Senate Bill No. 1819



Senate, April 27, 1971. The Committee on Liquor Control reported through Senator Dupont of the 29th District, Chairman of the Committee on the part of the Senate, that the bill ought to pass.

AN ACT CREATING A CHARITABLE ORGANIZATION PERMIT.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

Section 1. Section 30-1 of the general statutes, as amended, is amended by adding subdivision (26) as follows: "Charitable organization" means any nonprofit organization organization purposes to which has been issued a ruling by the Internal Revenue Service classifying it as an exempt organization under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code.

10 Sec. 2. Section 30-15 of the general 11 statutes, as amended, is amended by adding 12 subdivision (u) as follows: Charitable 13 organization permit.

Sec. 3. A charitable organization permit shall allow the retail sale of alcoholic liquor by the drink to be consumed on the premises owned or leased by the organization. Such permit shall be issued on a daily basis subject to the hours of sale in section 5 of this act and only four such permits shall be issued to the same charitable organization in any calendar year.

22 Sec. 4. Section 30-41 of the general 23 statutes, as amended, is amended by adding

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24 subdivision (W) follows: Charitable as 25 organization permit, twenty-five dollars. Sec. 5. Section 30-91 of the 1969 supplement 27 to the general statutes is repealed and the 28 following is substituted in lieu thereof: The sale 29 or the dispensing or consumption or the presence 30 in glasses or other receptacles suitable to permit 31 the consumption of liquor by an individual of 32 alcoholic liquor in places operating under hotel 33 permits, restaurant permits, cafe permits, club 34 permits, [and] golf country club permits AND 35 CHARITABLE ORGANIZATION PERMITS shall be unlawful 36 on the day of any state or municipal election 37 during the hours of voting, and on Sunday after 38 one a.m., Good Friday or Christmas, except when 39 any Sunday is December thirty-first or January 40 first, and except that any town may, by a vote of 41 a town meeting or by ordinance, (a) allow the sale 42 of alcoholic liquor on Sunday between the hours of 43 twelve o'clock noon and nine o'clock in the 44 evening in hotels, restaurants, cafes, clubs and 45 golf country clubs AND PLACES OPERATING UNDER 46 CHARITABLE ORGANIZATION PERMITS and (b) prohibit 47 the sale of alcoholic liquor from twelve o'clock 48 midnight on Saturday until one a.m. on Sunday; 49 and such sale or dispensing or consumption or 50 presence in glasses or other receptacles suitable 51 to permit the consumption of alcoholic liquor by 52 an individual shall be unlawful on any other day 53 between the hours of one o'clock a.m. and nine 54 o'clock a.m., except that such sale shall be 55 lawful on January first until three o'clock in the 56 morning. When any Sunday falls on December 57 thirty-first or January first, sale of alcoholic 58 liquor in any club, golf ccuntry club, restaurant, 59 cafe, [or] hotel OR PLACE OPERATING UNDER A 60 CHARITABLE ORGANIZATION PERMIT shall not begin 61 before twelve o'clock noon. Any town may, by vote 62 of a town meeting or by ordinance, reduce the 63 number of hours during which such sale shall be 64 permissible. The sale or dispensing of alcoholic 65 liquor in places operating under package store

66 permits, package store beer permits, drug store 67 permits, drug store beer permits or grocery store 68 beer permits shall be unlawful on the day of any 69 state or municipal election, on Good Friday, 70 Decoration Day, Thanksgiving Day, New Year's Day, 71 Sunday or Christmas or, if Decoration Day,

72 Christmas or New Year's Day occurs on a Sunday, on 73 the Monday next following such day; and such sale dispensing of alcoholic liquor in places 75 operating under package store permits, package 76 store beer permits, drug store permits, drug store 77 beer permits and grocery store beer permits shall 78 be unlawful on any other day before eight o'clock 79 a.m. and after eight o'clcck p.m. Any town may, 80 by a vote of a town meeting or by ordinance, 81 reduce the number of hours during which such sale 82 shall be permissible. The sale or the dispensing 83 or consumption or the presence in glasses or other 84 receptacles suitable to permit the consumption of 85 liquor by an individual of alcoholic liquor in 86 places operating under a tavern permit shall be 87 unlawful on the day of any state or municipal 88 election during the hours of voting, on Sunday 89 after one a.m., Good Friday or Christmas; and such 90 sale or dispensing or consumption or presence in 91 glasses or other receptacles in such tavern shall 92 be unlawful on any other day between the hours of 93 one o'clock a.m. and nine o'clock a.m. Any town 94 may, by a vote of a town meeting or by ordinance, 95 reduce the number of hours during which such sale 96 shall be permissible or prohibit the sale of 97 alcoholic liquor from twelve o'clock midnight on 98 Saturday until one a.m. on Sunday. In the case 99 of any tavern wherein, under the provisions of 100 this section, the sale of alcoholic liquor is 101 forbidden on certain days or hours of the day, or 102 during the period when a tavern permit is 103 suspended, it shall likewise be unlawful to keep 104 such tavern open to, or permit it to be occupied 105 by, the public on such days or hours. In all 106 cases when a town, either by vote of a town 107 meeting or by ordinance, has acted on the sale of 108 alcoholic liquors or the reduction of the number 109 of hours when such sale is permissible, such 110 action shall become effective on the first day of 111 the month succeeding such action and no further 112 action shall be taken until at least one year 113 elapsed since the previous action was taken. Sec. 6. This act shall take effect July 1,

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Sec. 5. Section 30-91 of the 1969 supplement to the general

statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu

thereof: The sale or the dispensing or consumption or the

presence in glasses or other receptacles suitable to permit the

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consumption of liquor by an individual of alcoholic liquor in	3.
places operating under hotel permits, restaurant permits, cafe	38
permits, club permits_ [and] golf country club permits AND	39
CHARITABLE ORGANIZATION PERMITS shall be unlawful on the day of	
any state or municipal election during the hours of voting, and	41
on Sunday after one a.m., Good Friday or Christmas, except when	42
any Sunday is December thirty-first or January first, and except	1: 43
that any town may, by a vote of a town meeting or by ordinance,	41
(a) allow the sale of alcoholic liquor on Sunday between the	
hours of twelve o'clock noon and nine o'clock in the evening in	45
hotels, restaurants, cafes, clubs and golf country clubs AND	46
PLACES OPERATING UNDER CHARITABLE OPGANIZATION PERMITS and (b)	4.
prohibit the sale of alcoholic liquor from twelve o'clock	4 8
midnight on Saturday until one a.m. on Sunday; and such sale or	49
dispensing or consumption or presence in glasses or other	50
receptacles suitable to permit the consumption of alcoholic	51
liquor by an individual shall be unlawful on any other day	
between the hours of one o'clock a.m. and nine o'clock a.m.,	5
except that such sale shall be lawful on January first until	54
three o'clock in the morning. When any Sunday falls on December	56
thirty-first or January first, sale of alcoholic liquor in any	5
club, golf country club, restaurant, cafe, [or] hotel OR PLACE	5
OPERATING UNDER A CHARITABLE ORGANIZATION PERMIT shall not begin	59
before twelve o'clock noon. Any town may, by vote of a town	6
meeting or by ordinance, reduce the number of hours during which	
such sale shall be permissible. The sale or dispensing of	6
alcoholic liquor in places operating under package store permits,	6
package store beer permits, drug store permits, drug store beer	6
permits or grocery store beer permits shall be unlawful on the	6
day of any state or municipal election, on Good Friday,	6
Decoration Day, Thanksgiving Day, New Year's Day, Sunday or	
Christmas or, if Decoration Day, Christmas or New Year's Day	6
occurs on a Sunday, on the Monday next following such day; and	6
such sale or dispensing of alcoholic liquor in places operating	7
under package store permits, package store beer permits, drug	7

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store permits, drug store beer permits and grocery store beer 72 permits shall be unlawful on any other day before eight o'clock 73 and after eight o'clock p.m. Any town may, by a vote of a 75 town meeting or by ordinance, reduce the number of hours during 76 which such sale shall be permissible. The sale or the dispensing 78 or consumption or the presence in glasses or other receptacles 79 suitable to permit the consumption of liquor by an individual of 80 alcoholic liquor in places operating under a tavern permit shall 81 be unlawful on the day of any state or municipal election during 82 the hours of voting, on Sunday after one a.m., Good Friday or 83 Christmas; and such sale or dispensing or consumption or presence in glasses or other receptacles in such tayern shall be unlawful 84 on any other day between the hours of one o'clock a.m. and nine 86 o'clock a.m. Any town may, by a vote of a town meeting or by 88 ordinance, reduce the number of hours during which such sale 89 shall be permissible or prohibit the sale of alcoholic liquor 90 from twelve o'clock midnight on Saturday until one a.m. on 91 Sunday. In the case of any tavern wherein, under the provisions 93 of this section, the sale of alcoholic liquor is forbidden on 94 certain days or hours of the day, or during the period when a 95 tavern permit is suspended, it shall likewise be unlawful to keep 96 such tavern open to, or permit it to be occupied by, the public 97 on such days or hours. In all cases when a town, either by vote 99 a town meeting or by ordinance, has acted on the sale of alcoholic liquors or the reduction of the number of hours when 100 such sale is permissible, such action shall become effective on 101 the first day of the month succeeding such action and no further 102 action shall be taken until at least one year has elapsed since 103 the previous action was taken.

Sec. 6. This act shall take effect July 1, 1971.

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S	TATEMENT OF PURPOSE: To create a daily permit available	to	108
C	haritable organizations for four days in any year.		109

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