



August 30, 2021

Via Electronic Mail

The Honorable Janet D. Howell, Chair
Senate Finance and Appropriations Committee

The Honorable Luke E. Torian, Chair
House Appropriations Committee

Mr. Daniel Timberlake
Director of Department of Planning and Budget

Mr. Kirk Wiles, Chair
Virginia Wine Board

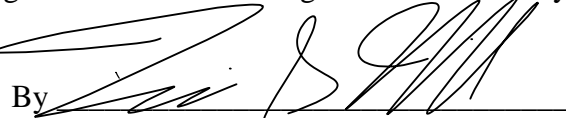
Re: Wine Liter Tax Collections FY-2021

Chairs Howell, Torian, Wiles and Director Timberlake:

Item 394 C of the 2021 Appropriations Act requires that the Virginia Alcoholic Beverage Control Authority report the prior fiscal year dollar amount of total wine liter tax collections in Virginia. In Fiscal Year 2021, the dollar amount of total wine liter tax collections in Virginia was \$45,821,143.78. Of that total, \$358,388.13 is attributable to the sale of Virginia wine in ABC stores, and \$1,967,774.79 is attributable to the sale of Virginia wine by Farm Wineries and Distributors. 5.1% of the total wine liter tax collections were attributable to the sale of Virginia wine.

In Fiscal Year 2021, the dollar amount of total cider liter tax collections in Virginia was \$826,676.74. Of that total, \$187,885.58 is attributable to the sale of Virginia cider by Farm Wineries and Distributors

Virginia Alcoholic Beverage Control Authority

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