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A BILL

То	amend section 4303.05 of the Revised Code to	1
	allow A-4 liquor permit holders to manufacture	2
	and sell ice cream containing between one-half	3
	of one per cent and six per cent of alcohol by	4
	volume.	

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF OHIO:

Section 1. That section 4303.05 of the Revised Code be	6
amended to read as follows:	7
Sec. 4303.05. (A) Permit A-4 may be issued to—a either of	8
the following:	9
(1) A manufacturer to manufacture prepared highballs,	10
cocktails, cordials, and other mixed drinks beverages containing	11
not less than <u>four one-half of one</u> per cent of alcohol by volume	12
and not more than twenty-one per cent of alcohol by volume, and	13
to sell such products to wholesale and retail permit holders in	14
sealed containers only under such rules as are adopted by the	15
division of liquor control. The holder of such permit may import	16
into the state spirituous liquor and wine only for blending or	17
other manufacturing purposes under such rules as are prescribed	18

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by the division.		
(2) A manufacturer to manufacture ice cream containing not	20	
less than one-half of one per cent of alcohol by volume but not	21	
more than six per cent of alcohol by volume, and to sell those	22	
products either for consumption on the premises where	23	
manufactured or in sealed containers for consumption off the	24	
premises where manufactured. For off-premises consumption	25	
purposes, a manufacturer shall not knowingly sell more than four	26	
pints of such ice cream to a customer in any calendar day.	27	
No A-4 permit shall be issued to a manufacturer to sell	28	
ice cream under division (A)(2) of this section unless the sale	29	
of mixed beverages for both on- and off-premises consumption is		
authorized in the election precinct in which the A-4 permit is		
proposed to be located.		
(B) The holder of such an A-4 permit may also purchase	33	
spirituous liquor for manufacturing and blending purposes from	34	
the holder of an A-3 permit issued by the division. The fee for	35	
an A-4 permit is three thousand nine hundred six dollars for		
each plant.		
Section 2. That existing section 4303.05 of the Revised	38	
Code is hereby repealed.	39	