

(a-1) [No] A licensee under the provisions of this article, or any of his employees, in Worcester County, [shall] MAY NOT sell or furnish any alcoholic beverages other than beer or light wine at any time to a [minor] PERSON under [twenty-one] 21 years of age, or beer and light wine to any person under [eighteen] 18 years of age, either for his own use or for the use of any other person, or to any person who at the time of [such] THE sale, or delivery, is visibly under the influence of alcoholic beverages. Any licensee or employee of a licensee who is [to be] charged with a violation of this offense may be proceeded against in Worcester County either upon a charging document duly issued by the District Court for Worcester County or by an indictment duly returned by the grand jury of [said] THAT county. Any person violating any of the provisions of this subsection [shall be] IS guilty of a misdemeanor and, upon [the] conviction [thereof,] shall suffer the penalties provided by § 200 of this article. However, any person charged with selling or furnishing alcoholic beverages to an underaged person [shall] MAY not be found guilty of a violation of this subsection if [such] THE person establishes the satisfaction of the jury or court sitting as a jury that he used due caution to establish that [such] THE person was not, in fact underaged. [If any licensee shall be found not guilty, or placed on probation without a verdict, of any alleged violation of this subsection, such finding shall operate as a complete bar to any proceeding by any alcoholic beverage law-enforcement or licensing authorities on account of such violation.] This subsection [shall apply] APPLIES solely to Worcester County and [shall stand] STANDS in place and stead of subsection 118 (a) of this article as [said] THE subsection applies generally to the counties of this State.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1977.

Approved May 17, 1977.

CHAPTER 521

(House Bill 1150)

AN ACT concerning

Kent County - Uses of Highway
User Revenues

FOR the purpose of permitting Kent County to have broader uses of highway user revenues; and generally relating to highway user revenues in Kent County.