

SENATE No. 227

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Michael O. Moore

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 town of Millbury to grant an additional liquor license.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	
<i>Michael O. Moore</i>	<i>Second Worcester</i>	
<i>Paul K. Frost</i>	<i>7th Worcester</i>	<i>5/13/2021</i>

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By Mr. Moore, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 227) of Michael O. Moore (by vote of the town) for legislation to authorize the town of Millbury to grant an additional liquor license. Consumer Protection and Professional Licensure. [Local approval received]

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

An Act authorizing the town of Millbury to grant an additional liquor license.

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. (a) Notwithstanding section 17 of chapter 138 of the General Laws, the
2 licensing authority of the town of Millbury may grant 1 additional license for the sale of all
3 alcoholic beverages not to be drunk on the premises pursuant to section 15 of said chapter 138 to
4 Goretti Supermarkets, Inc. at 1 Providence Street in the town. The license shall be subject to all
5 of said chapter 138 except said section 17.

6 (b) The licensing authority shall not approve the transfer of the license to any other
7 location but it may grant the license to a new applicant at the same location if the applicant files
8 with the licensing authority a letter from the department of revenue and a letter from the
9 department of unemployment assistance indicating that the license is in good standing with those
10 departments and that all applicable taxes, fees and contributions have been paid.

11 (c) If a licensee terminates or fails to renew the license granted under this section or the
12 license is cancelled, revoked or no longer in use, it shall be returned physically, with all of the

13 legal rights, privileges and restrictions pertaining thereto, to the licensing authority, which may
14 then grant the license to a new applicant at the same location under the same conditions as
15 specified in this act.

16 (d) The license granted pursuant to this act shall be issued within 1 year after the effective
17 date of this act; provided, however, that if the license is originally granted within that 1-year time
18 period, it may be granted to a new applicant pursuant to subsection (b) or (c) any time thereafter.

19 SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon its passage.