

1 AN ACT relating to alcoholic beverages.

2 ***Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky:***

3 ➔Section 1. KRS 243.120 is amended to read as follows:

- 4 (1) A distiller's, rectifier's, or winery license shall authorize the licensee to engage in
5 the business of distiller, rectifier, or winery at the premises specifically designated
6 in the license, to maintain aging warehouses, and to transport ~~[for himself or herself~~
7 ~~]only any alcoholic beverage which the licensee~~[he or she]~~ is authorized under the~~
8 license to manufacture or sell. The licensee shall transport alcoholic beverages only
9 by a vehicle operated by himself or herself, which has affixed to its sides at all times
10 a sign of form and size prescribed by the state board, containing among other things
11 the name and license number of the licensee. No distilled spirits or wine shall be
12 transported on the same truck or vehicle with malt beverages, except by a common
13 carrier, unless the owner of the truck or vehicle holds a distributor's license.
- 14 (2) (a) The manufacture of distilled spirits at the distillery shall not be less than six
15 hundred (600) gallons in one (1) year.
- 16 (b) Distillers that produce more than fifty thousand (50,000) gallons of distilled
17 spirits per calendar year at the premises shall obtain a distiller's license, Class
18 A.
- 19 (c) Distillers that produce fifty thousand (50,000) gallons or less of distilled
20 spirits per calendar year at the premises shall obtain a distiller's license, Class
21 B (craft distillery).
- 22 (3) (a) Rectifiers that rectify more than fifty thousand (50,000) gallons of distilled
23 spirits per calendar year at the premises shall obtain a rectifier's license, Class
24 A.
- 25 (b) Rectifiers that rectify fifty thousand (50,000) gallons or less of distilled spirits
26 per calendar year at the premises shall obtain a rectifier's license, Class B
27 (craft rectifier).

- 1 (4) (a) A distiller that is located in wet territory, or in any precinct that has authorized
2 the limited sale of alcoholic beverages at distilleries under KRS 242.1243,
3 may sell distilled spirits by the drink or by the package at retail to consumers
4 in accordance with KRS 243.0305.
- 5 (b) Any distilled spirits sold under this subsection shall be taxed and distributed
6 in the same manner as sales under KRS 243.0305(2).
- 7 (c) Except as provided in this subsection, sales under this subsection shall be
8 governed by all of the statutes and administrative regulations governing the
9 retail sale of distilled spirits by the drink.
- 10 (5) Nothing in this section shall be construed to:
- 11 (a) Vitate the policy of this Commonwealth supporting an orderly three (3) tier
12 system for the production and sale of alcoholic beverages; or
- 13 (b) Allow delivery or shipment of alcohol into dry or moist territory.