

HOUSE No. 5689

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, October 13, 2026.

The committee on Consumer Protection and Professional Licensure, to whom was referred the joint petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 5583) of Joseph D. McKenna and Ryan C. Fattman (by vote of the town) that the town of Webster be authorized to grant an additional license for the sale of all alcoholic beverages not to be drunk on the premises in said town, reports recommending that the accompanying bill (House, No. 5689) ought to pass [Local Approval Received].

For the committee,

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In the One Hundred and Ninety-Fourth General Court
(2025-2026)

An Act authorizing the town of Webster to grant an additional license for the sale of all alcoholic beverages not 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. (a) Notwithstanding section 17 of chapter 138 of the General Laws, the
2 licensing authority of the town of Webster may grant an 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 G.T. Legacy Group d/b/a Pine View Liquors, located at Pine View Plaza, 164 Gore Road in the
5 town. The license granted pursuant to this act shall be subject to all of said chapter 138 except
6 said section 17.

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

13 (c) If a licensee terminates or fails to renew the license granted pursuant to this act or any
14 such license is cancelled, revoked or no longer in use, the license shall be returned physically,
15 with all of the legal rights, privileges and restrictions pertaining thereto, to the licensing authority
16 which may, within 3 years of such return, then grant the license to a new applicant at the same
17 location under the same conditions as specified in this act, otherwise such license shall dissolve.

18 (d) The license granted pursuant to this act shall be issued within 3 years after the
19 effective date of this act; provided, however, that a license that is originally granted within that
20 time period may be granted to a new applicant under subsections (b) and (c) thereafter.

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