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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
152nd GENERAL ASSEMBLY

HOUSE BILL NO. 444

AN ACT TO AMEND TITLE 29 OF THE DELAWARE CODE RELATING TO THE STATE COCKTAIL.

1 WHEREAS, the Orange Crush cocktail is claimed to have been originated by bartenders in Ocean City, Maryland
2 in 1995; and

3 WHEREAS, the Orange Crush has been made famous and become synonymous with Dewey Beach, Delaware;
4 and

5 WHEREAS, The Starboard in Dewey Beach, Delaware perfected the Orange Crush and serves the most Orange
6 Crush cocktails of any bar in Delaware every beach season; and

7 WHEREAS, the Orange Crush cocktail is a highball containing fresh-squeezed orange juice, orange vodka, triple
8 sec, and lemon-lime soda with crushed ice.

9 NOW, THEREFORE:

10 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE:

11 Section 1. Amend Chapter 3, Title 29 of the Delaware Code by making deletions as shown by strike through and
12 insertions as shown by underline as follows:

13 § 333. State cocktail.

14 The Orange Crush is the official cocktail of Delaware.

SYNOPSIS

This Act designates the Orange Crush as the State cocktail.