

2013 State Alcohol Retailer Legislation of Interest | BY STATE

STATE	BILL	TOPIC	SUMMARY
Arkansas	HB 1108	Sunday Sales	Allows a referendum election by ordinance regarding Sunday sales of alcohol in a city, town, or county.
Arkansas	SB 291	Prohibits credit card surcharges	Prohibits merchants from imposing surcharges on a buyer who elects to use a credit card.
Arizona	SB 1129	Bottle Deposit	Beverage Containers; Recycling Fund; Redemption
Colorado	No Bill #	Beer in convenience stores	Senator Jeanne Nicholson, (D), Blackhawk and Senator Angela Giron, (D), Pueblo will be introducing legislation to “license” tobacco retailers – c-stores, grocery stores, liquor stores, etc.
Colorado	HB 1178	Beer in grocery and convenience stores	Representative Kevin Priola, (R), Brighton, will be introducing a bill to put craft beer in grocery and convenience stores and to increase the number of liquor store or pharmacy liquor licensed businesses from the current 1 to 5.
Colorado	SB 43	Licensing	Removing alcohol from on premise licensed establishments
Colorado	SB 54	Underage Access	Permitting parents to purchase alcohol for minor children in on-premise establishments; Adult children, 18-20, accompanied by parent, guardian, or spouse could be served 1 alcohol beverage.
Colorado	SB 59	Licensing	Currently the statutes prohibit peace officers from owning liquor licensed businesses. The lifting of the prohibition makes sense ONLY if the peace officer does not own a business in the jurisdiction in which he/she enforces the law. We will ask for an amendment to address the jurisdiction issue.
Colorado	SB 62	Firearms	Establishes civil liability for businesses that prohibit weapons on the business premise
Colorado	SB 84	Wholesaler Discounts	Permits wholesalers to offer cumulative discounts to retailers. Such discounts were allowed prior to 2008. Wholesalers prevailed during regulatory hearings and the permission was rescinded.
Connecticut	HB 5519	Underage Penalties	To increase the penalties for minors who possess, purchase or attempt to purchase alcohol and for persons who give alcohol to minors or facilitate the purchase of alcohol by minors.
Connecticut	HB 6211	Tastings	To allow the offering and tasting of samples of distilled spirits at the places of business where they are produced.
Connecticut	HB 6212	Tastings	Concerns wine tasting at package stores; bases wine tasting limits on market interest.
Connecticut	SB 254	Bottle Deposit	To exempt small businesses holding permits allowing on-premises consumption of alcoholic liquor from bottle bill requirements.
Connecticut	SB 317	Distillery Sales	To create a distillery pub alcoholic liquor permit.
Connecticut	SB 725	Taxes	To remove the sales tax on alcohol and tobacco and replace it with a tax at the wholesale level.
Connecticut	SB 747	Task Force Creation	To create a task force to study alcoholic liquor laws and consumer protection issues in Connecticut.
Connecticut	SB 748	Credit	To reform credit policies relating to retail alcoholic liquor establishments.
Connecticut	SB 749	Minimum Pricing	To repeal alcoholic liquor minimum pricing requirements and to permit package stores to sell snack foods.
Connecticut	SB 750	Sunday Sales	To extend Sunday liquor sales hours for certain alcoholic liquor permit holders.
Connecticut	SB 753	Sunday Sales	To allow restaurants to begin serving alcoholic liquor on Sundays at the same time package stores may sell it.
DC	B 19-824	Sunday Sales	Omnibus Alcoholic Beverage Regulation Amendment Act of 2012

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Florida	HB 347	Licensing	Revises provisions with respect to licensure & operation of distilleries; provides requirements for craft distilleries; provides for sale of distilled spirits by licensed distilleries under certain conditions; provides reporting requirements; prohibits shipment of certain distilled spirits; provides for transportation of distilled spirits by licensed distilleries under certain conditions; provides requirements relating to payment of taxes.
Florida	HB 5	Social Host	Applies restrictions formerly applicable to open house parties to all open parties & not solely those parties occurring in residence; prohibits person from allowing open party to take place; revises exemption.
Florida	HB 623	Wine Kegs	Would allow distributors and manufacturers to sell "wine kegs," or large wine containers, to businesses. Previous legislation limited the size of wine canisters to one gallon; the changes would allow an increase to <u>six gallons per container.</u>
Florida	SB 658	Wine Kegs	Companion to HB 658
Georgia	HB 58	Alcohol Sensors	To require that retail consumption dealers and retail dealers who sell alcoholic beverages for consumption on the premises shall make available to patrons alcohol sensors for the purpose of voluntarily testing personal alcohol consumption; to authorize the use of vending machine alcohol sensors; to provide for civil penalties; to provide for related matters; to provide for an effective date; to repeal conflicting laws; and for <u>other purposes.</u>
Georgia	HB 67	DUI	Would provide for additional penalties to expand the Brain and Spinal Injury Trust Fund for DUI & BUI convictions; reckless driving, operating a motorcycle without protective headgear, or illegally parking in a <u>disability parking space.</u>
Georgia	HB 84	Cigar Taxes	Would further legally define "cigar" in statute.
Georgia	HB 99	Malt Beverages	Would change the amount of malt beverages from 50 gallons to 100 or 200 gallons, with no more than 50 gallons in a 90 day period; would also allow for up to 25 gallons to be transported to special events if a home brew special even permit is acquired @ \$50.
Georgia	HB 113	DUI	Would allow for the purging of records of convictions of minors for DUI, alcohol or drugs, after five years, under some circumstances.
Georgia	HB 124	Sunday Sales	Would provide that if more than one-half of voters rejected sale of beer, wine, and liquor in a referendum following a referendum in which the sale of beer and wine had prevailed, the second election would not <u>trump the first election.</u>
Georgia	HB 137	Wine Gift Basket Authorization	Would provide for the issuance of \$50 retail wine gift basket license for gift baskets containing not more than two liters of wine, including the sale, delivery, or shipment of gift baskets; provided wine is purchased <u>from a retailer or farm winery.</u>
Georgia	HB 138	EBT Card Prohibitions	Would outright prohibit customer access to cash assistance through any EFT in ATM or point-of-sale devices <u>located in a package liquor store or an adult oriented entertainment establishment.</u>
Georgia	HB 141	Human Trafficking	Would require beverage alcohol COP (Bars, etc.), massage parlors, hotels, etc. to post notices for help <u>against human trafficking.</u>
Georgia	HB 142	Ethics	Comprehensive redo of State Ethics Law

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Georgia	HB 185	Distillery Sales	Authorizes retail sales of distilled spirits manufactured by a distillery to be sold on the premises of such distillery, defines certain terms, requires a license for retail sales, specifies the quantity of distilled spirits that may be sold at retail, provides for the conditions under which such retail sales may be conducted, provides for the collection of excise taxes.
Georgia	HR 24	DUI	Would amend GA Constitution to allow for implementation of HB 67.
Georgia	SB 58	DUI	Would raise the age of a child from 14 to 16 years of age to constitute offense of endangering a child by driving DUI of alcohol or drugs, and increase penalties for same.
Georgia	SB 61	Self-Storage Act	Would create the Self-Service Storage Facility Act of 2013.
Georgia	SB 67	Sales Taxes	Would require DOR to prepare and post on its website a monthly report showing the net receipts from online dealers for collection of sales tax on products sold in Georgia.
Hawaii	HB 900	Bottle Deposit	Establishes a tiered glass advanced disposal fee system based on the capacity of a glass container.
Hawaii	HB 1062	Bottle Deposit	Increases the size of a deposit glass beverage container from sixty-eight to one hundred twenty-eight fluid ounces. Adds building materials as a purpose under the glass recovery program. Adds wine, spirits, and milk and other dairy-derived products to the definition of "deposit beverage". Increases the size of a deposit beverage container from sixty-eight to one hundred twenty-eight fluid ounces. Takes effect 1/1/2014.
Hawaii	HB 1123	Taxes	Reduces the gallonage tax on the first 60,000 barrels of beer brewed or produced during a taxable year by a small brewery or brewpub in the State to \$0.23 per gallon of beer.
Hawaii	HB 1126	Alcohol Advertising	Requires beers sold or distributed in the State whose labels convey the impression that the beers were produced in Hawaii to indicate otherwise if not produced in the State.
Hawaii	HB 1314	Distillery Sales	Establishes new class of Liquor Commission licensees for distillery pubs.
Hawaii	SB 470	Prohibits credit card surcharges	Prohibits retailers from imposing credit card surcharges in certain instances.
Hawaii	SB 645	Taxes	Increases liquor taxes and repeals excise and use tax exemptions on the sale of liquor. The specific tax rate has not yet been specified.
Hawaii	SB 1131	Bottle Deposit	Establishes a tiered glass advanced disposal fee system based on the capacity of a glass container.
Hawaii	SB 1260	Alcohol Advertising	Requires beers sold or distributed in the State whose labels convey the impression that the beers were produced in Hawaii to indicate otherwise if not produced in the State.
Hawaii	SB 1261	Taxes	Reduces the gallonage tax on the first 60,000 barrels of beer brewed or produced during a taxable year by a small brewery or brewpub in the State to \$0.23 per gallon of beer.
Hawaii	SB 1271	Bottle Deposit	Increases the size of a deposit glass beverage container from sixty-eight to one hundred twenty-eight fluid ounces. Adds building materials as a purpose under the glass recovery program. Adds wine, spirits, and milk and other dairy-derived products to the definition of "deposit beverage". Increases the size of a deposit beverage container from sixty-eight to one hundred twenty-eight fluid ounces. Takes effect 1/1/2014.
Hawaii	SB 1332	Caffeine and Alcohol	Prohibits any liquor licensee or its employee from serving any drink containing caffeine with an alcohol by volume content greater than fifty per cent.
Idaho	HB 56	Minimum Wage	Increases the tipped wage to \$4.35 and increases it by \$1 annually starting in 2014 and ending in 2016.
Idaho	HB 57	Minimum Wage	Increases the minimum wage to \$8.25. Indexes annually thereafter. Removes tip credit.

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Illinois	No Bill #	Underage Penalties	To amend state laws pertaining to fines for serving to a minor
Illinois	HB 977	Prohibits credit card surcharges	No person in any sales transaction may impose a surcharge upon a consumer who elects to pay by use of a credit card instead of making payment by cash, check, or similar means of payment.
Illinois	SB 53	Smoking Ban	Defines "permeable" to mean permitting smoke to pass through. Provides that an owner shall reasonably assure that smoking is prohibited in enclosed (rather than indoor) public places and workplaces unless specifically exempted. Provides that smoking is allowed on an outdoor patio controlled by the proprietor of a place of employment or public space that is designated by the proprietor as an area where smoking is permitted, if the area is 15 feet or more from entrances, exits, windows that open, and ventilation intakes that serve an enclosed area where smoking is prohibited.
Illinois	SB 70	Gaming Location	Provides that the location restrictions for licensed establishments, licensed truck stop establishments, licensed fraternal establishments, and licensed veterans establishments under the Act do not apply if a school or place of worship moves to or is established within the restricted area after a licensed establishment, licensed truck stop establishment, licensed fraternal establishment, or licensed veterans establishment obtains its original liquor license
Indiana	HB 1115	Wholesaler permits	Allows an affiliate of a wholesaler that holds a carrier's alcoholic permit to provide logistic services that involve providing, documenting and coordinating delivery, transporting, preparing an order for, storing, or warehousing alcoholic beverages of any type. Prohibits a carrier holding a carrier's alcoholic permit from providing logistic services unless the carrier: (1) enters into a written agreement with the wholesaler that is requesting the logistic services; and (2) charges a commercially reasonable fee. Requires a carrier who provides logistic services to provide annually to the alcohol and tobacco commission a: (1) copy of all the written agreements with a wholesaler; and (2) report from a certified public accountant regarding payment for the logistic services. Prohibits a carrier's alcoholic permit under which logistic services are provided from being transferred. Prohibits employees of a carrier providing logistic services from providing any post delivery merchandising, sales, or other services to an alcoholic beverage retailer or dealer permittee.
Indiana	HB 1146	Sunday Sales	Provides that a holder of an alcoholic beverage permit who is authorized by law to sell alcoholic beverages for carryout may sell carryout on Sunday.
Indiana	HB 1259	Residency requirements	Eliminates the residency requirements for an alcoholic beverage retailer's permit. Changes the residency requirement from five to six years for a grocery store, drug store, or package liquor store permit (dealer's permit) issued to a person. Changes from five to six years the residency requirements for a package liquor store or liquor wholesaler permit held by a corporation, partnership, limited partnership, or limited liability company
Indiana	HB 1262	Online Server Training	Allows the alcohol and tobacco commission (ATC) to approve an alcohol server program established by a third party that provides both online and self-study courses and establishes requirements for both courses.

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Indiana	HB 1293	Craft distiller category	Creates an artisan distiller's permit for a person who desires to commercially manufacture not more than 20,000 gallons of liquor in a calendar year
Indiana	HB 1517	Ignition Interlocks	Changes the conditions under which a court is required to grant a hardship license with restricted driving privileges. Restricts a person to operating only vehicles with a functioning and certified ignition interlock device in certain situations.
Indiana	HB 1579	Open Container	Increases the number of hours of community restitution or service that a person convicted of operating a vehicle while intoxicated must perform. Specifies that, for purposes of open container laws, the exemption for a person who is in the passenger compartment of a vehicle used to transport passengers for compensation or the living quarters of a house coach or trailer does not apply to the operator of the vehicle.
Indiana	SB 13	Sunday Sales	Creates a supplemental dealer's permit. Provides that a supplemental dealer's permit may be issued only to a holder of a beer, wine, or liquor dealer's permit. Allows the holder of a supplemental dealer's permit to sell alcoholic beverages for carryout on Sunday. Establishes fees for a supplemental dealer's permit. Requires the fees to be deposited in the enforcement and administration fund of the alcohol and tobacco commission. Allows the holder of a package liquor store permit, farm winery permit, or microbrewery permit to sell carryout alcoholic beverages on Sunday without a supplemental dealer's permit. Allows a minor to be on the licensed premises of a package liquor store if the minor is accompanied by the minor's parent or guardian who is at least 21 years of age. Eliminates residency requirements for alcoholic beverage dealers. Repeals a provision that limits the commodities that a package liquor store may sell. Makes conforming amendments.
Indiana	SB 14	Cold beer sales	Allows a holder of a beer dealer's permit issued to a grocery store or drug store to sell and deliver cold beer that was manufactured in Indiana by a microbrewery in a quantity that does not exceed 864 ounces in a <u>single transaction</u> .
Indiana	SB 15	Direct Shipping	Removes requirements that before a direct wine seller may sell to a consumer: (1) the consumer must provide information in one face-to-face transaction at the seller's place of business; or (2) under certain circumstances, the consumer must provide a verified statement that the consumer is at least 21 years of age, and the seller must provide the name and address of the consumer to the alcohol and tobacco commission. Allows a direct wine seller to sell and ship wine directly to a consumer if the consumer provides: (1) the consumer's name; (2) a valid delivery address and telephone number; (3) proof of age by a state issued driver's license or state issued identification card showing the consumer to be at least 21 years of age; and (4) a verified statement that the consumer satisfies certain requirements. Repeals a provision that requires a consumer to provide certain information to a direct wine seller.
Indiana	SB 100	Sale of microbrewery beer at farmers' markets	Allows a small brewer to sell the brewer's beer to consumers for carryout at a farmers' market that is operated on a nonprofit basis, in a quantity of not more than 576 ounces per consumer at any one time. Provides that the sale may not be made on Sunday. Allows a brewer selling beer at a farmers' market to refill a <u>container for carryout</u> .

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Indiana	SB 168	Drunk Driving	Allows anyone properly trained to draw blood to do so for a blood-alcohol test. Current law allows only doctors, nurses and medics to take blood samples used as evidence.
Indiana	SB 188	Social Host	Requires a person at least 21 years of age who knows that a minor is in possession of an alcoholic beverage on the person's property to: (1) prohibit the minor from possessing the alcoholic beverage; (2) confiscate the alcoholic beverage; and (3) immediately contact the minor's parent, guardian, or custodian;
Indiana	SB 231	Sale of cold microbrewery beer	Makes an exception to the law prohibiting the sale of cold beer by allowing a microbrewer to determine the temperature range at which a wholesaler, dealer, or retailer may store and sell the beer manufactured by the microbrewer, and allowing a holder of a beer dealer's permit to sell and deliver cold beer manufactured by a microbrewery if necessary to meet the microbrewer's storage and sale temperature requirements.
Indiana	SB 300	Underage Penalties	Makes it a Class B misdemeanor for a person at least 21 years of age to recklessly, knowingly, or intentionally allow a minor to consume an alcoholic beverage on property owned, leased, or controlled by the person.
Iowa	H 39	Minimum Wage	Increases the state minimum hourly wage to \$7.75 on January 1, 2014 and \$8.25 on July 1, 2014, and \$9.00 as of January 1, 2015. Indexes annually thereafter.
Iowa	SB 31	Bottle Deposit	Provides that beverage containers containing wine are not required to have the beverage container refund value affixed to the container.
Iowa	SB 1047	Payment Cards	Establishing data security compliance requirements in relation to payment card transactions, and providing penalties.
Iowa	SB 1067	Licensing	Provides for a charity beer and wine auction permit, is amended to allow the auction of alcoholic spirits.
Kansas	HB 2018	Payment Cards	Credit card surcharge exemption for certain educational institutions
Kansas	HB 2054	Adult Entertainment	Community Defense Act; sexually oriented businesses
Kansas	HB 2180	Gaming	Veteran service organizations, electronic gaming machines
Kansas	HB 2196	Licensing	Alcoholic beverages; creating an exception to distributor license requirements for corporate licensees
Kansas	HB 2206	Liquor in Groceries, C-Stores	Alcoholic beverages; expanding the privileges of retailer's licensees
Kansas	HB 2223	Homemade Fermented Beverages	Alcoholic liquor; authorizing the production and transportation of homemade fermented beverages
Kansas	HCR 5009	Raffles	Constitutional amendment; raffles by nonprofit organizations
Kansas	SB 7	Tastings	Alcohol Control Act: tastings, civil fines
Kansas	SB 35	Employment	Alcoholic beverages; employment standards for persons serving alcoholic beverages
Kansas	SB 36	Tastings	Alcoholic beverages; samples, alcoholic liquor; clubs and drinking establishments
Kansas	SB 48	Employment	Kansas Employer E-verify Accountability Act
Kansas	SB 61	Adult Entertainment	Human trafficking; crimes of commercial sexual exploitation of a child, selling sexual relations,
Kansas	SB 112	Homemade Fermented Beverages	Alcoholic liquor; authorizing the production and transportation of homemade fermented beverages

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Kentucky	HB 18	Election Day Sales	Relates to the sale of alcoholic beverages on election days; permits the sale of distilled spirits and wine on any primary, or regular, local option, or special election day; authorizes the legislative body or fiscal court of a first through fourth class city or the legislative body of any form of county government to adopt an ordinance to prohibit or limit the hours and times of distilled spirits and wine sales within its boundaries on any primary or regular local option or special election day
Kentucky	HB 256	Payment Cards	Create a new section of KRS Chapter 365 to prohibit the imposition of a surcharge on a buyer based on method of payment.
Kentucky	HB 259	Payment Cards	Create a new section of KRS Chapter 365 to require disclosure of the imposition of a surcharge on a buyer based on method of payment.
Kentucky	SB 13	Election Day Sales	Companion to HB 18
Maine	HP 145	Minimum Pricing	This bill increases the minimum discount price and establishes a maximum discount price for spirits and fortified wine sold by agency liquor stores.
Maine	HP 177	Sunday Sales	Current law prohibits the sale of liquor on Sunday between the hours of 6 a.m. and 9 a.m. This bill provides that this prohibition does not apply when St. Patrick's Day, March 17th, falls on a Sunday.
Maine	SP 16	Tastings	Current law allows an off-premise retail licensee stocking at least 125 different wine labels to conduct taste tastings of wine on that licensee's premises. This bill reduces the number of labels to 45.
Maine	SP 75	Privatization	Part A repeals the law privatizing the State's wholesale liquor business and the law requiring the Commissioner of Administrative and Financial Services to seek bids no later than June 20, 2013 for the renewal, replacement or continuation of the current contract regarding the privatization. Instead, this bill allows the commissioner to enter into an agreement for certain wholesale liquor activities. Part A also amends the criteria for obtaining a license as an agency liquor store to clarify that an applican
Maine	LR 60	Minimum Wage	Adjusts Maine's minimum wage annually based on cost-of-living changes.
Maine	LR 288	Minimum Wage	Increases the minimum wage.
Maine	LR 917	Minimum Wage	Requires annual cost-of-living adjustments to the minimum wage.
Maine	LR 1642	Allowing Credit Card Surcharges	Allows retailers to pass on Credit and Debit Card fees to customers.
Maryland	HB 4	Craft Brewing	Authorizing brewery licensees to sell beer to certain persons for on-premises consumption; limiting the total amount of beer that may be sold annually by a licensee under this Act
Maryland	HB 74	Licensing	Allowing an individual in a restaurant, club, or hotel for which any license allowing the sale of wine is issued to consume wine not purchased from or provided by the license holder under specified circumstances, including a requirement that the license holder obtain a corkage permit; and requiring each local licensing board to issue a corkage permit at no charge.
Maryland	HB 404	Licensing	Increasing to two the number of Class A, Class C, and Class D alcoholic beverages licenses that may be issued to an individual for specified purposes; and limiting to one the number of licenses that may be issued for the use of an establishment that derives less than 85% of revenue from the sale of alcoholic beverages.
Maryland	HB 704	Craft Brewing	Increasing to 60,000 the limit on the number of barrels of malt beverages that a micro-brewery may collectively brew, bottle, or contract for in a calendar year.

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Maryland	HB 1167	Prohibits credit card surcharges	Prohibiting a seller from imposing a certain surcharge, in any sales transaction, on a cardholder who elects to use a credit card
Maryland	HB 1218	Prohibits credit card surcharges	Prohibits merchants from imposing surcharges on a buyer who elects to use a credit card.
Maryland	SB 32	Craft Brewing	Companion to HB 4
Maryland	SB 38	Taxes	Relates to income tax; relates to tax credit for wineries and vineyards.
Maryland	SB 260	License Fees	Allowing an individual in a restaurant, club, or hotel for which any license allowing the sale of wine is issued to consume wine not purchased from or provided by the license holder only under specified circumstances, including a requirement that the license holder obtain a corkage permit; and requiring each local licensing board to issue a corkage permit at no charge.
Maryland	SB 272	Internet Lottery	Prohibits the Director of the State Lottery Agency, unless authorized by the General Assembly, from adopting regulations that would allow a person to purchase a State lottery ticket through an electronic device that connects to the Internet
Maryland	SB 683	Minimum Wage	Increases minimum wage to \$8.25 on July 1, 2013, to \$9.00 on July 1, 2014, to \$10.00 on July 1, 2015. Indexed annually thereafter. The tip credit amount may not exceed 30% of the minimum wage.
Maryland	SB 806	Self Checkout	Making it a misdemeanor for a retail alcoholic beverages licensee to sell alcoholic beverages by means of a self-scanning cash register or a specified other automated system that may be operated on a self-service basis by a customer; and specifying a penalty.
Massachusetts	HD 436	Taxes	Increasing the excise tax on alcoholic beverages
Massachusetts	HD 585	Alcohol Advertising	Prohibiting alcohol advertising on Commonwealth property
Massachusetts	HD 1065	Prohibits credit card surcharges	Seeks to protect consumers from usurious rates on credit cards.
Massachusetts	HD 1093	Underage Sales	Creates a pilot program to discourage drinking by individuals under the legal drinking age; provides a non-criminal disposition process for first offenders, including alcohol education.
Massachusetts	SD 125	Prohibits credit card surcharges	Amends an act relative to credit and debit cards.
Massachusetts	SD 752	Minimum Wage	Improves the Commonwealth's economy with a Strong minimum wage.
Massachusetts	SD 1891	Minimum Wage	Improves the Commonwealth's economy with a Strong minimum wage.
Massachusetts	SD 2272	Minimum Wage	Improves the Commonwealth's economy with a Strong minimum wage.
Michigan	SB 79	Tastings	Liquor; licenses; license to sell and taste wine at farmer's market.
Minnesota	HF 10	Minimum Wage	Raises the minimum wage for "large employers" to \$9.38 per hour (a 29 percent increase) on August 1, 2013, and for "small employers" to \$8.01 per hour (a 10 percent increase) on August 1, 2013. It would raise the training wage from \$4.90 to \$7.47 per hour (more than a 50 percent increase) on August 1, 2013. Beginning on November 1, 2013, the minimum wage would be indexed to inflation.
Minnesota	HF 92	Minimum Wage	Requires "large employers" to pay \$7.50 per hour (a 3 percent increase) beginning August 1, 2013. The bills require the minimum wage for small and large employers and for training employees to be adjusted annually for inflation beginning August 1, 2014 and each August 1 thereafter.
Minnesota	HF 186	Tastings	Beer consumption permitted by amending wine tasting statute.
Minnesota	HF 430	Minimum Wage	Raises the minimum wage to \$8.25 on September 1, 2013, to \$9.25 on September 1, 2014 for employees of large employers (annual gross volume of sales over \$500,000) and \$7.50 on September 1, 2013, to \$8.25 on September 1, 2014 for employees of small employers (annual gross volume of sales less than \$500,000). Indexes annually thereafter.

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Minnesota	SF 3	Minimum Wage	Companion to HF 92.
Minnesota	SF 66	Direct Shipping	Relates to liquor; authorizes shipments of up to two cases of malt liquor, containing a maximum of 288 ounces per case, into Minnesota.
Minnesota	SF 220	Tastings	Relating to alcohol; modifying wine tasting provisions to include the tasting of beer (me)
Minnesota	SF 225	Sunday Sales	Sunday, Thanksgiving Day, Christmas Eve and Christmas Day liquor sales authorization
Mississippi	HB 494	Tastings	Relates to the local option alcoholic beverage control law, provides that a package retailer's permit shall authorize the holder to sample new product furnished by a manufacturer's representative or his employees at the permitted place of business; authorizes the Department of Revenue to issue temporary tasting permits and tasting permits.
Mississippi	HB 759	Prohibits credit card surcharges	Credit cards; prohibit seller from imposing a surcharge on the buyer for using.
Mississippi	HB 964	Prohibits credit card surcharges	State-issued credit cards; prohibit seller from imposing a surcharge on the buyer for using.
Mississippi	HB 1125	Tastings	Relates to the local option Alcoholic Beverage Control Law; provides that a package retailer's permit shall authorize the holder to sample new product furnished by a manufacturer's representative or his employees at the permitted place of business; authorizes the Department of Revenue to issue temporary tasting and tasting permits; provides that a temporary tasting permit may be issued to a package retailer to authorize one tasting or sampling event
Mississippi	HB 1300	Tastings	Provides that a holder of a manufacturer's distiller's permit who distills alcoholic beverages at a distillery in this state may provide limited amounts of alcoholic beverages on the premises of the distillery for tasting or sampling; provides that alcoholic beverages provided for tasting or sampling must be manufactured in this state by the holder of the permit at the distillery.
Mississippi	HB 1355	Taxes	Increases the excise tax and markup on alcoholic beverages; increases the excise tax on light wine and beer.
Mississippi	HB 1393	Payment Cards	Would require all credit card sales be on camera and recods retained for 6 months.
Mississippi	HB 1433	Prohibits credit card surcharges	Credit cards; prohibit seller from imposing a surcharge on the buyer for using.
Mississippi	SB 2098	Taxes	Imposes a handling fee on each manufacturer or wholesaler of alcoholic beverages whose product is placed in the Department of Revenue's liquor distribution center; creates a special fund in the state treasury designated as the ABC Capital Expenditure Fund and to provide that revenue derived from the handling fee shall be placed in such fund; provides that money in the fund may be utilized by the department of revenue for any expenditure necessary for the operations of the Department's liquor distribution.
Mississippi	SB 2114	Tastings	Authorize permits that allow sampling or tasting events at package retail stores.
Mississippi	SB 2414	Direct Shipping	Authorizes certain persons domiciled outside this state to lawfully ship directly to package retailers those manufactured wines that are not listed by the alcoholic beverage control division as a part of its inventory and distribution operation; provides that such manufactured wine must be purchased through the alcoholic beverage control division of the department of revenue; requires package retailers to pay the alcoholic beverage control division for the manufactured wine and pay all taxes and fees.
Mississippi	SB 2601	Prohibits credit card surcharges	Would prohibit surcharging specifically for state procurement cards

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Missouri	HB 35	Taxes	Creates the Alcohol and Tobacco Control Trust Fund consisting of specified fees collected by the Director of Revenue
Missouri	HB 37	Thanksgiving Day Sales	Requires retailers, with specified exceptions, to be closed during the hours of 12:00 a.m. to 11:59 p.m. on Thanksgiving Day
Missouri	HB 109	Caffeinated Malt Beverages	Prohibits caffeinated malt beverages from being imported, produced, manufactured, distributed, or sold at any retail outlet in this state
Missouri	HB 495	Prohibits credit card surcharges	Proposes to prohibit sellers or lessors from passing credit card surcharges on to consumers in a transaction
Missouri	HB 496	Prohibits credit card surcharges	Prohibits a merchant or lessor from imposing a surcharge on a holder who elects to use a credit or charge card for any sales or lease transaction, with exceptions
Missouri	SB 5	Taxes	Modifies several provisions regarding tax credits and the corporate income tax
Missouri	SB 114	Craft Brewing	Would allow homebrewers to take their homebrew out of their homes and pour it at certain "organized affairs, exhibitions or competitions, such as homebrewer contests, tastings or judging.
Missouri	SB 121	Three Tier System	Repeals prohibitions on liquor wholesalers, distillers, winemakers, brewers, microbrewers and retailers having interests in one another and prohibitions on discounts
Montana	HB 56	Pricing	Prohibits reductions on price of liquor below the posted price other than 8% for unbroken case lots.
Montana	HB 200	Tastitngs/Polling Places	Prohibits a person from distributing alcohol to a voter within any polling place or any building in which an election is being held of within 100 feet of any entrance to the building in which the polling place is located.
Montana	HB 284	Licensing	Provides increases to commissions for agency liquor stores; relates to alcohol and drugs; relates to state revenue.
Montana	SB 120	Licensing	Increases from 1 to 3 the number of liquor licenses an individual may have; relates to alcohol and drugs; relates to state revenue.
Montana	SB 126	Craft Distilling	A distillery licensed in Montana may be issued up to 12 special event permits each calendar year that authorize the distillery to remove liquor prodiced at the distllery for a 24-hour period for sale at a special event.
Nebraska	LB 173	ID Laws	Would allow Nebraska bars and liquor stores to accept out-of-state identification cards when selling alcohol
Nebraska	LB 230	Direct Shipping	No person shall order or receive alcoholic liquor in this state which has been shipped directly to him or her from outside this state by any person other than a holder of a shipping license issued by the commission, except that a licensed wholesaler may receive not more than three gallons of wine in any calendar year from any person who is not a holder of a shipping license.
Nebraska	LB 653	Taxes	Change and provide for distribution of the gallonage tax on beer
New Hampshire	HB 120	Hours of Sale	Extends hours of sales for off-premises liquor licensees from 6:00 a.m. to 11:45 p.m. to 6:00 a.m. to 1:00 a.m., 7 days a week.
New Hampshire	HB 168	Taxes	Would increase the beer tax from 30 to 40 cents per gallon; proposed to be used for the prevention and treatment of alcohol abuse.
New Hampshire	HB 226	Task Force Creation	This bill establishes a committee to study the promotion of New Hampshire wines.

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New Hampshire	HB 275	Craft Brewing	Would create a two-year pilot program to allow beer made by NH-based microbreweries and nanobreweries to be sold in the NH state liquor stores
New Hampshire	HB 331	Three Tier System	This bill broadens the authority of a wine manufacturer to sell at retail and wholesale and permits a wine manufacturer to sell product manufactured by others, including beer.
New Hampshire	HB 456	Tastings	This bill allows liquor manufacturers: I. To distribute samples to licensees for tasting on licensed premises. II. To sell liquor directly to on-premises and off-premises licensees. III. To sell at farmers' markets.
New Hampshire	HB 468	Pricing	This bill establishes a committee to study wine purchasing and pricing.
New Hampshire	HB 575	Hours of Sale	This bill allows on-premises liquor licensees to sell beverages or liquor until 2:00 a.m.
New Hampshire	SB 149	Tastings	This bill allows liquor manufacturers to distribute samples to licensees for tasting on licensed premises.
New Jersey	A 3743	Prohibits credit card surcharges	Prohibits retail mercantile establishments from imposing surcharges on consumers
New Jersey	A 3758	Prohibits credit card surcharges	for certain bars and taverns.
New Jersey	S 434	Municipal Control	Authorizes certain municipalities to establish safety requirements
New Jersey	S 2533	Prohibits credit card surcharges	Companion to A 3758
New Jersey	S 2550	Prohibits credit card surcharges	Prohibits a retail mercantile establishment from imposing certain surcharges on consumers
New Mexico	HB 32	Ignition Interlock	Relates to driving under the influence of intoxicating liquor or drugs; increases penalties and mandatory periods of incarceration for fourth and subsequent offenses; provides that an eighth or subsequent offense is a second degree felony.
New Mexico	HB 212	Taxes - Municipal Authority	Relates to liquor excise taxes; authorizes counties to impose a local liquor excise tax; limits rates of local liquor excise taxes.
New Mexico	HB 386	Sunday Sales	Relates to alcoholic beverages; eliminates the Sunday and Christmas Day restrictions on the sale of alcoholic beverages; provides consistent hours of operation for licenses that sell alcoholic beverages by the drink or in unbroken packages; reconciles conflicting amendments to the same section of law by repealing Laws 2001, chapter 248, section 2.
New Mexico	HB 423	Hours of Sale	Relates to alcoholic beverages; increases the hours of consumption of alcoholic beverages on Sundays at licensed premises.
New Mexico	SB 81	Taxes	Relates to taxation; increases the volume limit for microbrewers for purposes of the liquor excise tax from 5,000 to 15,000 barrels of beer in a year.
New Mexico	SB 116	Taxes	Imposes tax on wine manufactured or produced by a small winegrower and sold in the state of \$0.30/liter on each liter sold over 950,000 liters but not over 1,500,000 liters.
New Mexico	SB 154	Hours of Sale	Relates to alcoholic beverages; increases the hours of consumption of alcoholic beverages on sundays at licensed premises.
New Mexico	SB 351	Licensing	Relates to alcoholic beverages; provides for a local option district to limit the number of licenses in its territory; addresses retailer's licenses; creates a limited retailer's license; addresses dispenser's licenses; creates a food service license; differentiates between licenses issued before and on or after July 1, 2013; provides for certain dispenser licensees to also receive retailer's licenses; creates a limited dispenser's license; allows statewide transfer of licenses

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New Mexico	SB 397	Taxes	Relates to taxation; clarifies the use of local liquor excise tax proceeds; increases the local liquor excise tax rate.
New Mexico	SB 424	Tastings	Relates to alcoholic beverages; authorizes the issuance of permits for certain licensed entities to conduct tastings of beer, wine and spirituous liquors on licensed premises.
New York	AB 837	Ignition Interlocks	Mandates ignition interlock devices for school buses
New York	AB 900	Prohibits credit card surcharges	Credit cards; prohibit seller from imposing a surcharge on the buyer for using.
New York	AB 1370	Co-op Buying	Allows retail licensees for on-premises consumption to join in a cooperative agreement for the purchase of alcoholic beverages
New York	AB 1516	Licensing	Increases the required distance between a liquor store and a school, church, synagogue or other place of worship
New York	AB 1936	Litter Control	Includes milk, wine and liquor in definition of beverage for purposes of litter control
New York	AB 2117	Pricing	Relates to providing alcoholic beverages on credit
New York	AB 2221	Pricing	Relates to the manner of posting and changing beer prices to beer wholesalers and retail licensees
New York	AB 2489	Non-Alcohol Sales	Authorizes the sale of wine supplies
New York	AB 2530	Underage Penalties	Increases the fines, community service requirements and license suspension periods for underage purchase of alcoholic beverages.
New York	AB 2593	Hours of Sale	Requires applicants for all-night liquor licenses to notify local community boards of their intent to apply for such licenses.
New York	AB 2606	Local Option	Provides villages with the local option to make unlawful the sale of alcoholic beverages within such villages.
New York	AB 2740	Licensing	Permits sale of certain food items in liquor stores; repeals certain provisions relating to the ownership of more than one liquor license.
New York	AB 2745	Economic Development	Amends the Alcoholic Beverage Control Law; provides that the state policy with regard to the alcoholic beverage control law shall be to promote economic development and job opportunities in the beer, wine and liquor industries of the state.
New York	AB 2751	Non-Alcohol Sales	Relates to the sale of tonic water, bitters and maraschino cherries at liquor stores.
New York	AB 2911	Security	Enacts "Imette's Law"; mandates that every owner of an cabaret establishment, but which is not a restaurant, shall install security cameras at every entrance and exit of such establishment.
New York	AB 2977	Ignition Interlocks	Mandates the installation of ignition interlock devices by 2016 for motor vehicles manufactured for use in this state; mandates all motor vehicles in NYS shall be equipped with such devices by 2017.
New York	AB 2978	Taxes	Increases the tax on beer from \$0.14 to \$1.80/gallon; on still wines except cider containing more than 3.2% alcohol by volume from \$0.30 to \$2.6392/gallon; on artificially carbonated sparkling wines except artificially sparkling cider containing more than 3.2% alcohol by volume from \$0.30 to \$2.6392/gallon; on cider more than 3.2% alcohol by volume from \$0.0379 to \$0.5284/gallon; on natural sparkling wines from \$0.30 to \$2.63/gallon; on liquors containing at least 2% but not more than 24% alcohol by volume from \$0.67 to \$1.23/liter; on liquors under 2% alcohol by volume from \$0.01 to \$0.02 per liter; and from \$1.00 to \$2.26/liter upon all other liquors. The tax would be adjusted each following July 1 based on CPI changes.

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New York	AB 3009	Tastings	There shall be established "Taste-NY facilities," which will sell a variety of products, including but not limited to products produced within the state, and prominently feature New York produced goods, including alcoholic beverages.
New York	AB 3112	Alcohol Advertising	Prohibits mass transit facilities in N.Y. city advertising the sale or use of tobacco products or alcohol.
New York	AB 3116	Adult Entertainment	Requires establishments which sell alcoholic beverages and/or food for consumption on premises and which provide sexual entertainment to register sex performers.
New York	AB 3735	Hours of Sale	Amends the Alcoholic Beverage Control Law; authorizes the retail sale of alcoholic beverages at eleven a.m. on Sunday.
New York	SB 204	Non-Alcohol Sales	Relates to the sale of tonic water, bitters and maraschino cherries at liquor stores
New York	SB 267	Craft Wineries	Authorizes roadside farm markets to sell wine from up to two farm, special or micro-wineries located within 20 miles
New York	SB 296	DUI	Requires posting of sign in all premises licensed to sell alcoholic beverages on the premises which offers to assist patrons in obtaining alternative transportation
New York	SB 351	Sunday Sales; Christmas Day Sales	Authorizes the sale of alcoholic beverages on Sundays and Christmas day.
New York	SB 356	Co-op Buying	Relates to purchasing wine or liquor by two or more licensed retailers
New York	SB 434	Beer Tastings	Relates to permits for brewers, manufacturers, and importers to serve small samples of their beer or malt beverages
New York	SB 497	Combo-packs	Relates to the content of schedules to be transmitted to the liquor authority
New York	SB 1070	Direct Shipping	Requires alcoholic beverages shipped from state that requires out of state shipments to be consigned to a licensee and stored, shall be so consigned and stored in this state
New York	SB 1116	Non-Alcohol Sales	Relates to permitting licensees authorized to sell liquor at retail for consumption off the premises to sell additional related items
New York	SB 1172	Non-Alcohol Sales	Authorizes the sale of wine supplies
New York	SB 1347	Ignition Interlocks	Mandates ignition interlock devices for school buses
New York	SB 1835	Minimum Wage	Raises the statutory minimum wage from \$7.15 to \$8.50 on and after January 1, 2014; raises the minimum wage to \$9.25 on and after January 1, 2015.
New York	SB 1909	Licensing	Directs persons licensed for on-premises consumption of alcoholic beverages to have a criminal background history check performed on prospective bouncers; defines the term "bouncer"; provides for the establishment and certification of bouncer training programs by the state liquor authority; requires certain bouncers to be so certified and provides incentives to the employers of persons not required to be so certified but do receive such certification; excludes bouncers from the definition of security guards for purposes of the licensing of such guards pursuant to the general business law
New York	SB 2227	Hours of Sale	Authorizes the retail sale of alcoholic beverages at eleven a.m. on Sunday
New York	SB 2356	Local Option	Companion to AB 2606
New York	SB 2609	Tastings	Companion to AB 3009.
New York	SB 3123	Taxes	Relates to increasing the tax on alcohol.
New York	SB 3265	Licensing	Enacts the wine industry and liquor store revitalization act; authorizes grocery and drug stores to sell wine on their premises for consumption off the premises.

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New York	SB 3352	Security	Companion to AB 2911
New York	SB 3475	Taxes	Provides credit against personal income tax and corporate franchise tax for wine bottling, packaging and labelling expenses of wineries.
North Dakota	HB 1077	Craft Wineries	A licensed winery that produces no more than 50,000 gallons [189271 liters] of wine per year may sell and deliver, onsite or offsite, the wine produced by the winery directly to licensed retailers.
North Dakota	HB 1253	Smoking Ban	Relating to reimbursement of costs incurred in complying with smoking restrictions in public places and places of employment.
North Dakota	HB 1367	Sunday Sales	Relates to the sale of alcoholic beverages on Sunday. Allows for sale starting at 10:00 a.m. on Sundays.
North Dakota	SB 2147	Direct Shipping	Direct shipment of alcoholic beverages from out of state; and to provide a penalty.
North Dakota	SB 2241	Taxes	A bill for an Act to amend and reenact section 5-03-08 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the deposit of wholesale liquor tax collections; to create a substance abuse prevention grant fund; and to provide an appropriation.
North Dakota	SB 2284	Brewery Sales	A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 5 01 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to brewer taproom licenses; and to amend and reenact section 5 03 07 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to taxes on alcohol.
Oklahoma	HB 1341	Tastings	An Act relating to intoxicating liquors; amending 37 O.S. 2011, Section 521, as amended by Section 4, Chapter 120, O.S.L. 2012 (37 O.S. Supp. 2012, Section 521), which relates to licenses; allowing holders of brewer licenses to provide samples; limiting total amount of samples; requiring restricted sampling area; limited sampling hours; providing certain application; providing an effective date; and declaring an emergency.
Oklahoma	HB 1748	Taxes	An Act relating to low-point beer;
Oklahoma	HB 2138	Licensing	An Act relating to intoxicating liquors; amending 37 O.S. 2011, Section 518, which relates to license fees; reducing winemaking self-distribution license fee; providing an effective date; and declaring an emergency.
Oklahoma	HJR 1001	Wine in Grocery	Authorizing the sale of wine in certain establishments; authorizing sale of certain nonalcoholic beverages; allowing certain alcoholic beverages to be refrigerated
Oklahoma	HJR 1035	Direct Shipping	A Joint Resolution directing the Secretary of State to refer to the people for their approval or rejection a proposed amendment to Section 3 of Article XXVIII of the Oklahoma Constitution; authorizing wineries to ship wine to certain consumers; providing ballot title; and directing filing.
Oklahoma	HJR 1041	Ballot Initiative	A Joint Resolution directing the Secretary of State to refer to the people for their approval or rejection a proposed amendment to Section 4 of Article XXVIII of the Constitution of the State of Oklahoma; authorizing the sale of certain beer, wine and spirit accessories; providing ballot title; and directing filing.
Oklahoma	SB 4	Taxes	Changes the definition of Total Gross Receipts for taxation on mixed beverages. Deletes provision that requires advertised price of a mixed beverage to be the sum of the total retail sale price and the gross receipts tax.
Oklahoma	SB 179	Spirits Tastings	Allowing certain spirit sales and samples

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Oklahoma	SB 1057	Labeling	Relates to packaging of products; relates to packaging by manufacturer of alcoholic beverages and nonalcoholic promotional products; requires certain label and manufacturer packaging for certain cocktails and shots; provides for single and multiple manufacturer labels and packaging; provides for packaging with nonalcoholic promotional items; construes authority to offer certain items for sale; provides an effective date
Oregon	HB 2115	DUI	Would extend the definition of "intoxicants," which now covers only alcohol, controlled substances and inhalants or any combination of those categories.
Oregon	HB 2117	DUI	Extends suspension of driving privileges beyond end of suspension or revocation period if person fails to submit proof of installation or maintain installation of required ignition interlock device; Increases fees for screening interview and diagnostic assessment; Requires provider of ignition interlock device to give notice to agency or organization that conducted person's screening interview or diagnostic assessment under certain circumstances
Oregon	HB 2332	Licensing	Requires premises licensed for alcohol consumption and meeting specified criteria to obtain nightclub endorsement from Oregon Liquor Control Commission.
Oregon	HB 2379	Payment Cards	Prohibits a person that issues a credit card or debit card or that provides service as payment card network from: (1) restricting or prohibiting a merchant from disclosing the amount of interchange transaction fee or network fee that the merchant pays to the person
Oregon	HB 2515	Taxes - Municipal Authority	Removes prohibition against local government enactment of taxes on alcoholic beverages.
Oregon	SB 114	Task Force Creation	Creates task force to identify and develop proposals for improvements to Oregon law regarding commercial activities at wineries; sunsets task force on date of convening of 2015 regular legislative session; declares emergency, effective on passage.
Oregon	SB 118	Taxes - Municipal Authority	Removes prohibition against local government enactment of taxes on alcoholic beverages.
Oregon	SB 296	Licensing	Authorizes holder of off-premises sales license, under certain conditions, to store wine at licensed premises for transport to other licensed premises for sale at retail; authorizes sale of wine transported to receiving premises on behalf of transporting holder; creates central warehouse license; authorizes central warehouse licensee, under certain circumstances, to store wine at central warehouse for transport to premises in which licensee holds qualifying interest
Pennsylvania	No Bill #	Prohibits credit card surcharges	Pennsylvania state Rep. Adam Ravenstahl D-Allegheny, announced on January 30 that he plans to draft legislation that would prohibit retailers from imposing credit card transaction fees or surcharges on consumers by eliminating so-called swipe fees.
Pennsylvania	HB 121	Direct Shipping	Providing for shipment of wine into Commonwealth and for limited wineries.
Pennsylvania	HB 174	Licensing	An Act amending the act of April 12, 1951 (P.L.90, No.21), known as the Liquor Code, further providing for general powers of board.
Pennsylvania	HB 189	Taxes	Reduces the emergency state tax on liquor from 18% to 9% on January 1, 2013, and to 0% on January 1, 2014.
Pennsylvania	HB 190	Hours of Sale	Expands Sunday sale opening from noon until 5:00 p.m. to noon until 9:00 p.m.; allows for coupons to be issued.

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Pennsylvania	HB 245	Taxes	An Act amending the act of March 4, 1971 (P.L.6, No.2), known as the Tax Reform Code of 1971, in malt beverage tax, further providing for limited tax credits. Removes time limitations on the tax credits.
Pennsylvania	HB 246	Taxes	An Act amending the act of March 4, 1971 (P.L.6, No.2), known as the Tax Reform Code of 1971, in malt beverage tax, further providing for limited tax credits. (Extends credits to December 31, 2013)
Pennsylvania	HB 248	Imports	Importing distributors that import liquor from a foreign country through a port located in this Commonwealth shall receive from Pennsylvania Liquor Stores a bonus of two per centum of the wholesale price of the imported liquor sold to Pennsylvania Liquor Stores.
Pennsylvania	HB 262	Local Option	An Act amending the act of April 12, 1951 (P.L.90, No.21), known as the Liquor Code, providing for municipal authority to establish maximum saturation ratios for licensed establishments.
Pennsylvania	SB 36	Direct Shipping	Allows for direct shipments of wine from entities receiving direct wine shipper licenses. Licensees must obtain proof of age before shipping wine to a resident.
Pennsylvania	SB 55	Taxes	Providing for limited tax credits for small brewers.
Pennsylvania	SB 58	Taxes	Redistributes the proceeds from the emergency liquor tax of 1936 from the general fund to a special fund, with 55% going to the local school district where the liquor is sold, 27.27% to the local municipality where the liquor is sold: and the remaining 16.68% to the General Fund.
Pennsylvania	SB 309	Fake IDs	Would grant alcohol vendors the ability to confiscate an identification card if they have reason to believe that it is a fake.
Rhode Island	HB 5031	License Fees	Would repeal the provision of the law that requires each licensee authorized to sell intoxicating beverages to file an annual report with the division of taxation, detailing sales information and tax collections on such sales. This act would take effect upon passage.
Rhode Island	HB 5121	Tipping	This act would seek to prohibit employers from demanding payment or deductions from a tip or service charge given to waitstaff, prohibiting tip pools and would require that any service charge imposed by an employer be remitted to the service staff.
Rhode Island	HB 5133	Prohibits credit card surcharges	Prohibit retailers from imposing surcharges on consumers who utilize credit cards to purchase goods, services or lease transactions in lieu of payments by cash, check or similar means.
Rhode Island	HB 5149	Ignition Interlocks	Would grant judges and magistrates the authority to prohibit drivers adjudicated of certain motor vehicle offenses from operating a motor vehicle not equipped with an ignition interlock system.
Rhode Island	HB 5151	Credit	This act would make unlawful for any manufacturer, wholesaler or retailer of alcoholic beverages to lend or borrow money, directly or indirectly, to or from one another and place restrictions upon the extensions of credit to the usual course of business and for a period of not more than sixty (60) days. Violators of these provisions would be subject to regulation by the department of business regulation and penalties assessed after hearing of a fine of not more than five thousand (\$ 5,000) dollars or suspension of license or both.
Rhode Island	HB 5183	Hours of Sale	Would enable holders of Class A licenses to open at ten o'clock (10:00) a.m. on Sundays. This act would take effect upon passage.
Rhode Island	HB 5190	Craft Wineries	This act would amend the current law so that a farmer-winery and a farmer-brewery may, under certain conditions, be licensed to sell wine/beer for off-premises consumption at a farmers' market, similar to that permitted in Massachusetts.

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Rhode Island	HB 5213	Prohibits credit card surcharges	Credit cards; prohibit seller from imposing a surcharge on the buyer for using.
Rhode Island	SB 25	Licensing	Would repeal the provision of the law that requires each licensee authorized to sell intoxicating beverages to file an annual report with the division of taxation, detailing sales information and tax collections on such sales. This act would take effect upon passage.
Rhode Island	SB 131	Taxes	This act would provide for several periods during the year where there would be a sales and use tax holiday on the purchase of alcoholic beverages which are not to be consumed on the premises of the place of purchase.
South Carolina	HB 3477	Payment Cards	Credit/Debit cards; prohibit seller from imposing a surcharge on the buyer for using.
South Carolina	SB 137	Ignition Interlocks	Relates to the suspension of a driver's license of a person under the age of twenty-one for having an unlawful alcohol concentration; revises the penalties to include requiring an offender who operates a vehicle to have an ignition interlock device installed on the vehicle; relates to the suspension of a license, a license renewal or its return, and issuance of a license that restricts the driver to only operating a vehicle with an ignition interlock device installed
South Dakota	HB 1066	Taxes	This bill permanently extends the .5 cent tourism tax which was scheduled to expire on July 1.
South Dakota	HB 1095	Open Container	This bill prohibits a person from being charged for having an open container in a vehicle unless the officer has probable cause to believe that alcohol has been consumed by some occupant of the vehicle and a chemical analysis of the occupant's breath or blood discloses there is alcohol in the person's body.
South Dakota	HB 1140	Taxes	This bill changes the excise tax payment period for farm wineries from monthly to quarterly.
South Dakota	HB 1154	Taxes	This bill increases the state sales tax on certain products, including alcohol and tobacco, from four percent to four and thirty-five hundredths percent.
South Dakota	SB 52	Lottery	This bill was proposed by the Lottery. It makes a penny an eligible denomination for video lottery terminals, eliminates the bet to award ratio and caps the maximum award at \$1,000, and cleans up/clarifies existing lottery statutes.
South Dakota	SB 73	License Fees	Would repeal state law restricting from whom licensed wholesalers can purchase or accept delivery of alcoholic beverages; current law that allows wholesalers to deal only with brand owners, their agents or other licensed wholesalers
South Dakota	SB 94	Social Host	Prohibit a social host from permitting the underage consumption of alcoholic beverages on the social host's premises and to provide penalties therefor.
South Dakota	SB 100	Direct Shipping	Establishes a wine direct shipper permit and to provide for certain direct shipments of wine.
South Dakota	SB 114	Smoking Ban	This bill defines smoking for purposes of the smoking ban as inhaling, exhaling, or tasting the fumes released through burning or heating tobacco.
South Dakota	SB 132	Underage Penalties	This bill provides immunity from prosecution for underage consumption for any person who contacts any law enforcement or emergency medical services and reports that a person under twenty-one years of age is in need of medical assistance due to alcohol consumption. However, to acquire limited immunity, a person must: (1) assist the person in need of emergency medical assistance until assistance arrives; and (2) remain and cooperate with the emergency medical assistance and law enforcement personnel on the scene.

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South Dakota	SB 146	Gaming	This bill provides that any Deadwood gaming tax, penalty, or interest due to the state is a lien in favor of the gaming commission upon all property and rights to property whether real or personal belonging to the taxpayer. To preserve the lien against subsequent mortgages, purchasers, or judgment creditors for value and without actual notice of the lien on any property situated in a county, the commission may file with the register of deeds of the county a notice of the tax lien. The priority of the lien shall be determined as of the date the notice of tax lien is received and indexed by the register of deeds.
South Dakota	SJR 2	Taxes	This bill submits to the electors at the 2014 general election an amendment to the state constitution that would require a two-thirds vote of the voters to increase taxes. Currently, the constitution only requires a majority vote to increase taxes. The proposed constitutional amendment does not change the two-thirds <u>vote requirement for the legislature to increase taxes.</u>
Tennessee	HB 47	Licensing/Residency Requirements	Relates to alcoholic beverages; decreases, from 2 years to 1 year and from 10 years to 5 years, the residency requirements for the issuance of a retailer's license to sell alcoholic beverages; specifies, if the next of kin takes over a valid retail license in the event of death of the holder, the residency requirements do not apply.
Tennessee	HB 304	Self Checkout	Beer - As introduced, prohibits a customer from using a self-checkout machine for the purchase of beer. - Amends TCA Section 57-5-301.
Tennessee	HB 347	Caffeinated Beverages	As introduced, prohibits the sale of energy drinks at a business with a license or permit to serve or sell liquor by the drink; designates the offense as a Class A misdemeanor, punishable only by fine and suspension of an <u>offender's license or permit to serve or sell liquor by the drink.</u>
Tennessee	HB 352	Hours of Sale	Alcoholic Beverages - As introduced, extends the hours of sale for alcoholic beverages and beer for establishments located within the central business improvement district in downtown Memphis to the hours of sale for establishments located on Beale Street and certain areas in the vicinity of Beale Street. - Amends TCA Section 57-4-102.
Tennessee	HB 377	ABV	Alcoholic Beverages - As introduced, requires the alcoholic beverage commission to promulgate rules and regulations to place further restrictions on the sale of certain high alcohol content beverages. - Amends TCA Title 57, Chapter 1.57, Part 3 and Title 57, Chapter 4, Part 57.
Tennessee	HB 610	Wine in Grocery	Wine & Wineries - As introduced, allows cities and counties to hold a referendum to authorize selling wine at retail food stores; creates permit to sell wine at retail food stores. - Amends TCA Title 2 and Title 57.
Tennessee	HB 677	Taxes / Direct Shipping	Alcoholic Beverages - As introduced, lowers the per-gallon tax levied on manufacturers of high alcohol content beer to the beer tax rate instead of the wine tax rate; clarifies where it is lawful to manufacture intoxicating liquors or intoxicating drinks without the requirement of holding a referendum first; creates direct beer shipper's license to be issued through the alcoholic beverage commission that would allow an in-state or out-of-state entity to ship beer or high alcohol content beer or both directly to consumers age 21 or older in this state for personal use. - Amends TCA Title 57.

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Tennessee	HB 897	Prohibits credit card surcharges	Prohibits a seller or lessor in any sales or lease transaction or any entity issuing credit or charge cards from imposing a surcharge on a card holder who elects to use a credit or charge card in lieu of payment by cash, check or similar means
Tennessee	HJR 36	Taxes	Relates to constitutional amendments; proposes an amendment to article II, section 28 of the state constitution to prohibit state or local sales and use tax on food; authorizes legislature to impose sales and use tax on prepared food, alcoholic beverages, candy, dietary supplements and tobacco.
Tennessee	SB 89	ABV	Relates to alcoholic beverages; requires the alcoholic beverage commission to promulgate rules and regulations to place further restrictions on the sale of certain high alcohol content beverages.
Tennessee	SB 91	Licensing	As introduced, mandates the temporary suspension of an establishment's permit to sell beer upon the suspension or revocation by the alcoholic beverage commission of the establishment's license to sell alcoholic beverages and requires the local or municipal beer board to notify the alcoholic beverage commission of violations that result in the suspension or revocation of an establishment's permit to sell beer
Tennessee	SB 129	Distillery Sales	Alcoholic Beverages - As introduced, clarifies provisions where distilleries may be located in this state without holding a referendum; allows any licensed distillery to obtain special retail permit to sell distillery's own products on the licensed premises. - Amends TCA Title 57, Chapter 3, Part 2 and Title 57, Chapter 2, Part 1
Tennessee	SB 218	Direct Shipping	Relates to alcoholic beverages; lowers the per- gallon tax levied on manufacturers of high alcohol content beer to the beer tax rate instead of the wine tax rate; clarifies where it is lawful to manufacture intoxicating liquors or intoxicating drinks without the requirement of holding a referendum first; creates direct beer shipper's license to be issued through the alcoholic beverage commission that would allow an in-state or out-of- state entity to ship beer or high alcohol content beer.
Tennessee	SB 289	Licensing/Residency Requirements	Relates to Alcoholic Beverages; decreases, from two years to one year and from 10 years to five years, the residency requirements for the issuance of a retailer's license to sell alcoholic beverages; specifies, if the next of kin takes over a valid retail license in the event of death of the holder, the residency requirements do not apply.
Tennessee	SB 422	Taxes	Companion to HB 999
Tennessee	SB 485	Hours of Sale	Alcoholic Beverages - As introduced, extends the hours of sale for alcoholic beverages and beer for establishments located within the central business improvement district in downtown Memphis to the hours of sale for establishments located on Beale Street and certain areas in the vicinity of Beale Street. - Amends TCA Section 57-4-102.
Tennessee	SB 671	Self Checkout	Beer - As introduced, prohibits a customer from using a self-checkout machine for the purchase of beer. - Amends TCA Section 57-5-301.

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Tennessee	SB 711	Taxes / Direct Shipping	Alcoholic Beverages - As introduced, lowers the per-gallon tax levied on manufacturers of high alcohol content beer to the beer tax rate instead of the wine tax rate; clarifies where it is lawful to manufacture intoxicating liquors or intoxicating drinks without the requirement of holding a referendum first; creates direct beer shipper's license to be issued through the alcoholic beverage commission that would allow an in-state or out-of-state entity to ship beer or high alcohol content beer or both directly to consumers age 21 or older in this state for personal use. - Amends TCA Title 57.
Tennessee	HB 897	Prohibits credit card surcharges	Prohibits a seller or lessor in any sales or lease transaction or any entity issuing credit or charge cards from imposing a surcharge on a card holder who elects to use a credit or charge card in lieu of payment by cash, check or similar means
Tennessee	HB 999	Taxes	Would calculate wholesale tax on volume rather than price and solve Tennessee's odd (and nationally unparalleled) tax policy that currently results in the beer tax rate rising exponentially higher every year.
Tennessee	SB 1117	Prohibits credit card surcharges	Prohibits a seller or lessor in any sales or lease transaction or any entity issuing credit or charge cards from imposing a surcharge on a card holder who elects to use a credit or charge card in lieu of payment by cash, check or similar means.
Texas	HB 24	DUI	Creating a DWI Commissioner under the governor's office
Texas	HB 34	Licensing	BYOB on-premise permit required
Texas	HB 53	Taxes	Cap on sales tax collection reimbursement. (\$3,750 per year)
Texas	HB 54	Taxes	Cap on sale tax collection reimbursement. (\$3,906.25 per year)
Texas	HB 133	DUI	Making DWI criminal history public.
Texas	HB 153	Intoxication Definition	Cleaning up the definition of intoxicated in the penal code
Texas	HB 232	Underage Penalties	Minor in possession alternatives to alcohol awareness programs
Texas	HB 244	ID Laws	Photo ID required for most credit card purchases
Texas	HB 260	Ignition Interlocks	Ignition interlock device required on certain DWI offenses.
Texas	HB 292	Gaming	Authorizing and regulating poker gaming in Texas.
Texas	HB 310	Underage Penalties	Second offense minor in possession requires personal appearance in court.
Texas	HB 337	Adult Entertainment	Licensing and regulating sexually oriented businesses.
Texas	HB 421	Sunday Sales	Package store Sunday sale and extended hours
Texas	HB 434	Blood Samples	EMS personnel allowed to take BAC blood samples.
Texas	HB 435	DUI	Peace officers may not take DWI blood samples
Texas	HB 446	Fetal Alcohol Syndrome	Pregnant patients must be provided fetal alcohol syndrome info
Texas	HB 515	Taxes	Repealing previous tax and fee accounting speedup provisions
Texas	HB 516	Blood Samples	Blood specimen warrant may be executed in contiguous county
Texas	HB 517	DUI	Minimum jail time required for certain egregious DWI offenses
Texas	HB 559	Licensing	One-year license suspension for second offense hire of illegal alien.
Texas	HB 575	Civil Penalty	Civil penalty may be imposed even if not guilty criminal finding.
Texas	HB 668	Licensing	Five store limit for package stores repealed
Texas	HB 703	Hours of Sale	Relating to the hours of sale of liquor

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Texas	HB 720	DUI	Increased penalties for intoxication manslaughter in certain circumstances
Texas	HB 735	Taxes	Increased taxes on sweetened beverages
Texas	HB 759	Sunday Sales	Repealing the automobile dealer's blue law
Texas	HB 779	Taxes	Tax on sweetened beverages (collected upon sale to retailer)
Texas	HCR 29	Administrative	Resolution honoring Mike McKinney with chair plaque
Texas	HJR 47	Gaming	Casino and other gambling authorized
Texas	SB 69	Taxes	Cap on sales tax collection reimbursement. (\$3,750 per year); See HB 53.
Texas	SB 70	Taxes	Limiting sales tax prepayment discount to the prime rate.
Texas	SB 86	Smoking Ban	Smoking prohibited in work places and public places.
Texas	SB 98	Ignition Interlocks	Ignition interlock required for aggravated DWI offenses.
Texas	SB 131	Hours of Sale	Wineries may sell wine until 2 AM on New Year's Eve.
Texas	SB 236	Sunday Sales	Package store Sunday sale and extended hours; See HB 421
Texas	SB 278	Alcohol Awareness	Alcohol Awareness education in middle, junior high and high school.
Texas	SB 516	Three-Tier System	Relating to the distribution of ale by certain brewers.
Texas	SB 517	Three-Tier System	Relating to the distribution of beer by certain manufacturers.
Texas	SB 518	Three-Tier System	Relating to the authority of certain brewers and manufacturers to sell beer and ale to ultimate consumers.
Texas	SJR 6	Gaming	Authorizing gambling including casinos in Texas.
Utah	SB 67	Payment Cards	Prohibits sellers from imposing surcharge on a transaction paid for with a financial transaction card
Utah	SB 167	Licensing	Allowing restaurant chains to hold a single master liquor license for all locations rather than being required to obtain a permit for each eatery
Virginia	HB 230	Licensing	Provides that upon receipt by the ABC Board of a notice certified by the treasurer, commissioner of the revenue, or finance director of any locality that a licensee of the ABC Board is delinquent in the payment of any taxes, penalties, or interest lawfully imposed by the locality, and who does not have presently pending a bona fide application or appeal with respect to such taxes, penalties, or interest, the ABC Board shall suspend the license until such taxes, penalties, or interest are paid in full.
Virginia	HB 1587	Licensing	Relates to alcoholic beverage control; relates to powers of Alcoholic Beverage Control Board to issue certain case decisions; empowers the Alcoholic Beverage Control Board to render a determination in response to a petition from a private party or Board staff, filed pursuant to the provisions of the Beer Franchise Act requesting the issuance of a case decision declaring whether contemplated action of a named party would be lawful or unlawful if carried out
Virginia	HB 1600	Retail Wine Transfer	Allows a retail off-premises or on-and-off-premises licensee to transfer any wine from one licensed place of business to another licensed place of business under certain circumstances.
Virginia	HB 2300	Three-Tier System	Provides an exception from the tied house restrictions by allowing the granting of any retail license to a distillery licensee, or to an applicant for such license, or to a lessee of such person, a wholly owned subsidiary of such person, or its lessee under certain circumstances. Under current law, this exception is authorized for brewery and winery licensees.

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Virginia	SB 1327	Self Checkout	Provides that no retail off-premises wine and beer licensee shall sell any alcoholic beverage by means of a self-scanning cash register or other point-of-sale system. The bill defines "point-of-sale system" and provides that any person convicted of a violation is guilty of a Class 1 misdemeanor.
Vermont	HB 91	Tastings	An Act Relating to Alcoholic Beverage Sampling
Vermont	HB 174	Direct Shipping	An Act Relating to the Shipment of Malt Beverages
Vermont	SB 53	Internet Sales	An Act Relating to the Internet Sale of Malt and Vinous Beverages
Vermont	SB 61	Direct Shipping	An Act Relating to the Shipment of Malt Beverages
Vermont	SB 65	Bottle Deposit	An Act Relating to the Beverage Container Redemption System
Vermont	SB 87	Prohibits credit card surcharges	Prohibits a Vermont merchant in any sales transaction from imposing a surcharge on a person who elects to use a credit card in lieu of payment by cash, check, or similar means
Vermont	SB 2480	Prohibits credit card surcharges	Credit card; prohibit seller from imposing a surcharge on the buyer for using. Minimum purchase of \$10 without interference. Card companies will also be prohibited from dictating how merchants price items or blocking a merchant from giving a discount for cash, checks, debit cards or credit cards
Washington	HB 1001	Licensing	Creating a beer and wine theater license.
Washington	HB 1009	Self-Checkout	Prohibiting certain liquor self-checkout machines
Washington	HB 1022	Tastings	Finds that rules adopted by the liquor control board restrict sampling of beer and wine in a manner not envisioned by the legislature; Allows beer and wine specialty stores to provide single serving samples of two ounces or less to customers for the purpose of sales promotion without prior board qualification.
Washington	HB 1066	Retail Price Posting	Requiring the advertised selling price of liquor to include liquor taxes.
Washington	HB 1122	Taxes	Extends additional tax on beer of \$15.50/barrel of 31 gallons from June 30, 2013 to December 31, 2016.
Washington	HB 1124	Taxes	Concerns recommendations for streamlining reporting requirements for taxes and fees on spirits.
Washington	HB 1133	Licensing	Allows beer and or wine specialty shop licensees to have an endorsement to sell craft distillery products.
Washington	HB 1149	Craft Distilling	Changes the amount of spirits that a craft distillery may sell, of its own production for consumption off the premises, to up to three liters per person per day.
Washington	HB 1161	License Definitions	Concerning sales for resale by retail licensees of liquor.
Washington	HB 1281	Licensing	Authorizes two or more retail licensees of the same type to group purchase wine or spirits from a licensed distributor, distiller, rectifier, importer, or a certificate of approval holder.
Washington	HB 1282	Licensing	Eliminating the spirits retail license issuance fee.
Washington	HB 1332	Tastings	Concerning limited on-premise spirits sampling.
Washington	HB 1368	Taxes	Changes distribution requirements from the liquor excise tax fund and the liquor revolving fund.
Washington	HB 1411	Three-Tier System	Removing spirits from wholesale distributors and suppliers of malt beverages provisions.
Washington	HB 1422	Tastings	Changing the criteria for the beer and wine tasting endorsement for grocery stores.
Washington	HB 1503	Licensing	Increasing excise tax revenue with liquor license renewals.
Washington	HB 1711	Licensing	Allows multiple liquor licenses at the same physical premises.
Washington	SB 5023	DUI	Providing for college DUI courts.

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Washington	SB 5045	Licensing	Allows day spas to offer or supply without charge wine or beer by the individual glass to a customer for consumption on the premises.
Washington	SB 5111	Licensing	Companion to HB 1001
Washington	SB 5238	Taxes	Concerning recommendations for streamlining reporting requirements for taxes and fees on spirits.
Washington	SB 5261	Self-Checkout	Companion to HB 1009
Washington	SB 5285	Licensing	Increasing excise tax revenue with liquor license renewals.
Washington	SB 5396	Tastings	Concerns limited off-premise spirits sampling.
Washington	SB 5517	Tastings	Changes requirements for grocery stores regarding an endorsement to offer beer and wine tasting.
Washington	SB 5607	Licensing	Creates a theater license to sell beer, including strong beer, wine, spirits, or all, at retail, for consumption on theater premises.
Washington	SB 5628	Licensing	Allows, under certain circumstances, any number or combination of liquor licenses or approvals to be issued and approved for the same premises, overlapping premises, adjacent premises, or separate premises to the same licensee or to different licensees under common ownership.
Washington	SB 5644	Privatization	Finds that some of the regulations adopted to implement the privatization of liquor initiative are at odds with the intent of the people to privatize and modernize both the wholesale distribution and retail sale of spirits and to make more efficient and competitive the distribution of wine. Therefore, the legislature is providing certain definitions in section 2 of the act as further guidance to help accomplish the transition envisioned by voters.
Wisconsin	No Bill #	Civil Penalty	Civil penalties for alcoholic beverage violations by underage persons on licensed premises.
West Virginia	No Bill #	Prohibits credit card surcharges	West Virginia State Sen. H. Truman Chafin, (D-Mingo), this week announced that he plans to introduce legislation to "prohibit merchants from doing to West Virginia customers what has been done to them for a long time," in charging customers a credit card fee of up to 4 percent
Wyoming	SF 54	Licensing	Would allow "malt beverage permits" to sell wine, competing with existing retailers in an unregulated and unlicensed environment
Wyoming	SF 64	Licensing	Relating to alcohol licensing; limiting nonresident interests in wholesale licenses for sale of malt beverages; providing exceptions; providing for a temporary license; and providing for an effective date.