



Bill Title: **“Kegs to Go” Endorsement**

Bill Number: **SHB 1349**

Amends: **RCW 66.24.400 (4) and RCW 66.28.200 (1) and 66.28.220 (2)**

Background:

Allows a licensee holding a spirits/beer/wine restaurant liquor license to obtain an endorsement to sell kegs “to go.” This endorsement goes into effect July 22, 2007.

RCW 66.24.400 (4) has been modified to read:

“The board may issue an endorsement to the spirits, beer, and wine restaurant license that allows the holder of a spirits, beer, and wine restaurant license to sell for off-premises consumption malt liquor in kegs or other containers that are capable of holding four or more gallons of liquid and are registered in accordance with RCW 66.28.200. The annual fee for the endorsement under this subsection is one hundred twenty dollars.”

RCW 66.28.200 (1) and 66.28.220 (2) have also been modified to include licensees holding a spirits, beer, and wine restaurant license with an endorsement to sell “Kegs to go.”

Implementation:

For Spirits/Beer/Wine restaurant liquor licensees who want to sell kegs to go, they must:

- Complete and submit an “Application for Added Endorsement” (LIQ 756-50), to the Liquor Control Board, Licensing Division. A \$120.00 fee must be included with the application.
- License division staff will send out a local authority notice and public posting notice (PPN). The local authority has 20 days to respond to our notice. The PPN is posted for 14 days.
- After the 20 days have passed for local authority comment, no local objections have been submitted, and the 14-day public posting period has passed, the endorsement will be approved.
- License division staff will send a letter to the licensee approving the “Kegs to Go” endorsement. The licensee must contact their local enforcement office to obtain keg registration books. The licensee should receive a new Master License from DOL Master License Services within 14 days.

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