

1 A bill to be entitled
2 An act relating to alcoholic beverages; amending s.
3 565.02, F.S.; exempting operators of railroads or
4 sleeping cars from certain liquor bottle size
5 restrictions; providing an effective date.

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

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9 Section 1. Paragraph (a) of subsection (2) of section
10 565.02, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

11 565.02 License fees; vendors; clubs; caterers; and
12 others.—

13 (2) An operator of railroads or sleeping cars, or a vendor
14 in a railroad transit station, in this state may obtain a
15 license to keep for sale and to sell the beverages mentioned in
16 the Beverage Law upon the payment of an annual license tax of
17 \$2,500 to the division. A municipality or county may not require
18 an additional license or levy a tax for the privilege of selling
19 such beverages.

20 (a) Operators of railroads or sleeping cars in this state
21 are authorized to keep for sale and to sell all beverages
22 mentioned in the Beverage Law for consumption upon any dining,
23 club, parlor, buffet, or observation car of a passenger train in
24 which certified copies of the licenses issued to the operators
25 are posted. Certified copies of such licenses shall be issued by

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26 | the division upon the payment of a \$10 fee. A license for the
27 | sale of alcoholic beverages on a passenger train shall be good
28 | throughout the state. Except for alcoholic beverages sold within
29 | the licensed premises of a railroad transit station, or sold
30 | within the licensed premises of an operator, it is unlawful for
31 | such licensees to purchase or sell any liquor on a passenger
32 | train except in miniature bottles of not more than 2 ounces.

33 | Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2018.