SENATE BILL No. 276

By Committee on Federal and State Affairs

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AN ACT concerning alcoholic beverages; relating to the employment of certain individuals by licensees under the club and drinking establishment act; amending K.S.A. 41-2610 and repealing the existing section.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Kansas:

Section 1. K.S.A. 41-2610 is hereby amended to read as follows: 41-2610. (a) It shall be unlawful for any licensee or holder of a temporary permit under this act to:

- (a) (1) Employ any person under the age of 18 years in connection with the serving of alcoholic liquor.
- (b) (2) Employ knowingly or continue in employment any person in connection with the dispensing or serving of alcoholic liquor or the mixing of drinks containing alcoholic liquor who has been adjudged guilty of a felony or of any crime involving a morals charge in this or any other state, or of the United States.
- (e) (3) Employ knowingly or to continue in employment any person in connection with the dispensing or serving of alcoholic liquor or mixing of drinks containing alcoholic liquor who has been adjudged guilty of a violation of any intoxicating liquor law of this or any other state, or of the United States, during the two-year period immediately following such adjudging.
- (d) (4) In the case of a club, fail to maintain at the licensed premises a current list of all members and their residence addresses or refuse to allow the director, any of the director's authorized agents or any law enforcement officer to inspect such list.
- (e) (5) Purchase alcoholic liquor from any person except from a person authorized by law to sell such alcoholic liquor to such licensee or permit holder.
- (f) (6) Permit any employee of the licensee or permit holder who is under the age of 21 years to work on premises where alcoholic liquor is sold by such licensee or permit holder at any time when not under the onpremises supervision of either the licensee or permit holder, or an employee who is 21 years of age or over.
- (g) (7) Employ any person under 21 years of age in connection with the mixing or dispensing of drinks containing alcoholic liquor.

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(b) Prior to hiring any employee, a licensee, or a holder of a temporary permit, shall conduct a background investigation on such perspective employee in accordance with rules and regulations adopted by the secretary. The secretary shall adopt rules and regulations regarding such background investigations.

Sec. 2. K.S.A. 41-2610 is hereby repealed.

Sec. 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the statute book.

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