

House Bill 1091

By: Representative Jerguson of the 22<sup>nd</sup>

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED  
AN ACT

1 To amend Code Section 3-3-21, relating to sales of alcoholic beverages near churches, school  
2 buildings, or other sites, so as to provide that licensees for the retail package sales of malt  
3 beverages and wine only shall be subject to regulation as to distances from churches, schools,  
4 and colleges by counties and municipalities; to provide for related matters; to repeal  
5 conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

6 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA:

7 **SECTION 1.**

8 Code Section 3-3-21, relating to sales of alcoholic beverages near churches, school buildings,  
9 or other sites, is amended by revising subsection (b) as follows:

10 "(b) Nothing contained in this Code section shall prohibit the licensing of the sale or  
11 distribution of alcoholic beverages by:

12 (1) Hotels of 50 rooms or more which have been in continuous operation for a period of  
13 at least five years preceding July 1, 1981;

14 (2) Bona fide private clubs, owning their own homes, subject to licensing under Chapter  
15 7 of this title; ~~and~~

16 (3) Licensees for the retail sale of alcoholic beverages for consumption on the premises  
17 only who shall be subject to regulation as to distances from churches, schools, and  
18 colleges by counties and municipalities; and

19 (4) Licensees for the retail package sales of malt beverages and wine only who shall be  
20 subject to regulation as to distances from churches, schools, and colleges by counties and  
21 municipalities."

22 **SECTION 2.**

23 All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act are repealed.