STATE OF FLORIDA

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR EXECUTIVE ORDER NUMBER 20-210

WHEREAS, on March 9, 2020, I issued Executive Order 20-52 declaring a state of emergency for the entire State of Florida due to COVID-19; and

WHEREAS, since March 17, 2020, the alcoholic beverages industry has experienced difficult conditions resulting from the state of emergency, including the temporary closure of certain vendors and manufacturers under state and local orders; and

NOW, THEREFORE, I, RON DESANTIS, as Governor of Florida, by virtue of the authority vested in me by Article IV, Section (1)(a) of the Florida Constitution, Chapter 252, Florida Statutes, and all other applicable laws, promulgate the following Executive Order to take immediate effect:

Section 1. Deferral of Renewal Deadline. For the holder of any license, permit, registration, or certificate issued by the Department of Business and Professional Regulation, Division of Alcoholic Beverages and Tobacco, for the purposes of engaging in the manufacturing, sale, or distribution of alcoholic beverages in the State of Florida with an existing renewal deadline on or before December 31, 2020, the existing renewal deadline is suspended through December 31, 2020, unless extended by subsequent order.



IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Florida to be affixed, at Tallahassee, this 28th day of August, 2020

RON DESANTIS, GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

Laurel M. Lee.
SECRETARY OF STATE

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