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BILL NO. _____

SUMMARY – An ordinance to amend Clark County Code Title 8, Chapter 8.20, Section 8.20.020.150 regarding access and control of alcoholic liquors stocked in hotel rooms, private booths and viewing areas in a resort hotel movie theater, and private skyboxes; and providing for other matters properly related thereto.

ORDINANCE NO. _____

(of Clark County, Nevada)

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND CLARK COUNTY CODE TITLE 8, CHAPTER 8.20, SECTION 8.20.020.150 REGARDING ACCESS AND CONTROL OF ALCOHOLIC LIQUORS STOCKED IN HOTEL ROOMS, PRIVATE BOOTHS AND VIEWING AREAS IN A RESORT HOTEL MOVIE THEATER, AND PRIVATE SKYBOXES; AND PROVIDING FOR OTHER MATTERS PROPERLY RELATED THERETO.

THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF THE COUNTY OF CLARK, STATE OF NEVADA, DOES HEREBY ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION ONE. Title 8, Chapter 8.20, Section 8.20.020.150 of the Clark County Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

8.20.020.150 Individual access license.

"Individual access license" means a license which allows a hotel to stock ~~a secured cabinet or refrigerator in~~ a hotel room or suite with alcoholic liquor, the access to which is controlled by the adult transient guest. ~~The hotel must provide the means by which the adult transient guest controls the access to the secured cabinet or refrigerator. Minors who occupy hotel rooms shall~~

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~~not, at any time, possess or otherwise have in their control, access to the locked cabinets or refrigerators.~~ The hotel must:

- (a) Obtain from the adult transient guest a written acknowledgement and agreement to assume control of all alcoholic liquor stocked in the hotel room and prevent consumption by minors;
- (b) Remove all alcoholic liquor from the hotel room prior to occupancy if the adult transient guest declines to acknowledge and agree to assume control of alcoholic liquor stocked in the hotel room and prevent consumption by minors; and
- (c) Ensure that a hotel room occupied by exclusively by minors is not stocked with any alcoholic liquor.

The hotel must have at least one hundred rooms or suites, a full-service twelve-hour restaurant with a service bar and a tavern or main bar, room service of meals to all guest rooms, a recreation facility as defined in Section 8.04.010.145 ("Resort hotel"), a convention pavilion as part of the same operation and complex, and a minimum of one full time security person on duty at all times at the licensed hotel.

An individual access license also allows a resort hotel to stock ~~locked~~ cabinets or refrigerators in a private booth or viewing area inside a movie theater which is located on the premises of the resort hotel which has an unrestricted gaming license and is operated in conjunction therewith; provided:

- (a) The movie theater has a seating capacity for at least four hundred patrons;
- (b) The booths or viewing areas are totally enclosed and accessible only through a locked door;

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- (c) The booths or viewing areas are under the resort hotel's control;
- (d) ~~The resort hotel controls the access to the locked cabinets or refrigerators and the lock must be so designed that the key may not be removed therefrom without locking the cabinets;~~ The resort hotel obtains from the adult utilizing the booth or viewing area a written acknowledgement and agreement to assume control of all alcoholic liquor stocked in the booth or viewing area and prevent consumption by minors;
- (e) ~~The key to the locked cabinets or refrigerators is given by the resort hotel only to an adult utilizing the viewing area or booth;~~ The resort hotel removes all alcoholic liquor from the booth or viewing area prior to use if no adult utilizing the area will acknowledge and agree to assume control of alcoholic liquor stocked in the booth or viewing area and prevent consumption by minors;
- (f) The booths or viewing areas have a seating capacity for no more than twelve patrons;
- (g) The alcoholic liquor so stocked shall not be permitted anywhere within the movie theater except inside the private booths or viewing areas; and
- (h) Minors who are given access to the private booths or viewing areas shall not, at any time, possess or otherwise have in their control, access to the locked cabinets or refrigerators.

An individual access license also allows a resort hotel to stock ~~locked~~ cabinets or refrigerators in a private skybox inside an arena which is located on the premises of the resort hotel operated in conjunction therewith, provided:

- (a) The arena has a seating capacity for at least eight thousand patrons;
- (b) The skyboxes are totally enclosed and accessible only through a locked door;

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- (c) The skyboxes are under the resort hotel's control;
- (d) ~~The resort hotel controls the access to the locked cabinets or refrigerators;~~ The resort hotel obtains from the adult utilizing the skybox a written acknowledgement and agreement to assume control of all alcoholic liquor stocked in the skybox and prevent consumption by minors;
- (e) ~~Access to the locked cabinets or refrigerators is given by the resort hotel only to an adult utilizing the skybox; and The resort hotel removes all alcoholic liquor from the skybox prior to use if no adult utilizing the area will acknowledge and agree to assume control of alcoholic liquor stocked in the skybox and prevent consumption by minors;~~ and
- (f) Minors who are given access to the skyboxes shall not, at any time, possess or otherwise have in their control, access to the locked cabinets or refrigerators.

Resort hotels holding an individual access license to stock ~~locked~~ cabinets or refrigerators in hotel rooms or suites are not required to apply for an additional individual access license to provide the same service to the private booths or viewing areas located within the resort hotel's movie theater or skyboxes located in the resort hotel's arena. However, written notification must be provided to the director prior to implementing this secondary service.

A sports and convention pavilion licensee as defined in Section 8.20.479 is eligible and may apply for an individual access license for the purposes of stocking ~~locked~~ cabinets or refrigerators in a private skybox inside an arena which is located on the premises of the sports and convention pavilion and is operated in conjunction therewith; provided:

- (a) The skyboxes are totally enclosed and accessible only through a locked door;

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- (b) The skyboxes are under the licensee's control;
- (c) ~~The licensee controls the access to the locked cabinets or refrigerators;~~ The licensee obtains from the adult utilizing the skybox a written acknowledgement and agreement to assume control of all alcoholic liquor stocked in the skybox and prevent consumption by minors;
- (d) ~~Access to the locked cabinets or refrigerators is given by the licensee only to an adult utilizing the skybox; and~~ The licensee removes all alcoholic liquor from the skybox prior to use if no adult utilizing the area will acknowledge and agree to assume control of alcoholic liquor stocked in the skybox and prevent consumption by minors; and
- (e) Minors who are given access to the skyboxes shall not, at any time, possess or otherwise have in their control, access to the locked cabinets or refrigerators. For the purposes of this section the following definitions shall apply: "arena" means an enclosed area with a minimum seating capacity of eight thousand patrons primarily used for hosting sporting events and other forms of public entertainment; "skybox" means an enclosure of private seats in an arena where windows afford a view of the playing surface of the arena.

SECTION TWO. If any provision, section, paragraph, sentence, clause, or phrase of this ordinance or portion thereof is for any reason held invalid or unconstitutional by any court of competent jurisdiction, such invalidity or unconstitutionality shall not affect the validity of the remaining parts of this ordinance. It is the intent of the County Commission in adopting this ordinance that no portion or provision thereof shall become inoperative or fail by reason of any

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invalidity or unconstitutionality of any other portion or provision, and to this end all provisions of this ordinance are declared to be severable.

SECTION THREE. All ordinances, parts of ordinances, chapters, sections, subsections, clauses, phrases or sentences contained in the Clark County Code in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

SECTION FOUR. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force after its passage and the publication thereof by title only, together with the names of the County Commissioners voting for or against its passage, in a newspaper published in and having a general circulation in Clark County, Nevada, at least once a week for a period of two (2) weeks.

PROPOSED on the _____ day of _____, 2025.

PROPOSED BY: Commissioner _____

PASSED on the _____ day of _____, 2025.

AYES: _____

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NAYS: _____

ABSTAINING: _____

ABSENT: _____

LIQUOR AND GAMING LICENSING BOARD

BY: _____
WILLIAM McCURDY II, Chair

ATTEST:

LYNN MARIE GOYA, County Clerk

This ordinance shall be in force and effect from and after
the _____ day of _____ 2025.