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SUMMARY

Allows brewery-public house licensee to also hold off-premises sales license under certain circumstances. Allows brewery-public house licensee to import malt beverages for which licensee controls brand.

Establishes Oregon Spirits Board. Authorizes or requires board activities for purpose of supporting Oregon distilled liquor industry. Requires board to establish state distilled liquor room for purposes of quality improvement, providing tastings to public and providing distilled liquor for state functions and official gifts. Establishes Oregon Spirits Board Fund for use by board. Directs moneys to fund from Oregon Liquor Control Commission Account.

Allows distillery licensee to purchase distilled liquor directly from manufacturer for purposes of blending or manufacturing. Provides that distillery licensee must hold federal distilled spirits plant basic permit to exercise certain privileges of license.

Authorizes appointment of distillery licensee as distillery retail outlet agent for distiller consenting to appointment. Allows distillery licensee sales of distilled liquor produced by distiller for which distillery licensee is distillery retail outlet agent. Allows agreement between distiller and distillery licensee acting as distillery retail outlet agent of distiller for resulting expenses of agent, subject to Oregon Liquor Control Commission approval and oversight.

Allows distillery licensee to offer tastings of distilled liquor manufactured by any distiller and to offer tastings as mixed drinks. Eliminates requirement that distilled liquor used for tastings be purchased from commission. Provides for payment of processing fee to commission if distilled liquor used for tastings is transferred by manufacturer from inventory of commission.

Allows distillery licensee holding special events distillery license to conduct event at distillery premises. Deletes requirement regarding licensee purchase price for distilled liquor licensee sells in factory sealed containers at special event.

Declares emergency, effective on passage.

A BILL FOR AN ACT

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1 Relating to alcoholic beverages; creating new provisions; amending ORS 471.200, 471.230 and 471.810; and declaring an emergency. $\mathbf{2}$ Be It Enacted by the People of the State of Oregon: 3 4 **BREWERY-PUBLIC HOUSE LICENSEES** 56 7 **SECTION 1.** ORS 471.200 is amended to read: 471.200. (1) A brewery-public house license allows the licensee: 8 (a) To manufacture on the licensed premises, store, transport, sell to 9 wholesale malt beverage and wine licensees of the Oregon Liquor Control 10 Commission and export malt beverages[;]. 11 12(b) To import malt beverages, if the brand of malt beverages is under the control of the licensee. As used in this paragraph, 13 "control" means that the licensee: 14 (A) Owns the brand under which the malt beverages are labeled; 15 16 or (B) Performs or has the legal right to perform all of the acts com-17mon to a brand owner under the terms of a trademark license or 18 similar agreement that for the brand under which the malt beverages 19 are labeled has a term of at least three years. 2021[(b)] (c) To sell malt beverages manufactured on or off the licensed premises at retail for consumption on or off the premises[;]. 22[(c)] (d) To sell malt beverages in brewery-sealed packages at retail di-23rectly to the consumer for consumption off the premises[;]. 24[(d)] (e) To sell on the licensed premises at retail malt beverages manu-25factured on or off the licensed premises in unpasteurized or pasteurized form 26directly to the consumer for consumption off the premises, delivery of which 27may be made in a securely covered container supplied by the consumer[;]. 28[(e)] (f) To sell wine and cider at retail for consumption on or off the 29premises[;]. 30

31 [(f)] (g) To sell for consumption off the premises wines and cider in

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securely covered containers supplied by the consumer and having capacities
 of not more than two gallons each[;].

3 [(g)] (h) To conduct the activities, except manufacturing, described in 4 paragraphs (a) to [(f)] (g) of this subsection at one location other than the 5 premises where the manufacturing occurs[; and].

6 [(h)] (i) To obtain a special events brewery-public house license entitling 7 the holder to conduct the activities allowed under paragraphs [(b) to (f)] (c) 8 to (g) of this subsection at a designated location other than the location set 9 forth in the brewery-public house license for a period not exceeding five 10 days.

(2) In addition to the privileges specified in subsection (1) of this section, 11 in any calendar year a brewery-public house licensee may sell at wholesale 12to licensees of the commission malt beverages produced by the brewery-13 public house licensee if the brewery-public house licensee produced 5,000 14 barrels or less of malt beverages in the immediately preceding calendar year. 15 (3) A brewery-public house licensee, or any person having an interest in 16 the licensee, is a retail licensee for the purposes of ORS 471.394 and, except 17as otherwise provided by this section and ORS 471.396, may not acquire or 18 hold any right, title, lien, claim or other interest, financial or otherwise, in, 19 upon or to the premises, equipment, business or merchandise of any man-20ufacturer or wholesaler, as defined in ORS 471.392. A brewery-public house 21licensee, or any person having an interest in the licensee, is also a man-22ufacturer for the purposes of ORS 471.398 and, except as otherwise provided 23by this section and ORS 471.400, may not acquire or hold any right, title, 24lien, claim or other interest, financial or otherwise, in, upon or to the 25premises, equipment, business or merchandise of any other retail licensee, 26as defined in ORS 471.392. 27

(4) A brewery-public house licensee, or any person having an interest in
the licensee, is a retail licensee for the purposes of ORS 471.398 and, except
as otherwise provided by this section and ORS 471.400, may not accept directly or indirectly any financial assistance described in ORS 471.398 from

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1 any manufacturer or wholesaler, as defined in ORS 471.392. A brewery-public house licensee, or any person having an interest in the licensee, is also a $\mathbf{2}$ manufacturer for the purposes of ORS 471.398 and, except as otherwise pro-3 vided by this section and ORS 471.400, may not provide directly or indirectly 4 any financial assistance described in ORS 471.398 to any retail licensee, as 5defined in ORS 471.392. The prohibitions on financial assistance in ORS 6 471.398 do not apply to financial assistance between manufacturing and retail 7 businesses licensed to the same person under the provisions of this section. 8

9 (5) Notwithstanding subsection (3) of this section, a brewery-public house 10 licensee, or any person having an interest in the licensee, may also hold a 11 winery license authorized by ORS 471.223. A brewery-public house licensee, 12 or any person having an interest in the licensee, may also hold a warehouse 13 license authorized by ORS 471.242.

(6) Notwithstanding subsection (3) of this section, a brewery-public house
licensee is eligible for limited on-premises sales licenses and temporary sales
licenses.

17 (7)(a) Notwithstanding subsection (3) of this section, and except as pro-18 vided in this subsection, a brewery-public house licensee, or any person 19 having an interest in the licensee, may also hold a full on-premises sales li-20 cense. If a person holds both a brewery-public house license and a full on-21 premises sales license, nothing in this chapter shall prevent the sale by the 22 licensee of both distilled liquor and malt beverages manufactured under the 23 brewery-public house license.

(b) The commission may not issue a full on-premises sales license to a brewery-public house licensee under the provisions of this subsection if the brewery-public house licensee, or any person having an interest in the licensee or exercising control over the licensee, is a brewery that brews more than 200,000 barrels of malt beverages annually or a winery that produces more than 200,000 gallons of wine annually.

30 (8) Notwithstanding any other provision of this chapter, a brewery-public 31 house licensee, or any person having an interest in the licensee, may also

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hold a distillery license. No provision of this chapter prevents a brewerypublic house licensee that also holds a distillery license from being appointed
by the commission as the distillery's retail outlet agent for the purpose of
selling distilled liquors under ORS 471.230.

5 (9) Notwithstanding subsection (3) of this section, the commission by rule 6 may authorize a brewery-public house licensee to coproduce special events 7 with other manufacturers.

8 (10)(a) Notwithstanding subsection (3) of this section, a brewery-public 9 house licensee may hold, directly or indirectly, an interest in a manufacturer 10 or wholesaler, provided that the interest does not result in exercise of con-11 trol over, or participation in the management of, the manufacturer's or 12 wholesaler's business or business decisions and does not result in exclusion 13 of any competitor's brand of alcoholic liquor.

(b) Notwithstanding subsection (3) of this section, a manufacturer or wholesaler, and any officer, director or substantial stockholder of any corporate manufacturer or wholesaler, may hold, directly or indirectly, an interest in a brewery-public house licensee, provided that the interest does not result in exercise of control over, or participation in the management of, the licensee's business or business decisions and does not result in exclusion of any competitor's brand of alcoholic liquor.

(11) Notwithstanding any other provision of this chapter, a
 brewery-public house licensee may hold, directly or indirectly, an in terest in an off-premises sales licensee if:

(a) The brewery-public house licensee wholly owns the off-premises
 sales licensee; or

(b) The brewery-public house licensee does not exercise control over
or participate in management or business decisions of the off-premises
sales licensee or influence purchases or sales by the off-premises sales
licensee to exclude or disadvantage a competitor's brand of alcoholic
liquor.

31 [(11)] (12) For purposes of ORS chapter 473, a brewery-public house

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| 1 | licensee shall be considered to be a manufacturer. |
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| 3 | OREGON SPIRITS BOARD |
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| 5 | SECTION 2. (1) There is established an Oregon Spirits Board, con- |
| 6 | sisting of nine members appointed by the Governor. |
| 7 | (2) The term of office of each member is four years, but a member |
| 8 | serves at the pleasure of the Governor. Before the expiration of the |
| 9 | term of a member, the Governor shall appoint a successor whose term |
| 10 | begins on January 1 next following. A member is eligible for reap- |
| 11 | pointment. If there is a vacancy for any cause, the Governor shall |
| 12 | make an appointment to become immediately effective for the unex- |
| 13 | pired term. |
| 14 | (3) The appointment of a board member is subject to confirmation |
| 15 | by the Senate in the manner prescribed in ORS 171.562 and 171.565. |
| 16 | (4) A board member is entitled to compensation and expenses as |
| 17 | provided in ORS 292.495. |
| 18 | SECTION 3. The members of the Oregon Spirits Board must be |
| 19 | residents of this state who have: |
| 20 | (1) Expertise and experience in the Oregon distilled liquor industry; |
| 21 | and |
| 22 | (2) A demonstrated ability and disposition to serve the state's in- |
| 23 | terests regarding all aspects of the distilled liquor industry, including, |
| 24 | but not limited to, manufacturing, marketing, promotion, education |
| 25 | and research and development. |
| 26 | SECTION 4. (1) The Oregon Spirits Board shall select one of its |
| 27 | members as chairperson and another as vice chairperson, for such |
| 28 | terms and with duties and powers necessary for the performance of the |
| 29 | functions of such offices as the board determines. |
| 30 | (2) A majority of the members of the board constitutes a quorum |
| 31 | for the transaction of business. |
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(3) The board shall meet at times and places specified by the call
of the chairperson or of a majority of the members of the board.

3 <u>SECTION 5.</u> In accordance with applicable provisions of ORS chap-4 ter 183, the Oregon Spirits Board may adopt rules necessary for the 5 administration of the laws that the board is charged with administer-6 ing.

<u>SECTION 6.</u> (1) The Oregon Spirits Board may establish any advisory and technical committees the board considers necessary to aid and advise the board in the performance of its functions. The committees may be continuing or temporary committees. The board shall determine the representation, membership, terms and organization of the committees and shall appoint their members.

(2) Members of the committees are not entitled to compensation,
but at the discretion of the board may be reimbursed from funds
available to the board for actual and necessary travel and other expenses incurred by them in the performance of their official duties, in
the manner and amount provided in ORS 292.495.

18 **SECTION 7.** The Legislative Assembly finds and declares that:

(1) The development of a world-class Oregon distilled liquor indus-19 try is important to the state as a whole. The health of the distilled 20liquor industry affects the well-being of Oregonians and local econo-21mies by benefitting grain and fruit producers and wholesalers and in-22dustries that include, but not limited to, equipment 23are manufacturing, construction, printing and transportation. 24

(2) It is in the public interest to encourage the orderly growth and
 development of sustainable, labor-intensive, value-added industries,
 such as the distilled liquor industry.

(3) State involvement in the distilled liquor industry must be coor dinated to respond to state interests and to encourage appropriate
 partnership and cooperation between the public and private sectors in
 ensuring orderly growth and realizing objectives for a world-class

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1 Oregon distilled liquor industry.

SECTION 8. The Oregon Spirits Board shall operate for the purpose $\mathbf{2}$ of supporting all aspects of the Oregon distilled liquor industry, in-3 cluding, but not limited to, manufacturing, marketing, promotion, 4 education and research and development. The board shall work to de-5velop sustainable business practices for Oregon distillers and to sup-6 port and promote the Oregon distilled liquor industry. The board shall 7 create and maintain a long-term strategic plan for the development 8 of a world-class Oregon distilled liquor industry and use that plan as 9 a guide to allocate funds and award grants to encourage projects. 10

11 SECTION 9. The Oregon Spirits Board may:

(1) Enter into agreements with consultants, agents and advisers,
 and prescribe their duties;

(2) Appear on the board's own behalf before boards, commissions,
 departments or other agencies of municipal or county governments,
 the state government or the federal government;

(3) Accept donations, grants, bequests and devises, conditional or 17 otherwise, of money, property, services or other things of value, in-18 cluding the interest or earnings on those donations but excluding 19 corporate stock, that may be received from a government agency or 2021a public or private institution or person, to be held, used or applied for any or all of the purposes specified in sections 2 to 10 of this 2015 Act 22in accordance with the terms and conditions of the donation, grant, 23bequest or devise; 24

(4) Organize, conduct or sponsor, or cooperate with and assist the
private sector and other state agencies in the conduct of, conferences
and tours relating to the distilled liquor industry in Oregon;

(5) Expend moneys to support educational programs in
 fermentation science or support other educational or informational
 programs that the board considers appropriate for enhancing and
 growing the distilled liquor industry and workforce; and

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1 (6) Exercise any other powers necessary for the operation and 2 functioning of the board under sections 2 to 10 of this 2015 Act.

<u>SECTION 10.</u> The Oregon Spirits Board shall establish and operate
 a state distilled liquor room by purchasing or receiving donations of
 tax-paid distilled liquor manufactured in this state. Distilled liquor
 collected in the state distilled liquor room may be:

7 (1) Held as standards to compare against other distilled liquors to
8 develop and improve Oregon distilled liquor industry practices.

9 (2) Provided without charge to state governmental agencies for
 10 service at official governmental entertainment functions.

(3) Provided without charge to the Governor and to the adminis trative heads of state agencies on official government business to
 present as gifts when required by protocol or social custom.

(4) Displayed and offered for tasting without charge in connection
 with promotional campaigns to encourage the purchase of Oregon
 distilled liquor.

SECTION 11. The Oregon Spirits Board Fund is established in the 17State Treasury, separate and distinct from the General Fund. Interest 18 earned by the Oregon Spirits Board Fund shall be credited to the fund. 19 Moneys in the fund are continuously appropriated to the Oregon 2021Spirits Board for use in carrying out sections 2 to 10 of this 2015 Act. SECTION 12. In addition to the amount that the Oregon Liquor 22Control Commission withholds under ORS 471.810 (1) to pay outstand-23ing obligations, prior to directing the State Treasurer to pay from the 24Oregon Liquor Control Commission Account the amounts due upon 25warrants of the Oregon Department of Administrative Services, the 26commission shall withhold and direct the State Treasurer to pay to the 27credit of the Oregon Spirits Board Fund an amount equal to: 28

(1) One cent for each bottle of distilled liquor having a volume of
not less than 50 but less than 350 milliliters sold by the commission in
the last-reported sales month;

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1 (2) Two cents for each bottle of distilled liquor having a volume of 2 not less than 350 but less than 750 milliliters sold by the commission 3 in the last-reported sales month;

4 (3) Three cents for each bottle of distilled liquor having a volume 5 of not less than 750 milliliters but less than 1.5 liters sold by the 6 commission in the last-reported sales month; and

7 (4) Four cents for each bottle of distilled liquor having a volume
8 of 1.5 liters or more sold by the commission in the last-reported sales
9 month.

10 **SECTION 13.** ORS 471.810 is amended to read:

471.810. (1) At the end of each month, the Oregon Liquor Control Com-11 mission shall certify the amount of moneys available for distribution in the 12Oregon Liquor Control Commission Account and, after withholding such 13 moneys as it may deem necessary to pay its outstanding obligations and for 14 payment to the Oregon Spirits Board Fund as provided under section 1512 of this 2015 Act, shall within 35 days of the month for which a distrib-16 ution is made direct the State Treasurer to pay the amounts due, upon war-17rants drawn by the Oregon Department of Administrative Services, as 18 follows: 19

(a) Fifty-six percent, or the amount remaining after the distribution under
subsection (4) of this section, credited to the General Fund available for
general governmental purposes wherein it shall be considered as revenue
during the quarter immediately preceding receipt;

(b) Twenty percent to the cities of the state in such shares as the population of each city bears to the population of the cities of the state, as determined by Portland State University last preceding such apportionment, under ORS 190.510 to 190.610;

(c) Ten percent to counties in such shares as their respective populations
bear to the total population of the state, as estimated from time to time by
Portland State University; and

31 (d) Fourteen percent to the cities of the state to be distributed as provided

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1 in ORS 221.770 and this section.

(2) The commission shall direct the Oregon Department of Administrative $\mathbf{2}$ Services to transfer 50 percent of the revenues from the taxes imposed by 3 ORS 473.030 and 473.035 to the Mental Health Alcoholism and Drug Services 4 Account in the General Fund to be paid monthly as provided in ORS 430.380. 5(3) If the amount of revenues received from the taxes imposed by ORS 6 473.030 for the preceding month was reduced as a result of credits claimed 7 under ORS 473.047, the commission shall compute the difference between the 8 amounts paid or transferred as described in subsections (1)(b), (c) and (d) and 9 (2) of this section and the amounts that would have been paid or transferred 10 under subsections (1)(b), (c) and (d) and (2) of this section if no credits had 11 12been claimed. The commission shall direct the Oregon Department of Administrative Services to pay or transfer amounts equal to the differences 13 computed for subsections (1)(b), (c) and (d) and (2) of this section from the 14 General Fund to the recipients or accounts described in subsections (1)(b), 15 (c) and (d) and (2) of this section. 16

(4) Notwithstanding subsection (1) of this section, no city or county shall 17receive for any fiscal year an amount less than the amount distributed to the 18 city or county in accordance with ORS 471.350 (1965 Replacement Part), 19 471.810, 473.190 and 473.210 (1965 Replacement Part) during the 1966-1967 2021fiscal year unless the city or county had a decline in population as shown by its census. If the population declined, the per capita distribution to the 22city or county shall be not less than the total per capita distribution during 23the 1966-1967 fiscal year. Any additional funds required to maintain the level 24of distribution under this subsection shall be paid from funds credited under 25subsection (1)(a) of this section. 26

27 <u>SECTION 14.</u> Notwithstanding the term of office specified by section
28 2 of this 2015 Act, of the members first appointed to the Oregon Spirits
29 Board:

30 (1) Two shall serve for terms ending January 1, 2017.

31 (2) Two shall serve for terms ending January 1, 2018.

LC 2883 1/23/15 (3) Two shall serve for terms ending January 1, 2019. (4) Three shall serve for terms ending January 1, 2020. DISTILLERIES SECTION 15. Section 16 of this 2015 Act is added to and made a part of ORS chapter 471. SECTION 16. (1) The Oregon Liquor Control Commission may appoint a distillery licensee to act as a distillery retail outlet agent for another distiller licensed under ORS 471.230 or issued a certificate of approval under ORS 471.251 if: (a) Both the distillery licensee and the other distiller hold valid distilled spirits plant basic permits issued by the federal Alcohol and **Tobacco Tax and Trade Bureau;** (b) The distillery licensee requests the appointment; and (c) The other distiller consents in writing to the appointment. (2) An appointment made under this section may be without a fixed expiration date or be for a specified period. If the appointment is for a specified period, the commission may limit the appointment to one or more locations described in ORS 471.230. (3) A distillery licensee may hold appointments as a distillery retail outlet agent for more than one distiller. More than one distillery licensee may be appointed to act as a distillery retail outlet agent for the same distiller. (4) A distillery licensee that is appointed as a distillery retail outlet agent for another distiller may sell distilled liquor of the other distiller as described in ORS 471.230 (2)(d). A distillery retail outlet agent may only sell distilled liquor that is on the list of products approved by the commission for retail sale in Oregon. This section does not allow a brewery-public house licensee described in ORS 471.200 (8) to be appointed as a distillery retail outlet agent for another distiller. [12]

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1 (5) If a distillery retail outlet agent for another distiller uses dis-2 tilled liquor of the distiller to conduct tastings, the distiller:

(a) May provide the distilled liquor directly to the distillery retail
outlet agent upon terms and conditions established by the commission;
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6 (b) May obtain the distilled liquor used for tastings by transfer from 7 the inventory of the commission upon paying the commission a pro-8 cessing fee for the transfer.

(6) Notwithstanding ORS 471.392 to 471.400, subject to review and 9 approval by the commission, a distiller and a distillery licensee may 10 enter into an agreement for the distiller to reimburse the distillery 11 12licensee for actual expenses incurred by the distillery licensee that are due solely to the distillery licensee acting as a distillery retail outlet 13 agent of the distiller. The commission shall actively oversee the car-14 rying out of any reimbursement made under an agreement described 15in this subsection. 16

17 (7) The appointment of a distillery licensee as a distillery retail 18 outlet agent under this section, and any agreement between a 19 distillery licensee and another distiller regarding an appointment made 20 under this section, is a transaction between manufacturers for pur-21 poses of ORS 471.392 to 471.400.

22 **SECTION 17.** ORS 471.230 is amended to read:

471.230. (1) A distillery license allows the licensee to import, manufacture, 23distill, rectify, blend, denature and store spirits of an alcoholic content 24greater than 17 percent alcohol by weight, to sell the spirits to the Oregon 25Liquor Control Commission and to transport the spirits out of this state for 26sale outside this state. [Distillery licensees are permitted to purchase from and 27through the commission alcoholic beverages for blending and manufacturing 28purposes upon such terms and conditions as the commission may provide.] 29Distillery licensees may purchase and sell distilled liquor from the 30 commission or directly from or to another distiller in containers of 31

1 one U.S. gallon or more capacity for blending and manufacturing purposes, upon terms and conditions established by the commission. $\mathbf{2}$ A distillery licensee may not sell any alcoholic beverage within this state 3 except to the commission or as provided in this section. However, any agri-4 cultural producer or association of agricultural producers or the legal agents 5of an agricultural producer or association of agricultural producers that 6 manufactures and converts agricultural surpluses, by-products and wastes 7 into denatured ethyl and industrial alcohol for use in the arts and industry 8 are not required to obtain a license from the commission. 9

(2) [A] If a distillery licensee holds a valid distilled spirits plant basic
 permit issued by the federal Alcohol and Tobacco Tax and Trade Bu reau for the licensed premises, the distillery licensee may:

(a) Permit tastings of [the] distilled liquor manufactured by the distillery 13 licensee or by any other distiller. Tastings may be of distilled liquor 14 alone or of distilled liquor in a mixed drink. The tastings may be con-15ducted on the licensed premises of the distillery and at no more than five 16 other premises owned or leased by the licensee. [The licensee must purchase 17 the distilled liquor from the commission.] If distilled liquor manufactured 18 by the distillery licensee and used for tastings is obtained by the 19 distillery licensee through transfer from the inventory of the com-2021mission, the distillery licensee shall pay the commission a processing fee for the transfer. Except as provided under section 16 of this 2015 22Act, if distilled liquor used for tastings is manufactured by another 23distiller, the distillery licensee must purchase the distilled liquor from 24the commission. 25

26 (b) Obtain a special events distillery license.

(c) Apply for appointment by the commission as a distillery retail outlet agent for purposes of retailing [*only*] distilled liquor that the licensee manufactured in Oregon at locations where tastings are permitted under paragraph (a) of this subsection or subsection (4)(a) of this section. A distillery retail outlet agent may only sell distilled liquor that is on the list of 1 products approved by the commission for retail sale in Oregon.

2 (d) Apply for appointment by the commission under section 16 of 3 this 2015 Act as a distillery retail outlet agent for another distiller for 4 purposes of retailing distilled liquor manufactured by the other 5 distiller at locations where tastings are permitted under paragraph (a) 6 of this subsection or subsection (4)(a) of this section.

(3) Notwithstanding ORS 471.392 to 471.400, a distillery licensee may also
hold a full on-premises sales license for a location at the licensed premises
of the distillery and a full on-premises sales license for one other location.
All distilled spirits sold under the full on-premises sales license must be
purchased from the commission.

(4)(a) A distillery licensee that holds a special events distillery license may conduct an event on a premises at a [designated location other than the location set forth in the distillery] location designated in the special events distillery license for a period not exceeding five days. A distillery licensee conducting an event may:

(A) Permit tastings of distilled liquor manufactured by the distillery or
by any other distiller. Tastings may be of distilled liquor alone or
mixed, subject to any conditions imposed by the commission.

(B) Permit sales by the drink of distilled liquor manufactured by the
distillery licensee or by any distiller for which the distillery licensee is
a distillery retail outlet agent.

(C) If the distillery licensee has been appointed as a distillery retail outlet agent under subsection (2)(c) of this section, sell factory sealed containers of distilled liquor manufactured by the distillery for consumption off the licensed premises of the event.

(D) If the distillery licensee has been appointed as a distillery retail outlet agent under section 16 of this 2015 Act, sell factory sealed containers of distilled liquor manufactured by the distiller identified in the appointment for consumption off the licensed premises of the event.

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1 (b) A distillery licensee that holds a special events distillery license:

2 [(A) Must purchase distilled liquor that the licensee uses for conducting 3 tastings at the event from the commission at the price set by the commission 4 for distilled liquor removed from bond for tastings.]

5 [(B)] (A) Must purchase distilled liquor that the licensee uses for sales 6 by the drink at the event at the retail price set by the commission for the 7 month in which the distilled liquor is sold by the drink.

8 [(C)] (B) Must [purchase] sell any distilled liquor that the licensee sells 9 in factory sealed containers at the event at the retail price set by the com-10 mission for the month in which the licensee makes the [purchase] sale.

11 [(D) Must sell distilled liquor described in subparagraph (C) of this para-12 graph at the retail price set by the commission for the month in which the 13 licensee makes the sale.]

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CAPTIONS

17 <u>SECTION 18.</u> The unit captions used in this 2015 Act are provided 18 only for the convenience of the reader and do not become part of the 19 statutory law of this state or express any legislative intent in the 20 enactment of this 2015 Act.

EMERGENCY

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24 <u>SECTION 19.</u> This 2015 Act being necessary for the immediate 25 preservation of the public peace, health and safety, an emergency is 26 declared to exist, and this 2015 Act takes effect on its passage.

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