable container that holds a minimum of thirty-two fluid 18 ounces of malt and brewed beverages. 19 Amend Bill, page 7, line 28, by striking out "4" and 20 inserting 21 5 22 Amend Bill, page 12, line 5, by striking out "5" and 23 inserting 24 25 6 Amend Bill, page 12, line 15, by striking out "6" and 26

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- Amend Bill, page 1, lines 27 and 28; page 2, lines 1 and 2;

  by striking out all of said lines on said pages and inserting

  Section 1. The definitions of "eligible entity" and

  "performing arts facilities" in section 102 of the act of April

  12, 1951 (P.L.90, No.21), known as the Liquor Code, reenacted

  and amended June 29, 1987 (P.L.32, No.14) and amended June 25,

  2010 (P.L.217, No.35) and July 5, 2012 (P.L.1007, No.116), are

  amended to read:

  Amend Bill, page 5, by inserting between lines 16 and 17
- "Performing arts facilities" shall mean those halls or 10 theaters in which live musical, concert, dance, ballet and 11 legitimate play book-length productions are performed. 12 Performing arts facilities shall not mean those halls or 13 theaters in which burlesque shows or reviews are performed. If 14 the operator of the performing arts facility is a nonprofit 15 entity, the facility must have permanently affixed seating for 16 at least [two hundred fifty (250)] one hundred fifty (150) 17 people; otherwise, the facility must have permanently affixed 18 seating for at least twenty-five hundred (2,500) people. 19

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Amend Bill, page 2, lines 7 through 30; pages 3 and 4, lines 1 1 through 30; page 5, lines 1 through 15; by striking out all of said lines on said pages and inserting 3 "Eligible entity" shall mean a city of the third class, a 4 hospital, a church, a synagogue, a volunteer fire company, a 5 volunteer ambulance company, a volunteer rescue squad, a unit of a nationally chartered club which has been issued a club liquor 7 license, a club which has been issued a club liquor license and 8 which, as of December 31, 2002, has been in existence for at 9 least 100 years, a library, a nationally accredited Pennsylvania 10 nonprofit zoological institution licensed by the United States 11 Department of Agriculture, a nonprofit agricultural association 12 in existence for at least ten years, a bona fide sportsmen's 13 club in existence for at least ten years, a nationally chartered 14 veterans' organization and any affiliated lodge or subdivision 15 of such organization, a fraternal benefit society that is 16 licensed to do business in this Commonwealth and any affiliated 17 lodge or subdivision of such fraternal benefit society, a museum 18 operated by a nonprofit corporation, a nonprofit corporation 19 engaged in the performing arts, an arts council, a nonprofit 20 corporation that operates an arts facility or museum, a 21 nonprofit organization as defined under section 501(c)(3) of the 22 Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (Public Law 99-514, 26 U.S.C. § 23 501(c)(3)) whose purpose is to protect the architectural 24 heritage of boroughs or a township of the second class and which 25 has been recognized as such by a municipal resolution, a 26 nonprofit organization as defined under section 501(c)(3) of the 27 Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (Public Law 99-514, 26 U.S.C. § 28 501(c)(3)) conducting a regatta in a city of the second class 29 with the permit to be used on State park grounds or conducting a 30 family-oriented celebration as part of Welcome America in a city 31 of the first class on property leased from that city for more 32 than fifty years, a nonprofit organization as defined under 33 section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (26 34 U.S.C. § 501(c)(3)) whose purpose is to raise funds for the 35 research and treatment of cystic fibrosis, a nonprofit 36 organization as defined under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal 37

Revenue Code of 1986 (26 U.S.C. § 501(c)(3)) whose purpose is to educate the public on issues dealing with watershed 2 conservation, a nonprofit organization as defined under section 3 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (Public Law 99-4 514, 26 U.S.C. § 501(c)(3)) whose purpose is to provide equine 5 assisted activities for children and adults with special needs, 6 a nonprofit economic development agency in a city of the second 7 class with the primary function to serve as an economic generator for the greater southwestern Pennsylvania region by 9 attracting and supporting film, television and related media 10 industry projects and coordinating government and business 11 offices in support of a production, a county tourist promotion 12 agency as defined in section 3(1) of the act of April 28, 1961 13 (P.L.111, No.50), known as the "Tourist Promotion Law," a junior 14 league that is a nonprofit organization as defined under section 15 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (26 U.S.C. § 16 501(c)(3)) that is comprised of women whose purpose is 17 exclusively educational and charitable in promoting the 18 volunteerism of women and developing and participating in 19 community projects and that has been in existence for over 20 seventy years, a nonprofit organization as defined under section 21 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 and whose purpose 22 is the education and promotion of American history, a nonprofit 23 organization as defined under section 501(c)(6) of the Internal 24 Revenue Code of 1986 whose purpose is to support business and 25 industry, a brewery which has been issued a license to 26 manufacture malt or brewed beverages and has been in existence 27 for at least 100 years or a club recognized by Rotary 28 International and whose purpose is to provide service to others, 29 to promote high ethical standards and to advance world 30 understanding, goodwill and peace through its fellowship of 31 business, professional and community leaders or a nonprofit 32 organization as defined under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal 33 Revenue Code of 1986 (Public Law 99-514, 26 U.S.C. § 501(c)(3)) 34 whose purpose is to promote mushrooms while supporting local and regional charities, a museum operated by a not-for-profit 36 corporation in a city of the second class A, a nonprofit 37 organization as defined under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal 38 Revenue Code of 1986 which is located in a city of the second 39 class A and has as its purpose economic and community 40 development, a nonprofit organization as defined under section 41 501(c)(3) or (6) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 that is 42 located in a city of the third class in a county of the fifth 43 class, a nonprofit social service organization defined under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 located 45 in a county of the third class whose purpose is to serve 46 individuals and families in that county of the third class, a 47 nonprofit organization as defined under section 501(c)(3) of the 48 Internal Revenue Code of 1986 whose main purpose is to 49 temporarily foster stray and unwanted animals and match them to 50 suitable permanent homes or a nonprofit organization as defined 51

- under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 who operates either a Main Street Program or Elm Street Program 2
- recognized by the Commonwealth, the National Trust for Historic 3
- Preservation or both, a nonprofit radio station that is a member
- of the National Public Radio network, a nonprofit public 5
- television station that is a member of the Pennsylvania Public 6
- Television Network [or], a nonprofit organization as defined 7
- under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986
- whose purpose is to promote awareness, education and research 9
- and to provide a support system for patients with neutropenia 10
- and their families through a national resource network[.], a 11
- nonprofit organization as defined under section 501(c)(3) of the 12
- Internal Revenue Code of 1986 whose main purpose is to stimulate 13
- community development by facilitating residential and retail 14
- growth in a city of the second class located in a county of the 15
- second class or a nonprofit community development corporation 16
- organized under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code 17
- of 1986 that serves an adjoining borough and township in a 18 county of the second class and whose main purpose is to
- 19 facilitate commercial development and foster neighborhood 20
- stabilization. 21

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- Amend Bill, page 7, line 30, by inserting after
  Commonwealth] and Spirits
- 4 Amend Bill, page 8, line 5, by inserting a bracket before
- 5 "person"
- Amend Bill, page 8, line 5, by striking out "the board or"
- 7 Amend Bill, page 8, line 6, by striking out the bracket
- 8 before the comma after "producer"
- 9 Amend Bill, page 8, line 7, by inserting after "retailer]"
- 10 brand owner or a person authorized by a brand owner
- Amend Bill, page 8, line 7, by inserting after "wine" where
- 12 it occurs the first time
- 13 or spirits
- Amend Bill, page 8, line 18, by striking out "wine"
- Amend Bill, page 8, line 25, by striking out the period after
- 16 "applicable" and inserting
- , or Federal permit; and, in the case of an exclusive agent
- 18 of the brand owner, provide written documentation evidencing
- 19 that the brand owner has certified that its product may be
- 20 shipped into the State by such person. Such documentation shall
- 21 be retained by the State for a minimum period of three years.
- 22 Amend Bill, page 12, by inserting between lines 1 and 2
- 23 (j) The term "brand owner," in the case of domestic
- 24 distilled spirits, as used in this section shall mean a
- 25 distiller, vintner, producer, owner of the product at the time

- 1 <u>it becomes marketable, bottler or the exclusive agent for any</u>
  2 <u>such person. In the case of distilled spirits and wine imported</u>
- such person. In the case of distilled spilled and a foreign distiller, into the United States, the term shall mean a foreign distiller,
- 4 vintner, producer, owner, bottler or the prime importer for, or
- 5 the exclusive agent in the United States of, the foreign
- 6 distiller, vintner, producer, owner or bottler.
- 7 (k) The term "authorization," in the case of a brand owner,
- 8 as used in this section shall mean written documentation
- 9 evidencing that the brand owner has certified that its product
- 10 may be shipped into this Commonwealth by such person.
- 11 Amend Bill, page 12, line 2, by striking out "(j)" and
- 12 inserting
- 13 (1)