

# HOUSE BILL NO. 5639

December 14, 2021, Introduced by Rep. Hauck and referred to the Committee on Regulatory Reform.

A bill to amend 1998 PA 58, entitled  
"Michigan liquor control code of 1998,"  
by amending section 207 (MCL 436.1207), as amended by 2019 PA 131.

**THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:**

1           Sec. 207. This act does not apply to any of the following:

2           (a) The manufacture of cider from fruit for the purpose of  
3 making vinegar and ~~non-intoxicating~~ **nonintoxicating** cider and fruit  
4 juice for use and sale, and cider and fruit juice if used or sold,  
5 or both, within 30 days after manufacture.

1 (b) Beer, wine, mead, honey-based beer, or cider of any  
2 alcoholic content made on the premises by the owner or lessee of  
3 those premises if those premises are used and occupied by the owner  
4 or lessee as a dwelling and the beer, wine, mead, honey-based beer,  
5 or cider is made for family use and home consumption.

6 (c) The gift to an individual for noncommercial use or  
7 consumption of up to 20 gallons of beer, wine, mead, honey-based  
8 beer, or cider produced under the circumstances described in  
9 subdivision (b). This subdivision does not allow a person less than  
10 21 years of age to possess, receive as a gift, or give beer, wine,  
11 mead, honey-based beer, or cider produced under the circumstances  
12 described in subdivision (b).

13 (d) The sale, gift, or keeping and storing for sale by  
14 druggists and general merchants and others of medicinal  
15 preparations manufactured in accordance with the formulas  
16 prescribed by the United States ~~pharmacopoeia and national~~  
17 ~~formulary,~~ **Pharmacopoeia and National Formulary**, patent or  
18 proprietary preparations, and other bona fide medicinal and  
19 technical preparations, that contain no more alcohol than is  
20 necessary to extract the medicinal properties of the drugs  
21 contained in those preparations and no more alcohol than is  
22 necessary to hold the medicinal agents in solution and to preserve  
23 them, that are manufactured and sold as medicine and not as  
24 beverages, that are unfit for use for beverage purposes, and the  
25 sale of which does not require the payment of a United States  
26 liquor dealer's tax.

27 (e) The manufacture and sale of tinctures or of toilet,  
28 medicinal, and antiseptic preparations and solutions that are not  
29 intended for internal human use or that are not intended to be sold

1 as beverages, that are unfit for beverage purposes, and on the  
2 outside of each bottle, box, or package of which is conspicuously  
3 and legibly printed in English the quantity by volume of alcohol in  
4 those preparations.

5 (f) The manufacture and keeping for sale of the food product  
6 known as flavoring extracts that are manufactured and sold for  
7 cooking, culinary, or flavoring purposes and are unfit for use as a  
8 beverage or for beverage purposes, except that a person shall not  
9 manufacture or sell any toilet, medicinal, or antiseptic  
10 preparations or solutions, or any flavoring extracts or patent or  
11 proprietary medicines or preparations, if the manufacture and sale  
12 of those items require the payment of a United States liquor  
13 dealer's tax except as provided in this act.

14 (g) The manufacture, ~~or sale, or both,~~ **purchase** of ethyl,  
15 mechanical, or industrial alcohol, not used for or made unfit for  
16 beverage purposes.

17 (h) The purchase of alcoholic liquor for use in the  
18 manufacture of ~~toilet, medicinal, or antiseptic preparations or~~  
19 solutions ~~or any flavoring extract or patent or proprietary~~  
20 medicines or preparations, by a manufacturer using alcoholic liquor  
21 exclusively for the manufacturing purposes and licensed by the  
22 commission for that use. A license issued for that use is  
23 predicated on the payment of an annual fee of \$10.00. The license  
24 expires on May 1 following the date of its issuance.