

CITY OF SALEM

In City Council, September 14, 2017

Ordered:

That a petition to the General Court, accompanied by a bill for a certain additional liquor license notwithstanding the provisions of section 17 of chapter 138 of the General Laws as set forth below, be filed with an attested copy of this Order be, and hereby is, approved under Clause (1) of section 8 of Article 2, as amended, of the Amendments to the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, to the end that the following legislation be adopted, except for amendments by the Senate or House of Representatives which conform to the intent of this home rule petition:

AN ACT authorizing the city of Salem to grant 1 additional liquor license for the sale of wine and malt beverages to be drunk on the premises.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court Assembled, and by the authority of the same as follows:

SECTION 1. Notwithstanding section 17 of chapter 138 of the General Laws, the licensing authority of the city of Salem may grant 1 additional license for the sale of wine and malt beverages to be drunk on the premises under section 12 of said chapter 138 to Ling & Li, Inc., d/b/a Minzu Sushi to be located at 142 Canal Street in the city of Salem. The license shall be subject to all of said chapter 138 except section 17.

The licensing authority shall not approve the transfer of the license granted pursuant to this section to any other location but it may grant the license to a new applicant at the same location if the applicant files with the licensing authority a letter from the department of revenue and a letter from the department of unemployment assistance indicating that the license is in good standing with those departments and that all applicable taxes, fees and contributions have been paid.

If the license granted pursuant to this section is cancelled, revoked or no longer in use at the location of original issuance, it shall be returned physically, with all of the legal rights, privileges and restrictions pertaining thereto, to the licensing authority and the licensing authority may then grant the license to a new applicant at the same location under the same conditions as specified in this act.

SECTION 2. (a) The city of Salem shall charge a fee for the granting of the license authorized in section 1 which shall be paid by the licensee at the time of issuance unless the licensing authority agrees to enter into a contract with the licensee to allow the division of the fee into multiple payments over time from the licensee. If the city elects to accept multiple payments over time from the licensee, the option shall be made available, upon request, to all qualified applicants for a license.

(b) Any fee collected by the city of Salem for the license granted pursuant to section 1 which is greater than the amount of the fee charged for an annual renewal of a similar license issued by the city shall be deposited into the city's economic development account and expended by it in a manner consistent with the purposes of such account.

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect upon its passage.

In City Council September 14, 2017 Adopted by arroll call vote of 9 yeas, @ nay, 1 absent Approved by the Mayor on September 18, 2017

Mayor Kimberley Driscoll

ATTEST:

CHERYL A. LAPOINTE CITY CLERK

