

**REVENUE: No revenue impact**

**FISCAL: Minimal fiscal impact, no statement issued**

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**Action:** Do Pass as Amended and Be Printed Engrossed  
**Vote:** 10 - 0 - 0  
**Yeas:** Barton, Cameron, Garrett, Krieger, Olson, Shields, Smith J., Stiegler, Whisnant, Barker  
**Nays:** 0  
**Exc.:** 0  
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**Meeting Dates:** 2/16, 3/9

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**WHAT THE MEASURE DOES:** Modifies conditions under which a parent or guardian may give alcohol to a person under 21 years of age. Creates an exception for wine provided during a religious rite or service.

**ISSUES DISCUSSED:**

- Minor in Possession Laws
- Violation treatment vs. Misdemeanor
- Use of alcohol in religious ceremonies

**EFFECT OF COMMITTEE AMENDMENT:** Creates an exception for wine provided during a religious rite or service.

**BACKGROUND:** The measure establishes that a parent or guardian may provide alcohol to an underage person only if they are accompanying the underage person and they are in a private residence. In all other instances, a person in control of property may not allow any person under age 21 to consume alcohol on the property and may not allow someone who is underage and who has consumed alcohol to remain on the property.