COMPETITIVE ALCOHOLIC LIQUOR PRICING TASK FORCE

SUBCOMMITTEE MEMBERSHIPS

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NOTE: All members are welcome to join any subcommittee at any of their respective meetings. Meeting dates, times, and locations will be listed on our website. Each subcommittee is charged with examining, reviewing, and analyzing their respective topic(s). We must compare our findings to the laws in surrounding states (**MA, NY, RI) and note the impacts on Connecticut’s consumers and alcohol industry. Please keep in mind that the task force must submit a report on its findings and recommendations to the General Law Committee by January 1, 2013. Subcommittee findings should be completed and ready to discuss on or before October 1, 2012.

1) Alcoholic Liquor Taxes Subcommittee

Task: Examine, review, and analyze Connecticut alcoholic liquor taxes, compare its findings to those in the surrounding states; and the impacts on Connecticut’s consumers and the alcohol industry

   Members
   Rep. Kathy Tallarita, 58th District - Chair
   Commissioner Kevin Sullivan, DRS
   Dr. Stanley McMillen
   Ed Crowley
   David Leon
   David Rutigliano

2) Quantity and Volume Discounts Subcommittee

Task: Examine, review, and analyze quantity and volume discounts, compare its findings to those in the surrounding states; and the impacts on Connecticut’s consumers and the alcohol industry

   Members
   Ed Berthiaume - Chair
   Brian Durand
   Ed Crowley
   Rep. Sandy Nafis, 27th District
   Mark Abrahamson
   David Rutigliano
   Rep. Mary Fritz, 90th District
3) Existing Alcoholic Liquor Permit Restrictions Subcommittee

Task: Examine, review, and analyze existing liquor permit restrictions, including wholesaler geographic territories and the 3 Tier system of distribution, compare its findings to those in the surrounding states; and the impacts on Connecticut’s consumers and the alcohol industry

Members
Ed Berthiaume - Chair
Rep. Kathy Tallarita, 58th District
Commissioner William Rubenstein, DCP
Rep. Sandy Nafis, 27th District
Rep. Rosa Rebimbas, 70th District
Chief James Cetran
Ed Crowley
David Rutigiano

4) Minimum Pricing and Price Posting Subcommittee

Task: Examine, review, and analyze minimum pricing and price posting; compare its findings to those in the surrounding states; and the impacts on Connecticut’s consumers and the alcohol industry

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Brian Durand
Commissioner William Rubenstein, DCP
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Rep. Sandy Nafis, 27th District
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Dr. Ian Ayers