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## Calendar Year 2011 Legal Holidays and Dates of Observance

1. **ALL LICENSEES MAY** sell or deliver alcoholic beverages on the following holidays:

New Year's Day	Saturday, January 1
Martin Luther King, Jr. Day	Monday, January 17
Presidents' Day	Monday, February 21
Evacuation Day*	Thursday, March 17
Patriots' Day	Monday, April 18
Bunker Hill Day*	Friday, June 17
Independence Day	Monday, July 4
Labor Day	Monday, September 5
Columbus Day	Monday, October 10
Veterans' Day	Friday, November 11

\*Holiday in Suffolk County Only

2. **OFF-PREMISES (M.G.L. c. 138, §15) LICENSEES, MANUFACTURERS\*, WHOLESALEERS and IMPORTERS\* MAY NOT** sell or deliver alcoholic beverages on the following holidays:

Memorial Day	Monday, May 30
Thanksgiving Day	Thursday, November 24
Christmas Day	Sunday, December 25
Day following Sunday occurrence	Monday, December 26

\*Except to §14 licensees

3. **OFF-PREMISES LICENSEES MAY** remain open until 11:30 p.m. the day **BEFORE** all holidays

4. **ON-PREMISES LICENSEES MAY NOT** sell alcoholic beverages until 12:00 noon on the following holidays:

Memorial Day	Monday, May 30
Christmas Day	Sunday, December 25
Day following Sunday occurrence	Monday, December 26

5. **REGISTERED PHARMACISTS MAY NOT** sell alcoholic beverages (or alcohol) during all Legal Holidays except upon the prescription of a registered physician.