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February 24, 1939

Hon. Bert Ford, Administrator
Texas Liquor Control Board
Austin, Texas

Dear Sir:

Opinion No. 0-389

Re: Permit provided under Texas Liquor Control Act may not be issued to an administrator of the estate of a deceased person.

We have your letter of February 20th in which you inquire as to whether or not a permit provided for under the Texas Liquor Control Act may be issued to an administrator of the estate of a deceased person, and if so, whether the administrator would be subject to penalties provided for violation of the Act.

Article 686-13 of the Liquor Control Act provides that any permit granted shall be purely a personal privilege, and shall be revocable under conditions stated.

The whole purpose of the Act is to have some one responsible for the business being run in compliance with the Act. A permit may not issue in the first instance to an administrator in his representative capacity.

Yours very truly

ATTORNEY GENERAL OF TEXAS

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