ADVERTISING SPECIALTIES§BEFORE THELIMIT PURSUANT TO ALCOHOLIC§TEXAS ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGEBEVERAGE CODE SECTION 102.07§COMMISSION

ADVERTISING SPECIALTIES LIMIT ORDER

Alcoholic Beverage Code Section 102.07(b) and Texas Alcoholic Beverage Commission (TABC) Administrative Rule 45.117(c)(2) authorize the Executive Director of the TABC to, not more than once a year, increase or decrease the total amount of advertising specialties permitted to be furnished to retailers under Section 102.07(b). Any increase or decrease may not exceed six percent based on the consumer price index and previous adjustments, if any.

By order dated February 12, 2024, the total cost of all advertising specialties furnished to a retailer by an applicable permittee was set at \$132.50 per brand per calendar year. *See* 49 TexReg 1135.

TABC has determined that a six percent increase to the allowable amount is warranted, primarily due to inflation and the lack of adjustments in years prior to 2024. A six percent increase applied to \$132.50 is \$140.45.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED THAT THE TOTAL COST OF ADVERTISING SPECIALTIES AUTHORIZED UNDER ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE CODE SECTION 102.07(b) IS \$140.45 PER BRAND PER CALENDAR YEAR.

ENTERED AND EFFECTIVE on _____

TEXAS ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE COMMISSION

Thomas Graham

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