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INDEPENDENT REGULATORY REVIEW COMMISSION
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December 14, 2000

Honorable John E. Jones, III, Chairman
Pennsylvania Liquor Control Board
518 Northwest Office Building
Harrisburg, PA 17124

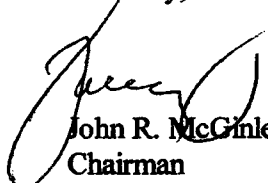
Re: Regulation #54-55 (IRRC #2066)
Pennsylvania Liquor Control Board
Corrections and Revisions

Dear Chairman Jones:

The Independent Regulatory Review Commission approved your regulation on December 14, 2000. Our Order is enclosed and is available on our website at www.irrc.state.pa.us.

We appreciate the joint effort that went into producing a regulation that met the criteria and intent of the Regulatory Review Act.

Sincerely,


John R. McGinley, Jr.
Chairman
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cc: Honorable Roy Reinard, Majority Chairman, House Liquor Control Committee
Honorable Robert C. Donatucci, Democratic Chairman, House Liquor Control Committee
Honorable Robert J. Thompson, Chairman, Senate Law & Justice Committee
Honorable Jack Wagner, Minority Chairman, Senate Law & Justice Committee
Jerry Danyluk, Regulatory Coordinator, PA Liquor Control Board
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**INDEPENDENT REGULATORY REVIEW COMMISSION
APPROVAL ORDER**

Commissioners Voting:

Public Meeting Held December 14, 2000

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Regulation No. 54-55
Pennsylvania Liquor Control Board
Corrections and Revisions

On September 17, 1999, the Independent Regulatory Review Commission (Commission) received this proposed regulation from the Pennsylvania Liquor Control Board (Board). This rulemaking amends 40 Pa. Code, Chapters 5, 7, 9, 11 and 13. The proposed regulation was published in the October 9, 1999 *Pennsylvania Bulletin* with a 30-day public comment period. The final-form regulation was submitted to the Commission on October 31, 2000.

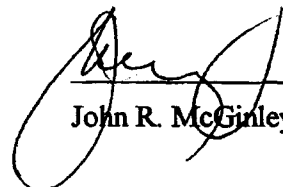
The regulation makes a number of editorial and technical corrections to the Board's existing regulations. The rulemaking is mandated, in part, by Act 155 of 1998, and the federal district court decision in *Beer and Pop Warehouse v. Jones*.

We have determined this regulation is consistent with the statutory authority of the Pennsylvania Liquor Control Board (47 P.S. § 2-207(i)) and the intention of the General Assembly. Having considered all of the other criteria of the Regulatory Review Act, we find promulgation of this regulation is in the public interest.

BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION:

This regulation is approved.





John R. McGinley, Jr., Chairman