## **DIGEST**

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**Abstract:** Prohibits parishes and municipalities from requiring local permits for the delivery of alcoholic beverages by Class B Package House and Class C Package Store permit holders.

<u>Present law</u> (R.S. 26:274) provides that parishes and municipalities may issue and require local permits and may charge and collect fees for such permits. <u>Present law</u> prohibits parishes or municipalities from requiring permits for any commercial airline that has been issued a Class B retailer permit.

<u>Present law</u> provides that parishes and municipalities may issue permits similar to those issued by the commissioner for the alcoholic beverage delivery by grocery stores, restaurants, and third parties.

<u>Proposed law</u> retains <u>present law</u> and provides that parishes and municipalities shall not require local permits for the delivery of alcoholic beverages of any licensed Class B Package House or Class C Package Store that has been issued a delivery service permit by the commissioner.

<u>Present law</u> (R.S. 26:271.4) provides for the issuing of Class B Package House permits allowing for the delivery of alcohol by grocery stores.

<u>Present law</u> (R.S. 26:271.3) provides for the issuance of Class C Package Store permits to establishments that meet certain requirements including selling alcoholic beverages for off-premise consumption and not distributing motor fuel at the licensed establishment.

<u>Proposed law</u> prohibits the delivery of alcoholic beverages more than 10 miles from the place of purchase.

(Amends R.S. 26:274(A)(2))