

GOVERNOR'S OFFICE: Intoxicating liquor; right to distribute for advertising purposes.

August 4, 1937.

Miss Aline Laws,
Executive Secretary,
Indianapolis, Indiana.

Dear Miss Laws:

I herewith return the telegram of Mr. Zirpoli, chairman of the California Young Democratic Convention.

I find no law which would permit the importation into this state of California wine, except by those holding an importer's permit. Section 32 of the Alcoholic Beverages Act makes it unlawful so to do. Subsection 5, section 31, makes it unlawful for any person to give away to any person other than a guest or a member of his family, any alcoholic beverages, or possess the same, except that they be the holder of an alcoholic beverage permit. Subsection 8, section 31, makes it unlawful for any person, for his own use, to carry on or convey to or consume on or about the premises of any permittee any alcoholic beverages not then and there purchased of such permittee on said premises. Subsection 10, section 31, makes it unlawful to sell or give away to any person under the age of twenty-one years any alcoholic beverages.

I know of no special permit that might be granted which would authorize this distribution.

The Alcoholic Beverages Commission advises me that they have consistently turned down similar requests for distribution for advertising purposes.

FIRE MARSHAL, STATE: Amusements and theaters, Fire Marshal granting permits to.

Hon. Clem Smith,
State Fire Marshal,
State House,
Indianapolis, Indiana.

August 5, 1937.

Dear Sir:

I have at hand your recent letter reading as follows:

"I wish to have an opinion concerning chapter 83, Acts of 1937. This is in regard to the licensing by