

SENATE No. 2294

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Michael R. Knapik

To the Honorable Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts in General Court assembled:

The undersigned legislators and/or citizens respectfully petition for the adoption of the accompanying bill:

An Act authorizing the city of Easthampton to grant an additional license for the sale of all alcoholic beverages to be drunk on the premises.

PETITION OF:

NAME:

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

Michael R. Knapik

John W. Scibak

2nd Hampshire

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By Mr. Knapik, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No.2294) of Michael R. Knapik and John W. Scibak (with the approval of the mayor and city council) for legislation to authorize the city of Easthampton to grant an additional license for the sale of all alcoholic beverages to be drunk on the premises. Consumer Protection and Professional Licensure. [Local Approval Received.]

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In the Year Two Thousand Twelve

An Act authorizing the city of Easthampton to grant an additional license for the sale of all alcoholic beverages to be drunk on the premises.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

1 SECTION 1. Notwithstanding the provisions of section 17 of chapter 138 of the General
2 Laws, the licensing authority of the city of Easthampton may grant an additional license for the
3 sale of all alcoholic beverages to be drunk on the premises to John Casey Douglass at 60-62
4 Main Street in the city of Easthampton, under section 12 of said chapter 138. Said license shall
5 be subject to all provisions of said chapter 138 except said section 17.

6 John Casey Douglass shall have a period of 3 years from the effective date of this act
7 within which to apply for the license. If he has not applied for the license within the 3-year
8 period, the license shall remain with the licensing authority and may be reissued to the same
9 location under the conditions set forth in this act.

10 The local alcohol licensing authority shall not approve the transfer of said license to any
11 other location but it may grant the license to a new applicant at the same location if the applicant

12 files with the licensing authority a letter from the department of revenue indicating that the
13 license is in good standing with the department and that any and all applicable taxes have been
14 paid.

15 If the license granted under this section is cancelled, revoked or no longer in use, it shall
16 be returned physically, with all of the legal rights, privileges and restrictions pertaining thereto,
17 to the licensing authority which may then grant the license to a new applicant at the same
18 location and under the same conditions as specified in this act.