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## **DIGEST**

Morrell (SB 654)

<u>Present law</u> authorizes the commissioner of alcohol and tobacco control to issue a Class A-General liquor permit to any bona fide commercial film theater which had a Class A liquor permit on January 1, 1994.

<u>Proposed law</u> requires the commissioner of alcohol and tobacco control to issue a Class A-General liquor permit to any bona fide commercial film theater provided that beverage alcohol sales are physically segregated from all other concession sales.

<u>Present law</u> authorizes the commissioner of alcohol and tobacco control to issue a Class A-General retail permit for beverages of low alcoholic content to any bona fide commercial film theater which had a retailer's, Class A permit for beverages of low alcoholic content on January 1, 1994.

<u>Proposed law</u> requires the commissioner of alcohol and tobacco control to issue a Class A - General retail permit for beverages of low alcoholic content to any bona fide commercial film theater provided that beverage alcohol sales are physically segregated from all other concession sales.

Effective on July 1, 2014.

(Amends R.S. 26:71.1(1)(e) and 271.2(1)(e))