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A Bill

HOUSE BILL 2087

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For An Act To Be Entitled

AN ACT TO CREATE AN EXCEPTION TO THE REQUIREMENT THAT
A CITY OR TOWN HAVE A REFERENDUM ELECTION TO
AUTHORIZE THE SALE OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES FOR ON-
PREMISES CONSUMPTION; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND
FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Subtitle

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BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:

SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 3-9-203, concerning an exception to the requirement that a city or town have a referendum election for on-premises consumption of alcohol, is amended to add an additional subsection to read as follows:

(d) A city or town may authorize by ordinance the sale of alcoholic beverages for on-premises consumption under § 3-9-201 et seq. if:

(1) The city or town is located in a county that authorized the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquor after November 1, 2012; and

(2) The county in which the city or town is located has one hundred (100) active Alcoholic Beverage Control Division permits at the time the city or town chooses to authorize on-premises consumption.



/s/Broadaway

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