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An act relating to in-store servicing of alcoholic beverages; amending s. 561.424, F.S.; revising applicability of provisions regulating in-store servicing of wine to include products with a specified percentage of alcohol; authorizing the Division of Alcoholic Beverages and Tobacco of the Department of Business and Professional Regulation to adopt rules; providing an effective date.

Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

- Section 1. Subsection (2) of section 561.424, Florida Statutes, is amended, and subsections (3) and (4) are added to that section, to read:
- 561.424 Vinous <u>and other</u> beverages; in-store servicing authorized.—
- (2) Nothing in s. 561.42 or any other provision of the alcoholic beverage law <u>prohibits</u> shall prohibit a distributor of wine from providing in-store servicing of wine sold by <u>the such</u> distributor to a vendor. As used in this section, the term "instore servicing" as used herein means: placing the wine on the vendor's shelves and maintaining the appearance and display of the said wine on the vendor's shelves in the vendor's licensed premises; placing the wine <u>that is</u> not so shelved or displayed

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in a stora	age area desi	gnated by th	ne vendor,	which is lo	cated in
the vendo:	r's licensed	premises; ro	otation of	vinous beve	erages;
and price	stamping of	vinous bever	rages in <u>th</u>	<u>ne</u> vendor's	licensed
premises.	This section	shall not a	apply to di	stilled spi	<del>irits.</del>

- (3) This section does not apply to distilled spirits, but specifically applies to products containing less than 6 percent alcohol by volume as described in s. 564.06(5)(b).
- (4) The division may adopt rules to implement this section.

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Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2024.