

1 HB119
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SYNOPSIS: This bill would allow any retailer licensed to sell alcoholic beverages for off-premises consumption to use a drive-through or walk-up window for the purchase of beer and wine.

This bill would also require the Alcoholic Beverage Control Board to adopt rules.

A BILL
TO BE ENTITLED
AN ACT

Relating to alcoholic beverages; to allow a retailer licensed to sell beer or wine for off-premises consumption to use a drive-through or walk-up window for the purchase of beer and wine; and to require the Alcoholic Beverage Control Board to adopt rules.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA:

Section 1. (a) Any retailer licensed to sell beer or wine for off-premises consumption by the Alcoholic Beverage Control Board may contain facilities for the sale of beer or

1 table wine, or both, by means of a "drive-up," "walk-up," or
2 "drive-thru" window or other type of exterior access. Any
3 employee handling beer or wine at the "drive-up," "walk-up,"
4 or "drive-thru" window must be 21 years of age or older.

5 (b) Any sale made pursuant to subsection (a) shall
6 be subject to all existing federal, state, and local laws,
7 rules, and regulations for the sale of alcoholic beverages.

8 (c) Not later than January 1, 2023, the board shall
9 adopt rules to implement this section.

10 Section 2. This act shall become effective July 1,
11 2022, following its passage and approval by the Governor, or
12 its otherwise becoming law.