

General Assembly

Raised Bill No. 327

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LCO No. 1560



Referred to Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH

Introduced by: (PH)

AN ACT CONCERNING THE PROVISION OF FOOD AND BEVERAGES IN FUNERAL HOMES.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 Section 1. Section 20-230e of the general statutes is repealed and the
- 2 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective October 1, 2021*):
- 3 (a) Any [person engaged in the business of funeral directing and any]
- 4 funeral director, as [such terms are] defined in section 20-207, may serve
- 5 (1) nonalcoholic beverages and packaged food, as defined in section 21a-
- 6 151, to a person at the time he or she is making funeral arrangements or
- 7 arranging for disposition of a dead human body at a funeral home, and
- 8 (2) nonalcoholic beverages and catered food to a person attending
- 9 funeral services at the funeral director's establishment. The funeral
- 10 <u>director serving nonalcoholic beverages or catered food during</u> funeral
- services may provide space, facilities, equipment or supplies for the
- 12 distribution or consumption of nonalcoholic beverages and catered
- 13 food.
- 14 (b) Notwithstanding the provisions of this section, no funeral service

- business, as defined in section 20-207, may operate as a class 1, class 2,
- 16 <u>class 3 or class 4 food establishment or catering food service</u>
- establishment, as such terms are defined in section 19a-36g.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:

Section 1	October 1, 2021	20-230e

PH Joint Favorable