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MEMORANDUM

TO: Rep. John Barker, Chairman, House Committee on Federal and State Affairs

FROM: Debbi Beavers, Director, Alcoholic Beverage Control Division

DATE: March 22, 2018

SUBJECT: Neutral Testimony on House Bill 2766

Mr. Chairman and members of the committee. ABC is neutral on this bill.

This bill pertains to public venues, clubs or drinking establishments who are currently authorized to offer customer self-service of wine from automated devices on the licensed premises with certain monitoring requirements. This bill would amend K.S.A. 41-2640 to insert "beer" into the existing language and requires the secretary to adopt rules and regulations prior to January 1, 2019.

It is important to note that this change would also allow "table taps" for beer.

Thank you Mr. Chairman.