

**WORKING DRAFT**

HOUSE BILL NO. \_\_\_\_\_

Liquor licenses.

Sponsored by: Joint Corporations, Elections and Political  
Subdivisions Interim Committee

A BILL

for

1 AN ACT relating to alcoholic beverages; modifying the  
2 population formula for retail liquor licenses and malt  
3 beverage permits; modifying the number of authorized  
4 licenses and permits issued by county commissioners;  
5 providing for county malt beverage permit locations; and  
6 providing for an effective date.

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8 *Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Wyoming:*

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10 **Section 1.** W.S. 12-4-201(d)(iii), (f)(ii) and (iii)  
11 is amended to read:

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13 **12-4-201. Retail liquor licenses and malt beverage**  
14 **permits; population formulas; fees.**

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1           (d) Effective January 1, 1986, the number of retail  
2 liquor licenses issued shall be based on the following  
3 population formula:

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5           (iii) Not more than one (1) additional license  
6 for each additional full ~~three thousand (3,000)~~ two  
7 thousand five hundred (2,500) population over nine thousand  
8 five hundred (9,500).

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10          (f) Retail liquor licenses and malt beverage permits  
11 may be granted by the county commissioners as the  
12 appropriate licensing authority in a county outside of  
13 incorporated cities and towns as follows:

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15           (ii) No more than ~~three (3)~~ six (6) retail  
16 liquor licenses issued for locations within five (5) miles  
17 of the corporate limits of a city or town; and

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19           (iii) Malt beverage permits may be issued for  
20 county locations ~~beyond a five (5) mile zone around~~  
21 ~~incorporated cities and towns~~ without regard to  
22 population-, with no more than three (3) malt beverage  
23 permits being issued for locations within the five (5) mile  
24 zone around incorporated cities and town.

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**Section 2.** This act is effective July 1, 2006

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