

CHAPTER 160

REVENUE - ACTIVITIES REGULATION

SENATE BILL 24-020

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AN ACT

**CONCERNING AUTHORIZATION FOR CERTAIN PERSONS LICENSED TO SELL ALCOHOL BEVERAGES
AT RETAIL TO SELL ALCOHOL BEVERAGES FOR CONSUMPTION OFF THE LICENSED PREMISES.**

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Colorado:

SECTION 1. In Colorado Revised Statutes, 44-3-911, **repeal** (7); and **add** (3.5) as follows:

44-3-911. Takeout and delivery of alcohol beverages - permit - on-premises consumption licenses - requirements and limitations - rules - definition. (3.5) ON OR AFTER JANUARY 1, 2025, A HOTEL AND RESTAURANT LICENSEE OR TAVERN LICENSEE SHALL NOT ALLOW THE SALE OF ALCOHOL BEVERAGES FOR TAKEOUT AND DELIVERY IN A SEALED MANUFACTURER'S CONTAINER TO BE MADE ACCESSIBLE WITHOUT THE ASSISTANCE OF AN EMPLOYEE OF THE LICENSEE. THIS SUBSECTION (3.5) DOES NOT APPLY TO A HOTEL AND RESTAURANT LICENSEE OPERATING A LODGING ESTABLISHMENT AS DEFINED IN SECTION 6-25-201 (2).

(7) ~~This section is repealed, effective July 1, 2025.~~

SECTION 2. Act subject to petition - effective date. This act takes effect at 12:01 a.m. on the day following the expiration of the ninety-day period after final adjournment of the general assembly; except that, if a referendum petition is filed pursuant to section 1 (3) of article V of the state constitution against this act or an item, section, or part of this act within such period, then the act, item, section, or part will not take effect unless approved by the people at the general election to be

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held in November 2024 and, in such case, will take effect on the date of the official declaration of the vote thereon by the governor.

Approved: May 10, 2024