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1 A bill to be entitled 2 3 4 5 6 7

An act relating to in-store servicing of alcoholic beverages; amending s. 561.424, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; creating s. 561.425, F.S.; authorizing the in-store servicing of distilled spirits sold by a distributor to a vendor; defining the term "in-store servicing"; providing an effective date.

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

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Subsection (2) of section 561.424, Florida Section 1. Statutes, is amended, and subsection (3) is added to that section, to read:

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561.424 Vinous beverages; in-store servicing authorized.-

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Nothing in s. 561.42 or any other provision of the alcoholic beverage law prohibits shall prohibit a distributor of wine from providing in-store servicing of wine sold by the such distributor to a vendor.

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(3) As used in this section, the term "in-store servicing" as used herein means:

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(a) 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. +

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(b) Placing the wine that is not so shelved or displayed

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in a storage area designated by the vendor, which is located in the vendor's licensed premises  $\underline{\cdot} \dot{\tau}$ 

(c) Rotating rotation of vinous beverages.; and

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- (d) Price stamping of vinous beverages in the vendor's licensed premises. This section shall not apply to distilled spirits.
- Section 2. Section 561.425, Florida Statutes, is created to read:
  - 561.425 Distilled spirits; in-store servicing authorized.-
- (1) Nothing in s. 561.42 or any other provision of the alcoholic beverage law prohibits a distributor of distilled spirits from providing in-store servicing of distilled spirits sold by the distributor to a vendor.
- (2) As used in this section, the term "in-store servicing" means:
- (a) Placing distilled spirits, including distilled spirits located in a storage area designated by the vendor, on the vendor's shelves and maintaining the appearance and display of the distilled spirits on the vendor's shelves in the vendor's licensed premises.
  - (b) Placing the distilled spirits in displays.
- (c) Placing the distilled spirits that are not shelved or displayed in a storage area designated by the vendor, which is located in the vendor's licensed premises.
  - (d) Rotating distilled spirits.

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51	(e) Price stamping distilled spirits in the vendor's
52	licensed premises.
53	Section 3. This act shall take effect July 1, 2024.

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