

ORDINANCE NO. 411

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF WATHENA, KANSAS, ESTABLISHING AN ANNUAL OCCUPATION OR LICENSE TAX ON RETAILERS LICENSED TO SELL ALCOHOLIC LIQUOR IN THE ORIGINAL AND UNOPENED PACKAGE AND PROVIDING FOR A PENALTY FOR THE VIOLATION HEREOF.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF WATHENA, KANSAS:

SECTION 1. That pursuant to the provisions of K.S.A. 41-310(k)(1) there is hereby levied an annual occupation or license tax of \$100.00 on all retailers licensed to sell alcoholic liquor in the original and unopened package in the City of Wathena.

SECTION 2. A holder of a license to sell alcoholic liquor in the original and unopened package shall present such license to the Clerk of the City of Wathena when applying to pay the occupation or license tax imposed hereunder and upon presentation of said license the City Clerk shall accept the fee or tax imposed hereunder and shall issue a receipt for the same.

SECTION 3. The license year for a license issued hereunder shall commence on the date the retailer's license is issued by the Director of Alcoholic Beverage Control of the Department of Revenue of the State of Kansas and shall end one year after such date.


SECTION 4. The holder of a retailer's license to sell alcoholic liquor in the original and unopened package shall cause the receipt issued by the City Clerk, in payment of the occupation or license tax, to be placed in plain view next to the retailer's license issued by the Director of Alcoholic Beverage Control of the Department of Revenue of the State of Kansas. The license and receipt shall be in a conspicuous place on the licensed premises.

SECTION 5. It shall be unlawful to operate a business selling alcoholic liquor in the original and unopened package without first having paid the occupational or license tax imposed herein.


SECTION 6. Any person obligated to pay the occupation or license tax herein levied and who shall fail or neglect to pay the same or who shall violate any other provision of this ordinance shall, upon conviction thereof, be fined in a sum not to exceed \$100.00. Each day's violation of the provisions of this Ordinance shall constitute a separate offense.

SECTION 7. This Ordinance shall be in force and take effect from and after its publication in the official City newspaper.

PASSED by the Council and APPROVED by the Mayor on the 5th day of May, 1987.


Mayor

ATTEST:


City Clerk