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IN SENATE

(Prefiled)

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Introduced by Sen. MONTGOMERY -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Commerce, Economic Development and Small Business -- committee discharged, bill amended, ordered reprinted as amended and recommitted to said committee

AN ACT to amend the alcoholic beverage control law, in relation to authorizing the issuance of a license to certain motion picture theatres

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

Section 1. Section 64-a of the alcoholic beverage control law is amended by adding a new subdivision 6-a to read as follows:

6-a. Notwithstanding subdivision six of this section, the authority may issue a license to serve beer, wine, cider and mead as provided for in section eighty-one-a and section one hundred six of this chapter, to a corporation organized pursuant to the not-for-profit corporation law operating a motion picture theatre on a part-time or full-time basis located on the premises of the following parcel. Provided, however, the authority shall require that (i) the following parcel secures written support, that is filed with the authority, for any such license from the relevant local community boards, (ii) each such license shall stipulate that while beer, wine, cider and mead are being given away, sold, or otherwise made available during the showing of any motion picture or film in any screening room of a motion picture theatre or film theatre located on the premises of the parcel, then every customer, patron, guest or member admitted to such motion picture or film theatre must be twenty-one years of age or older, and the process by which such policy shall be implemented and enforced, and (iii) all proceeds from the sale of beer, wine, cider and mead shall be used to fund or subsidize community-based benefit programs administered by the licensee.

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

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BEGINNING at the corner formed by the intersection of the Southerly side of Lafayette Avenue with the Easterly side of Ashland Place;

RUNNING THENCE Easterly along the Southerly side of Lafayette Avenue, one hundred and seventy-six (176) feet one (1) inch to the Westerly side of St. Felix Street,

THENCE Southerly along the Westerly side of St. Felix Street, two hundred and fifteen (215) feet;

THENCE Westerly parallel with Lafayette Avenue and part of the distance through a party wall, one hundred and eighty-five (185) feet one-half (1/2) of an inch to the Easterly side of Ashland Place;

THENCE Northerly along the Easterly side of Ashland Place, two hundred and fifteen (215) feet two and one-quarter (2 1/4) inches to the corner, the point or place of BEGINNING.

§ 2. This act shall take effect immediately.