

HOUSE BILL 1151

By Sexton

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 57,
Chapter 5, Part 1, relative to the sale of beer.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 57-5-105(b)(1), is amended by deleting the language "No beer will be sold" and by substituting instead the language "Except as provided in subsection (c), no beer will be sold".

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 57-5-105, is amended by adding the following language as a new subsection (c), and by redesignating the subsequent subsections accordingly:

(c) Subdivision (b)(1) shall not apply in any county having a population of over nine hundred thousand (900,000), according to the 2010 federal census or any subsequent federal census, where a church:

- (1) Leases or rents a warehouse facility and the underlying property is not tax exempt; and
- (2) Is located in an area zoned for commercial or industrial use.

SECTION 3. If any provision of this act or the application thereof to any person or circumstance is held invalid, then all provisions and applications of this are declared to be invalid and void.

SECTION 4. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.