House File 489

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Amend House File 489, as amended, passed, and 2 reprinted by the House, as follows: 1. Page 1, before line 1 by inserting: <Section 1. Section 123.92, subsection 2, Code 5 2013, is amended to read as follows:

- 2. a. Every liquor control licensee and class 7 "B" beer permittee, except a class "E" liquor 8 control licensee, shall furnish proof of financial 9 responsibility by the existence of a liability 10 insurance policy in an amount determined by the 11 division. If an insurer provides dramshop liability 12 insurance at a new location to a licensee or permittee 13 who has a positive loss experience at other locations 14 for which such insurance is provided by the insurer, 15 and the insurer bases premium rates at the new location 16 on the negative loss history of the previous licensee 17 or permittee at that location, the insurer shall 18 examine and consider adjusting the premium for the 19 new location not less than thirty months after the 20 insurance is issued, based on the loss experience of 21 the licensee or permittee at that location during that 22 thirty-month period of time.
- b. A dramshop liability insurance policy may be 24 written on an aggregate limit basis.
- c. The purpose of dramshop liability insurance 26 is to provide protection for members of the public 27 who experience damages as a result of licensees or 28 permittees serving patrons beer, wine, or intoxicating 29 liquor to a point that reaches or exceeds the standard 30 set forth in law for liability. Minimum coverage 31 requirements for such insurance are not for the purpose 32 of making the insurance affordable for all licensees or 33 permittees regardless of claims experience. A dramshop 34 liability insurance policy obtained by a licensee or 35 permittee shall meet the minimum insurance coverage 36 requirements as determined by the division and is a 37 mandatory condition for holding a license or permit.> 2. Title page, line 1, by striking <under the
- 39 purview of> and inserting <involving insurance and>

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