

## **Economic Affairs Interim Committee**

## 66th Montana Legislature

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Becky Schlauch, Division Administrator Montana Department of Revenue Alcoholic Beverage Control Division 2517 Airport Rd Helena, MT 59601

by intraoffice mail

Dear Ms. Schlauch,

A majority of the members of the Economic Affairs Interim Committee (EAIC) voted to renew the EAIC's objection to Montana Administrative Register Notice 42-1003. This notice relates to the implementation of a point-based penalty system and revising procedures relating to revocation, lapse, or suspension of alcoholic beverage licenses.

The EAIC made its objection under Montana Code Annotated section 2-4-305(9). This statute requires the Department of Revenue, Alcoholic Beverage Control Division (Department) to delay the adoption of the proposed rule until the next committee meeting.

Thank you for your attention in this matter.

Sincerely,

Jameson Walker for Rep. Sharon Stewart Peregoy, presiding officer

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