

SENATE BILL NO. 241

INTRODUCED BY B. BROWN
BY REQUEST OF THE DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE

IN THE SENATE

JANUARY 23, 1993 INTRODUCED AND REFERRED TO COMMITTEE
ON TAXATION.

FIRST READING.

JANUARY 29, 1993 COMMITTEE RECOMMEND BILL
DO PASS. REPORT ADOPTED.

JANUARY 30, 1993 PRINTING REPORT.

ON MOTION, CONSIDERATION PASSED
FOR THE DAY.

FEBRUARY 1, 1993 SECOND READING, DO PASS.

FEBRUARY 2, 1993 ENGROSSING REPORT.

THIRD READING, PASSED.
AYES, 46; NOES, 0.

TRANSMITTED TO HOUSE.

IN THE HOUSE

FEBRUARY 3, 1993 INTRODUCED AND REFERRED TO COMMITTEE
ON STATE ADMINISTRATION.

FIRST READING.

FEBRUARY 6, 1993 ON MOTION, REREFERRED TO COMMITTEE
ON BUSINESS & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

MARCH 5, 1993 COMMITTEE RECOMMEND BILL BE
CONCURRED IN. REPORT ADOPTED.

POSTED ON CONSENT CALENDAR.

MARCH 6, 1993 CONSENT CALENDAR, QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS.

MARCH 9, 1993 THIRD READING, CONCURRED IN.
AYES, 94; NOES, 4.

MARCH 10, 1993 RETURNED TO SENATE.

IN THE SENATE

MARCH 11, 1993

RECEIVED FROM HOUSE.

SENT TO ENROLLING.

REPORTED CORRECTLY ENROLLED.

APPROVED BY COMMITTEE
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7 16-3-214, MCA; AND PROVIDING AN IMMEDIATE EFFECTIVE DATE."

9 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MONTANA:

10 **Section 1.** Section 16-3-214, MCA, is amended to read:

11 "16-3-214. Beer sales by brewers -- taproom exception.

(1) Subject to the limitations and restrictions contained in this code, ~~any a brewer duly-licensed-as-such-by-the-United States-of-America~~ who manufactures less than 60,000 barrels of beer a year, upon payment of the annual license fee imposed by 16-4-501 and upon presenting satisfactory evidence to the department as required by 16-4-101, ~~shall~~ must be licensed by the department, in accordance with the provisions of this code and ~~such rules as-may-be~~ prescribed by the department, to:

21 (a) sell and deliver beer from its storage depot or
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23 (i) a wholesaler;

24 (ii) any retail licensees who are entitled to purchase
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(b) provide, without charge, its own products for consumption on its licensed premises; or

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9 (3) This section does not prohibit a brewer located
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