

Stricken language would be deleted from and underlined language would be added to present law.

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A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1257

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By: Senator B. Pierce

For An Act To Be Entitled

AN ACT TO PROHIBIT PERMITTING NEW RETAIL BEER SALES PERMITS AT LOCATIONS WITHIN 1,000 FEET OF A CHURCH OR SCHOOLHOUSE; TO PROHIBIT TRANSFERRING OF EXISTING RETAIL BEER SALES PERMITS TO LOCATIONS WITHIN 1,000 FEET OF A CHURCH OR SCHOOLHOUSE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Subtitle

TO PROHIBIT LOCATING OR TRANSFERRING OF RETAIL BEER SALES PERMITS TO LOCATIONS WITHIN 1,000 FEET OF A CHURCH OR SCHOOLHOUSE.

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

SECTION 1. Arkansas Code Title 3, Chapter 5, Subchapter 3 is amended to add an additional section to read as follows:

3-5-308. Sale of beer near church or schoolhouse prohibited.

After the effective date of this act:

(1) A new permit authorizing the sale of beer at retail in this state shall not be issued for the location of a business situated within one thousand feet (1,000') of a church or schoolhouse; and

(2) An existing permit authorizing the sale of beer at retail in this state shall not be transferred to a location within one thousand feet



(1,000') of a church or schoolhouse.