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**Chapter 257. AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE TOWN OF SWANSEA TO GRANT AN ADDITIONAL LICENSE FOR THE SALE OF ALL ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES NOT TO BE DRUNK ON THE PREMISES.**

*Be it enacted, etc., as follows:*

**SECTION 1.** Notwithstanding section 17 of chapter 138 of the General Laws, the licensing authority in the town of Swansea may grant to the Buffington Mini Mart, Inc. located at 75 Buffington Street in said town, a license for the sale of all alcoholic beverages not to be drunk on the premises under section 15 of said chapter 138. The license shall be subject to all said chapter 138 except section 17.

**SECTION 2.** Notwithstanding any general or special law to the contrary, upon the granting of the license pursuant to section 1, the license for the sale of wines and malt beverages not to be drunk on the premises granted pursuant to said section 15 of said chapter 138 which is presently held by Buffington Mini Mart, shall revert back to the town of Swansea.

**SECTION 3.** This act shall take effect upon its passage.

Approved August 9, 2004.

**Chapter 258. AN ACT VALIDATING THE ACTS AND PROCEEDINGS AT A CERTAIN TOWN CAUCUS IN THE TOWN OF WESTHAMPTON.**

*Be it enacted, etc., as follows:*

**SECTION 1.** Notwithstanding any general or special law or by-law to the contrary, the acts and proceedings of the town of Westhampton at the town caucus held on April 22, 2002, and all actions taken pursuant thereto, are hereby ratified, validated and confirmed, notwithstanding any error in the date on which the caucus was held or any other defect or omission in the calling of the caucus.

**SECTION 2.** This act shall take effect upon its passage.

Approved August 9, 2004.

**Chapter 259. AN ACT PROVIDING FOR A STRONG TOWN MANAGER FORM OF GOVERNMENT IN THE TOWN OF ABINGTON.**

*Be it enacted, etc., as follows:*