SENATE BILL No. 358

By Committee on Federal and State Affairs

AN ACT concerning alcoholic beverages; relating to manufacturer licenses; permitting tastings by such licensees; amending K.S.A. 2011 Supp. 41-305 and repealing the existing section.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Kansas:

Section 1. K.S.A. 2011 Supp. 41-305 is hereby amended to read as follows: 41-305. (a) A manufacturer's license shall allow the manufacture and storage of alcoholic liquor and cereal malt beverage and the sale of alcoholic liquor and cereal malt beverage to distributors and nonbeverage users licensed in this state and to such persons outside this state as permitted by law.

(b) A manufacturer's license also shall allow the serving free of charge on the licensed premises of samples of alcoholic liquor manufactured by the licensee, provided the premises are located in a county where the sale of alcoholic liquor is permitted by law in licensed drinking establishments. Sample sizes shall be no more than 1/2 ounce per sample. No individual shall be served more than four samples in one day. Samples shall be served by the licensee, or an employee or agent thereof. No sample shall be served to an individual who is a minor. No individual shall remove all or any portion of a sample from the licensed premises. Nothing in this subsection shall be construed to permit the licensee to sell any alcoholic liquor for consumption on the premises.

(c) A person holding a farm winery license issued pursuant to K.S.A. 41-308a, and amendments thereto, may also be issued a manufacturer's license; provided, that no alcoholic liquor or cereal malt beverage manufactured by such licensee shall be sold by such licensee at its licensed premises or at any of such licensee's winery outlets.

Sec. 2. K.S.A. 2011 Supp. 41-305 is hereby repealed.

Sec. 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the statute book.