SENATE FILE NO. SF0113

Retail purchases of alcoholic liquors for resale.

Sponsored by: Senator(s) Gierau, Anselmi-Dalton and Driskill and Representative(s) Schwartz, Sweeney and Walters

A BILL

for

- 1 AN ACT relating to the sale of alcoholic liquors; authorizing
- 2 purchases from retail liquor licensees for resale as
- 3 specified; and providing for an effective date.

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5 Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Wyoming:

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- 7 **Section 1.** W.S. 12-2-301(a) and 12-4-201(a) and by
- 8 creating a new subsection (j) are amended to read:

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10 **12-2-301.** Generally.

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- 12 (a) The division is the exclusive wholesale distributor
- 13 and seller of alcoholic liquor within Wyoming. It is granted
- 14 the sole right to sell alcoholic liquors at wholesale, and no
- 15 licensee or permittee who is granted the right to sell,

- 1 distribute or receive alcoholic liquors at retail shall
- 2 purchase any alcoholic liquors from any source other than the
- 3 division, unless as authorized pursuant to W.S. 12-4-201(j)
- 4 or as otherwise expressly authorized by state law. Any
- 5 out-of-state shipment of alcoholic liquor or malt beverage
- 6 into this state is prohibited unless otherwise expressly
- 7 authorized by state law.

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- 9 12-4-201. Retail liquor licenses and malt beverage
- 10 permits; population formulas; fees.

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- 12 (a) A retail liquor license is the authority under
- 13 which a licensee is permitted to sell alcoholic liquor or
- 14 malt beverages for use or consumption but not for resale,
- 15 except as otherwise provided for by this section.

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- 17 (j) Licensees authorized to sell alcoholic liquors at
- 18 retail may purchase for resale not more than nine (9) liters
- 19 <u>of alcoholic liquors per week from a retail licensee</u>
- 20 <u>authorized pursuant to this section</u>. <u>Purchases of alcoholic</u>
- 21 liquors authorized pursuant to this subsection shall be

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22 conducted in accordance with the following:

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1	(i) The seller shall record on a form furnished by
2	the division all of the following:
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4	(A) The name and signature of the licensee
5	making the purchase;
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7	(B) The date and time of the purchase.
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9	(ii) The form collected pursuant to paragraph (i)
10	of this subsection shall be maintained by the seller of the
11	alcoholic liquor for not less than one (1) year after the
12	date of the sale. The form shall be available upon request
13	for the division to inspect.
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15	Section 2. This act is effective July 1, 2019.
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17	(END)