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Bill No.:	SB8
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Impact:	No Impact

Research Analysis

The house committee substitute for SB 8 adds cider to the list of products a brewer may manufacture, sell, and serve at events attended by the public. The measure allows for the holder of a small brewer license to purchase from other licensed brewers within the state, and to import beer into the state for use in manufacturing.

Additionally, the measure authorizes brewer, small brewer, winemaker, distiller, or small farm winery licensees to host off-site events following the submission and approval of an application to the ABLE Commission, and allows for persons under twenty-one (21) years of age to be anywhere on the premises of an event except for the serving area. The measure also expands the list of eligible events to also include:

- Farmers markets
- Boat shows
- RV shows
- Home & Garden shows
- Fairs
- Car shows
- Swap meets
- City events
- County events
- State events

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Fiscal Analysis

In its current form, SB8 allows small brewers to manufacture and sell beer and cider at public events. The measure also allows certain entities to host off-site events following submission and approval of an application to the ABLE Commission.

This measure is not expected to impact state revenues or state appropriations.

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Other Considerations

None.

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