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THE LIQUOR LICENSING (AMENDMENT) (PROTECTION OF MINORS) LAW, 1999

(Law 7 of 1999)

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I Assent

P J SMITH

Governor.

17 June, 1999

A LAW TO AMEND THE LIQUOR LICENSING LAW (1996 REVISION)

ENACTED by the Legislature of the Cayman Islands.

This Law may be cited as the Liquor Licensing (Amendment) (Protection of Short title Minors) Law, 1999.

Section 7 of the Liquor Licensing Law (1996 Revision) ("the principal Amendment of section 7-Law") is amended-

nature of a licence

- (a) by repealing subsection (5) and substituting the following-
 - "(5) A board must be satisfied before granting a new restaurant licence or retail licence which relate to the same premises and in respect of which a licence has not previously been granted, that the bar and the restaurant on the premises are separated in such a manner that access to and egress from the restaurant and the toilets of the premises are not through the bar.";
- (b) by repealing subsection (6).
- 3. The principal Law is amended in section 9(1B)-

Amendment of section 9

- (a) by inserting in paragraph (c) after "transfer" the words "or licensed premises variation"; and
- (b) by inserting the following new paragraph-"(d)the renewal of a licence.".

Amendment of section 21A - children prohibited from bars

- 4 Section 21A of the principal Law is amended by repealing subsection (3) and substituting the following-
 - "(3) Where it is shown that a person under the age of 18 was in a bar of licensed premises during permitted hours, the licensee shall be guilty of an offence under this section unless he proves that he exercised all due diligence to prevent the person under the age of 18 from being permitted to enter the bar of the licensed premises."

Repeal and substitution of section 21B employment of minors in licensed premises 5. Section 21B of the principal Law is repealed and the following substituted-

"Employment of minors in licensed premises

- 21B (1) A licensee who employs a person under the age of 18 in licensed premises shall not allow that person to prepare, serve, sell or otherwise deal with intoxicating liquor unless-
 - (a) such liquor is unopened or contained in a sealed container; or
 - (b) the person is employed in disposing of liquor which has been served on the premises and not consumed or only partially consumed.
- (2) A licensee who contravenes subsection (1) commits an offence and is liable on summary conviction to a fine not exceeding \$5,000.".

Passed by the Legislative Assembly the 23rd day of April, 1999.

Mabry S Kirkconnell

Speaker.

Georgette Myrie

Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.