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I am writing in opposition to House Bill 7209 indefinitely extending the sale of alcoholic beverages by restaurants with take out orders. I understand that during the pandemic a bill was passed to help restaurants when in person dining was not possible and I supported that effort. However, as in person dining continues to ramp back up and things continue to return to normal I don't see a permanent extension of this bill as justified.

Perhaps a 6 - 12 month extension may be warranted but a permanent extension serves to water down the value of Class A license holders by creating thousands of de facto Class A licenses.

Thank you for allowing my input.

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