

**ORDINANCE #2008-7: AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND THE STATESBORO
CODE OF ORDINANCES SECTION 6-162 REGARDING HOURS OF SALE OF
ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES**

THAT WHEREAS, the City Council has previously adopted an ordinance regulating the hours of sale for alcoholic beverages; and

WHEREAS, the City Council finds sufficient reason and need to amend the current code section to further address concerns over the current hours of sale;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Statesboro, Georgia in regular session assembled that Chapter 6, Alcoholic Beverages, of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Statesboro is hereby amended as follows:

Section 1. Amend Sec. 6-162 to read as follows: "Consumption on-the premises licensees shall only engage in the sale and service of alcoholic beverages between the hours of 7:00 a.m. and 1:00 a.m. current time Monday through Saturday, with consumption of purchased beverages on the premises until 2:00 a.m. current time. Package sales of beer and wine for off- premises consumption shall be between the hours of 6:00 a.m. and 12:00 midnight current time, Monday through Saturday."

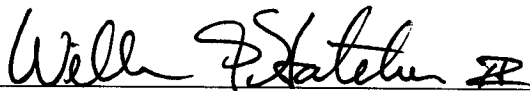
Section 2. Should any section, subsection, or provision of this ordinance be ruled invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction, then all other sections, subsections, and provisions of this ordinance shall remain in full force and effect.

Section 3. This ordinance shall remain in full force and effect from and after its adoption on two separate readings.

First Reading: October 21, 2008

Second Reading: November 4, 2008

MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF STATESBORO, GEORGIA



By: William S. Hatcher II, Mayor



Attest: Sue Starling, City Clerk

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