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## 2009-2010 Regular Sessions

## IN ASSEMBLY

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Introduced by M. of A. MAGEE -- read once and referred to the Committee on Economic Development, Job Creation, Commerce and Industry

AN ACT to amend the alcoholic beverage control law, in relation to the registration of the labeling of containers of alcoholic beverages

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK, REPRESENTED IN SENATE AND ASSEMBLY, DO ENACT AS FOLLOWS:

- Section 1. Subparagraphs 2 and 3 of paragraph (c) of subdivision 4 of section 107-a of the alcoholic beverage control law, subparagraph 2 as amended and subparagraph 3 as added by chapter 490 of the laws of 1993, are amended to read as follows:
- (2) Provided, however, where a brand or trade name label has been approved by the federal [bureau of alcohol, tobacco and firearms] ALCO-HOL AND TOBACCO TAX AND TRADE BUREAU, it shall be deemed registered and approved by the authority if[:
- (i)] the applicant submits on a form prescribed by the authority, by registered mail, return receipt requested, a true copy of the brand or trade name label approval issued by the federal [bureau of alcohol, tobacco and firearms along with the appropriate fee as established in paragraph (d) of this subdivision; and
- (ii) the authority does not deny such application within thirty days after receipt] ALCOHOL AND TOBACCO TAX AND TRADE BUREAU.
- 16 (3) Provided, however, that, NOTWITHSTANDING ANY OTHER PROVISION OF 17 LAW, where a brand or trade name label for [wine] AN ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE 18 has been approved by the federal [bureau of alcohol, tobacco and 19 firearms] ALCOHOL AND TOBACCO TAX AND TRADE BUREAU, it shall be deemed 20 registered and approved by the authority and no application, application 21 fee, or annual registration fee shall be submitted to the authority.
  - S 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

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EXPLANATION--Matter in ITALICS (underscored) is new; matter in brackets [ ] is old law to be omitted.

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