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Subject: RE: UPDATE: Seven Day Sales Legislation (SB2518/HB1540)
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Valerie,

We should probably go ahead and start 1st reading to change the ordinance. This will be a 3 reading process but will not effect the liquor stores immediate ability to start selling liquor on Sundays.

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From: Valerie Hale <valerie.hale@crossvilletn.gov>
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Good morning,

Governor Haslam has signed the seven day sales legislation, and many of the new law's provisions are immediately effective. Please see the information below for the provisions of the bill.

Retail Package Stores:

- Retail package stores can begin selling alcoholic beverages on **Sunday, April 22, 2018, between the hours of 10:00 a.m. and 11:00 p.m.**
- Retail package store **shall not** sell alcoholic beverages on Christmas, Thanksgiving, and Easter.
- Retail package stores must immediately begin **"marking up" the price of spirits by ten percent (10%)**. The minimum markup for wine remains 20%.
 - Please refer to the [Unfair Wine Sales Law FAQ](#) for information regarding the markup calculations and agency interpretation.

Retail Food (Grocery) Stores

- Retail food stores **cannot sell wine on Sunday until January 6, 2019.**
- Beginning on January 6, 2019, retail food stores may begin selling wine on Sundays between the hours of 10:00 a.m. and 11:00 p.m.
- Retail food stores may sell wine on any holiday.

Moratorium on New Retail Package Stores in Jurisdictions that Approved Package Stores before April 1, 2018

- To obtain a retail package store license in a jurisdiction that approved retail package stores before April 1, 2018, **an applicant must have had filed and paid for a retail package store license application on or before April 19, 2018, or an applicant must acquire the right to purchase an existing licensee in that jurisdiction.**
- The moratorium **does not apply** to jurisdictions who pass referenda authorizing retail package stores after April 1, 2018.
- The moratorium **expires on July 1, 2021.**

If you have any questions regarding this new law, please do not hesitate to reach out to us by e-mailing tabc.info@tn.gov.

Have a great weekend!

Sincerely,



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