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Fwd: LED - Liquor Advisory Group Licensing Subgroup Public Comment

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LED -, DOR_ <dor_led@state.co.us>

Mon, Jul 31, 2023 at 10:27 AM

To: "Lucas Knudsen - DOR (He | They)", Noelle Hollar - DOR

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From: **Richard Anders** <richanders75@yahoo.com>

Date: Fri, Jul 28, 2023 at 2:59 PM

Subject: Re: LED - Liquor Advisory Group Licensing Subgroup Public Comment

To: Liquor Enforcement Division <dor_led@state.co.us>

I agree that the new laws give an extremely large advantage to the chain grocery and convenience over the local retail liquor licenses. It is in effect worse than any advantage that the laws try to avoid with not allowing selling under cost, slotting fees, incentives, because these are done through the chain at headquarter calls. We have effectively hurt our local retail owners to the advantage of the out of state chain grocery and convenience stores.

I think there can be ways to make the grocery limit the amount of stores, and therefore the amount of chain headquarter allowances that make sense for brands and wholesalers. Also the leverage in the market of one grocer having a large amount of market share from one buyer.

Rich Anders 303-944-1947

On Friday, July 28, 2023 at 03:45:42 PM CDT, Liquor Enforcement Division <dor_led@state.co.us> wrote:



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The Division has received an additional comment from a member of the Liquor Advisory Group. Please see below for links to the information shared.

Jim Shpall Public Comment re: Repeal of License Type

Thank you for your continued engagement and participation. We look forward to seeing you at our next Licensing subgroup meeting on Thursday, August 24, 2023, at 1:00 p.m.

Respectfully,

Colorado Liquor Enforcement Division

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