HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

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Substitute for Original House Bill No. 517 by Representative Illg as proposed by the House Committee on Judiciary

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To amend and reenact R.S. 26:73(C)(1)(c) and 272(C)(1)(c), relative to alcoholic beverage permits; to provide relative to the issuance of a Class "R" restaurant permit by the commissioner for the sale of alcoholic beverages of high and low alcoholic content; to provide relative to the definition of restaurant establishment; to provide relative to the sale of alcoholic beverages for consumption off of the premises; and to provide for related matters.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

Section 1. R.S. 26:73(C)(1)(c) and 272(C)(1)(c) are hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

§73. Restaurant "R" permit; application; fees

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C.(1) For purposes of this Section, "restaurant establishment" shall be defined as an establishment:

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(c) Which maintains separate sales figures for alcoholic beverages <u>and</u> prepares alcoholic beverages for consumption on the premises or prepares alcoholic beverages for consumption off premises with an appropriate lid or cover on the <u>container</u>.

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§272. Restaurant "R" permit; application; fees

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(c) Which maintains separate sales figures for alcoholic beverages <u>and</u> prepares alcoholic beverages for consumption on the premises or prepares alcoholic beverages for consumption off premises with an appropriate lid or cover on the <u>container</u>.

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DIGEST

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Abstract: Adds to the definition of restaurant establishment for alcoholic beverages of high and low alcoholic content.

Present law provides regulations for holders of Class "R" restaurant permits.

Present law provides for the definition of restaurant establishment.

<u>Proposed law</u> retains <u>present law</u> and provides that an establishment shall maintain separate sales figures for alcoholic beverages and prepare alcoholic beverages for consumption on the premises or prepare alcoholic beverages for off-premise consumption with an appropriate lid or cover on the container in order to be defined as a restaurant establishment.

(Amends R.S. 26:73(C)(1)(c) and 272(C)(1)(c))