

STATE OF GEORGIA
COUNTY OF FULTON

AN ORDINANCE OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SANDY SPRINGS, GEORGIA TO AMEND CHAPTER 6 "ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES" OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF SANDY SPRINGS TO PROVIDE THAT THE CITY MANAGER HAS THE AUTHORITY TO EXTEND THE TIME PERIOD OF A TEMPORARY LICENSE AS HE MAY DETERMINE TO BE APPROPRIATE UNDER THE CIRCUMSTANCES

BE IT ORDAINED by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Sandy Springs, Georgia that Chapter 6 of the Code of the City of Sandy Springs (the "Code") is hereby amended by adding the following highlighted language to subsection (b) of Section 6-65 on "Procedure for consideration of application; temporary licenses":

Sec. 6-65 – Procedure for consideration of application; temporary licenses.

(b) A temporary license for a full pouring license, a limited pouring license, package malt beverage license, and package wine license may be issued by the city manager for a period of up to 60 days provided the city manager is satisfied that the applicant substantially complies with the provisions of the applicable ordinances and meets required qualifications and the denial of a temporary license would create undue hardship upon the applicant, such as the closing of an existing business or delaying of the opening of a new business. The applicant shall sign an acknowledgment that the temporary license is a mere accommodation and may be revoked, with or without cause, by the City Manager at any time. **The City Manager is also authorized to extend the period of the temporary license up to an additional 60 days if, at least three business days prior to the expiration of the temporary license, or any extension thereof, the applicant requests, and explains why, an extension is needed and the City Manager finds the factual circumstances surrounding the request to support the granting of an extension. Should an applicant have reason to seek an extension beyond the additional 60 days and if the City Manager finds the factual circumstances surrounding the additional extension request to support the granting, then the City Manager shall present the request to Council at the next Regular session of Council.**

APPROVED AND ADOPTED this 21st day of June, 2016.

Approved:

Russell K. Paul, Mayor

Attest:

Michael D. Casey, City Clerk

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