HOUSE DOCKET, NO. 5071 FILED ON: 5/3/2022

HOUSE . . . . . No. 4788

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Daniel J. Ryan and Sal N. DiDomenico

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 relative to liquor licenses in the City of Chelsea.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
Daniel J. Ryan	*2nd Suffolk*	*5/3/2022*
Sal N. DiDomenico	*Middlesex and Suffolk*	*5/5/2022*
Jessica Ann Giannino	*16th Suffolk*	*5/4/2022*

HOUSE DOCKET, NO. 5071 FILED ON: 5/3/2022

HOUSE . . . . . No. 4788

By Representative Ryan of Boston and Senator DiDomenico, a joint petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 4788) of Daniel J. Ryan, Sal N. DiDomenico and Jessica Ann Giannino (with the approval of the city council) that the city of Chelsea be authorized to grant five licenses for the sale of all alcoholic beverages to be drunk on the premises in said city. Consumer Protection and Professional Licensure. [Local Approval Received.]

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the One Hundred and Ninety-Second General Court
(2021-2022)

An Act relative to liquor licenses in the City of Chelsea.

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

(a) Notwithstanding the maximum number of licenses authorized to be granted under section 17 of chapter 138 of the General Laws, the licensing authority of the City of Chelsea may grant the new five (5) additional full licenses for the sale of all alcoholic beverages to be drunk on the premises under section 12 of said chapter 138, provided only to establishments that meet the City's definition of hotels, restaurants and function halls, provided that, in the case of function halls only, the seating capacity is more than 100 persons.

(b) A license granted under this section shall not be transferable to any other person, corporation or organization and shall be deemed a Chelsea License. A transfer in violation of subsection (a) or (b) shall render the license null and void.

(c) If a license granted under this section is cancelled, revoked or no longer in use at the location of original issuance, it shall be returned physically with all of the legal rights and

privileges pertaining thereto to the local licensing authority which may then grant the license to a new applicant.