

LEGISLATIVE BILL 666

Approved by the Governor May 7, 1971

Introduced by William Skarda, Jr., 7th District

AN ACT to amend section 53-102, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, 1943, relating to liquor; to provide that persons over sixteen may possess beer or handle beer containers and beer under certain conditions; and to repeal the original section.

Be it enacted by the people of the State of Nebraska,

Section 1. That section 53-102, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, 1943, be amended to read as follows:

53-102. No person shall manufacture, bottle, blend, sell, barter, transport, deliver, furnish or possess any alcoholic liquor for beverage purposes, except as specifically provided in this act; Provided, however, nothing herein contained shall prevent the possession and transportation of alcoholic liquor for the personal use of the possessor, his family and guests; nor prevent the making of wine, cider or other alcoholic liquor by a person from fruits, vegetables or grains, or the product thereof, by simple fermentation and without distillation, if it is made solely for the use of the maker, his family and guests; nor prevent any duly licensed practicing physician or dentist from possessing or using alcoholic liquor in the strict practice of his profession, or any hospital or other institution caring for the sick and diseased persons, from possessing and using alcoholic liquor for the treatment of bona fide patients of such hospital or other institution, or any drug store employing a licensed pharmacist from possessing or using alcoholic liquors in the compounding of prescriptions of duly licensed physicians; nor prevent the possession and dispensation of wine by an authorized representative of any church for the purpose of conducting any bona fide rite or religious ceremony conducted by such church; nor prevent persons who are sixteen years old or older from carrying beer from grocery stores when they are accompanied by a person not a minor; nor prevent persons who are sixteen years old or older from handling beer containers and beer in the course of their employment in grocery stores.

Sec. 2. That original section 53-102, Reissue

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Revised Statutes of Nebraska, 1943, is repealed.