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Catch Title: Resort hotel liquor licenses.

Has Report: No

Subject: Authorizing the issuance of resort hotel liquor licenses.

Summary/Major Elements:

 This act authorizes the appropriate licensing authority in counties, cities, and towns to issue resort hotel liquor licenses to the owners or lessees of a resort hotel.

- In order to qualify for a resort hotel liquor license, the resort hotel must:
 - Have an actual valuation of (or a commitment to expend or have actually expended) five million dollars (\$5,000,000.00).
 - o Include a full-service restaurant that generally is open during business hours.
 - o Include at least twenty (20) sleeping rooms for short-term occupancy.
 - o Providing in-room dining services for at least twelve (12) hours each day.
 - o Provide facilities for business meetings for at least fifty (50) participants.
- Resort hotel liquor licenses are not subject to the population formula that limits retail liquor licenses in counties, cities, and towns.
- The annual fee for a resort hotel liquor license is between five hundred dollars (\$500.00) and three thousand dollars (\$3,000.00).
- Resort hotels are authorized in the act to sell an unopened bottle of liquor or wine to a registered guest for consumption on the premises of the resort hotel.

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