DIVISION OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE CONTROL

MISSION

The Division of Alcoholic Beverage Control (ABC) regulates and controls the manufacture, sale and distribution of alcoholic beverages within the State. The Division issues and renews licenses and permits to manufacturers, distributors, wholesalers and retailers; works with local law enforcement agencies to ensure compliance with the ABC Law; and regulates trade and credit practices for the sale and distribution of alcoholic beverages by such actions as registering brand labels and controlling wholesale and retail prices.

ORGANIZATION AND STAFFING

The Division maintains offices in New York City, Albany, Syracuse and Buffalo. The Division will have a workforce of 196 positions for 2001-02.

FISCAL BACKGROUND AND BUDGET HIGHLIGHTS

In 2001-02, a total of nearly \$13.7 million in special revenue funding will support the Division.

PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

Staff assigned to the Licensing Program are responsible for the timely processing of the permits and licenses required by the Alcoholic Beverage Control Law. The Division has installed modern computer and imaging systems to re-engineer and automate the licensing process. These improvements have reduced processing time, contained operating costs and accelerated revenue collections.

In cooperation with local law enforcement agencies, staff of the Compliance Program ensure that regulated parties comply with the Law. The Division investigates and holds administrative hearings on complaints against permit and license holders. Penalties, ranging from warnings to license suspension and revocation, are imposed for violations.

ALL FUNDS APPROPRIATIONS (dollars)

Category	Available 2000-01	Appropriations Recommended 2001-02	Change	Reappropriations Recommended 2001-02
State Operations	14,300,900	13,664,000	(636,900)	0
Aid To Localities	0	0	0	0
Capital Projects	0	0	0	0
Total	14,300,900	13,664,000	(636,900)	0

ALL FUND TYPES PROJECTED LEVELS OF EMPLOYMENT BY PROGRAM FILLED ANNUAL SALARIED POSITIONS

Full-Time Equivalent Positions (FTE)

Program	2000-01 Estimated FTEs 03/31/01	2001-02 Estimated FTEs 03/31/02	FTE Change
Administration			
Special Revenue Funds - Other	27	26	(1)
Compliance			
Special Revenue Funds - Other	85	83	(2)
Licensing and Wholesaler Services			
Special Revenue Funds - Other	96	87	(9)
Total	208	196	(12)

STATE OPERATIONS ALL FUNDS FINANCIAL REQUIREMENTS BY FUND TYPE APPROPRIATIONS (dollars)

Fund Type	Available 2000-01	Recommended 2001-02	Change
Special Revenue Funds - Other	14,300,900	13,664,000	(636,900)
Total	14,300,900	13,664,000	(636,900)
Adjustments:			
Transfer(s) From Special Pay Bill			
Special Revenue Funds - Other Appropriated 2000-01	(968,000) 13,332,900		

STATE OPERATIONS ALL FUNDS FINANCIAL REQUIREMENTS BY PROGRAM APPROPRIATIONS (dollars)

Program	Available 2000-01	Recommended 2001-02	Change
Administration			
Special Revenue Funds - Other	3,466,105	3,200,000	(266,105)
Compliance			
Special Revenue Funds - Other	5,605,793	5,682,000	76,207
Licensing and Wholesaler Services			
Special Revenue Funds - Other	5,229,002	4,782,000	(447,002)
Total	14,300,900	13,664,000	(636,900)

STATE OPERATIONS - OTHER THAN GENERAL FUND SUMMARY OF APPROPRIATIONS AND CHANGES 2001-02 RECOMMENDED (dollars)

	Total		Personal Service	
Program	Amount	Change	Amount	Change
Administration	3,200,000	(266,105)	1,347,000	(94,205)
Compliance	5,682,000	76,207	3,755,000	4,307
Licensing and Wholesaler Services	4,782,000	(447,002)	3,182,000	(369,702)
Total	13,664,000	(636,900)	8,284,000	(459,600)
	Nonpersonal S	Service		
Program	Amount	Change		
Administration	1,853,000	(171,900)		
Compliance	1,927,000	71,900		
Licensing and Wholesaler Services	1,600,000	(77,300)		
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Total

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