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MEMORANDUM

SUBJECT: Reintroduction of Legislation (Previous HB 1984)

TO: All House Members

FROM: Representative Larry O. Sather

In the near future, I plan to reintroduce legislation, which amends Act 4 of 1936 (state tax on liquor sold by the Pennsylvania Liquor Control Board). My legislation would reduce the sales tax on liquor from the current 18% to 12%. As well, the proceeds from this liquor tax would be credited to PEMA to be used exclusively for grants to fire companies and volunteer ambulance and rescue companies. Currently, proceeds from the state liquor tax are deposited into the Commonwealth's General Fund.

If you would like to become a cosponsor of this legislation, please contact Jennifer in my office at 7-3335 or by e-mail at jhaines@pahousegop.com.

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