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AMEND Senate Bill No. 1327

House Bill No. 594*

by deleting all language after the enacting clause and substituting:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 7-3-303, is amended by adding the following new subsection (d):

(d) Notwithstanding another law to the contrary, the metropolitan council or beer board of a metropolitan government with a population of more than five hundred thousand (500,000), according to the 2020 federal census or a subsequent federal census, shall not, within a central business improvement district (CBID) established in 1999, regulate the sale of beer, as defined in § 57-5-101, or other alcoholic beverages, as defined in § 57-4-102, for on-premises consumption by a licensee who holds a license to sell alcoholic beverages for consumption on the premises within the CBID issued pursuant to title 57, chapter 4. The alcoholic beverage commission has the exclusive authority to regulate the sale of beer and alcoholic beverages within the boundaries of the CBID within the metropolitan government. The commission shall employ an amount of regulatory and law enforcement staff sufficient to adequately enforce this subsection (d) as determined by the commission.

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 57-4-101, is amended by adding the following new subsection:

(q) Notwithstanding another law to the contrary, a person holding a license issued under this chapter within the boundaries of a metropolitan government with a population of more than five hundred thousand (500,000), according to the 2020 federal census or a subsequent federal census, may, within a central business improvement



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district (CBID) established in 1999, sell beer for on-premises consumption solely pursuant to such license issued under this chapter. A permit or license other than the license issued under this chapter is not required for the licensed establishment to engage in such sales of beer for on-premises consumption within the CBID and the issuer of that license has the authority to enforce all laws related to such sales within the CBID.

SECTION 3. This act takes effect January 1, 2024, the public welfare requiring it.