HB 450 -- WINE SALES (Meiners)

COMMITTEE OF ORIGIN: Local Government

This bill allows a person to take home an open bottle of wine from a restaurant. The wine must have been purchased with a meal; the person must retain the receipt for the meal; and the wine must be resealed before leaving the restaurant. The person would be exempt from any open container violation as long as the new seal on the wine bottle remained intact.

FISCAL NOTE: No impact on state funds in FY 2006, FY 2007, and FY 2008.