

## HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

# Supplementary Order Paper

Friday, the 8th day of October 1982

## SALE OF LIQUOR AMENDMENT BILL (NO. 2)

*Proposed Amendments*

MR N. P. H. JONES, in Committee, to move the following amendments:

*Clause 3, proposed section 106C:* To omit the proposed subsection (3) (all the words in lines 11 to 19 on page 5), and substitute the following proposed subsection:

“(3) The grounds on which any such objection may be made are as follows:

“(a) That the applicant has been convicted of an offence against this Act or the Licensing Act 1908:

“(b) That the applicant is not a suitable person to hold the licence having regard to his character or lack of experience in the conduct of any business (including any experience as an employee in any capacity in respect of any such business):

“(c) That the requirements of licensees likely to be served by the applicant if the licence is granted are already being adequately met:

“(d) That the grant of the licence would have an adverse effect on the business of any licensing trust.

*Clause 3, proposed section 106D:* To insert in the proposed subsection (1) on page 5, after paragraph (b), the following paragraphs:

“(ba) The degree (if any) to which the requirements of licensees likely to be served by the applicant if the licence is granted are already being adequately met:

“(bb) Any adverse effect that the grant of the licence is likely to have on the business of any licensing trust.

To omit from lines 36 and 37 on that page the words “or on the business of any licensing trust”.

To omit the proposed subsection (2) (b) (all the words in lines 38 and 39 on that page).

*Clause 3, proposed section 106F:* To omit from line 24 on page 7 the words “licensing trust district or a”.

*Clause 6:* To omit the clause on page 8.

## EXPLANATORY NOTE

*Clause 3, proposed section 106C:* The first amendment adds 2 new grounds of objection to the grant of a wine distributor's licence. These are set out in paragraphs (c) and (d).

*Clause 3, proposed section 106D:* The amendments redefine the matters that are to be taken into account by the Commission in determining whether or not to grant a wine distributor's licence. The amendments are a necessary corollary of those set out above in respect of the proposed section 106C.

*Clause 3, proposed section 106E, and clause 6:* The amendments prevent the grant of a wine distributor's licence in a licensing trust district.

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