#### **DIGEST**

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#### CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT DIGEST

HB 277 2019 Regular Session

Lyons

### **Keyword and oneliner of the instrument as it left the House**

ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE PERMT: Requires the commissioner of alcohol and tobacco control to suspend or revoke permits of certain alcoholic beverage dealers for failure to pay taxes

## Report rejects Senate amendments which would have:

1. Required the commissioner to suspend or revoke any permit of any dealer for failure to pay any trust taxes collected on behalf of state or local government.

# Digest of the bill as proposed by the Conference Committee

<u>Present law</u> requires the commissioner to suspend or revoke any alcohol permit of a dealer that fails to pay any sales taxes due to the state.

<u>Proposed law</u> retains <u>present law</u> and further requires the suspension or revocation of any permit of a dealer that fails to pay any of the following taxes:

- (1) Taxes on beverages of high alcoholic content.
- (2) Taxes on beverages of low alcoholic content.
- (3) Tobacco taxes.
- (4) Withholding taxes.
- (5) La. Stadium and Exposition District hotel occupancy taxes.
- (6) Ernest N. Morial New Orleans Exhibition Hall Authority taxes.

Effective upon signature of governor or lapse of time for gubernatorial action.

(Amends R.S. 26:91(B))