

# **WEST VIRGINIA LEGISLATURE**

**2019 REGULAR SESSION**

**Committee Substitute**

**for**

**House Bill 2481**

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[Introduced January 17, 2019; Referred  
to the Committee on the Judiciary.]



1 A BILL to amend and reenact §60-3A-18 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, relating  
2 to permitting retail liquor licensees to sell certain alcoholic beverages after 1 p.m. on  
3 Sundays.

*Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:*

**ARTICLE 3A. SALES BY RETAIL LIQUOR LICENSEES.**

**§60-3A-18. Days and hours retail licensees may sell liquor.**

1 Retail licensees may not sell liquor on ~~Sundays~~ and Christmas day, or before 1 p.m. on  
2 Sundays, or between the hours of 12 midnight and eight o'clock a.m., except that wine and fortified  
3 wines may be sold on those days and at such times as authorized in §60-8-34 of this code.

NOTE: The purpose of this bill is to permit retail sale of alcoholic beverages on Sundays after 1 p.m.

Strike-throughs indicate language that would be stricken from a heading or the present law and underscoring indicates new language that would be added.