What is NABCA

- The national association representing control systems – those states and counties who opted after prohibition to adopt a state control model for the sale and distribution of alcohol.

Facts

- Incorporated in Wyoming.
- Established in January, 1938 in Des Moines, Iowa.
- Celebrated its 75th Anniversary in 2012.
- Non-Profit, 501(c)(6) organization.
- Of the 19* jurisdictions that chartered NABCA in 1938 all are members today.
  *NOTE: In June 2012, through a voter initiative, Washington became a licensed state. The Washington State Liquor Commission is still a NABCA member. Currently there are 18 Control Jurisdictions.
- Board of Directors comprised of chairman from each Control Jurisdiction (listed below).

History

- From 1938-1956, the chairman’s staff of each jurisdiction ran the day-to-day operations of the association.
- **1956:** Frank M. Krebs of Ohio moved HQ to Washington D.C. on 16th and K streets. Staff produced NABCA’s first data reports. Charles Buscher is named the first Executive Vice President.
- **1966:** moved HQ to the Barlow Building on Wisconsin Ave., Chevy Chase, MD
- **1982:** opened executive office on Oronoco St., Alexandria, VA
- **1983:** headquarters moved to 4216 King St., Alexandria, VA
- **2006:** headquarters moved to current location, 4401 Ford Avenue, Alexandria, VA

**EXECUTIVE DIRECTORS AND PRESIDENT/CEOs (Title was Executive Vice President until 1979)**

- 1993-Present: James Sgueo, President
- 1979-1993: Paul Dufek, President
- 1966-1979: Dorothy Kelly, Executive Vice President
- 1956-1966: Charles Buscher, Executive Vice President

Membership

Divided into the following categories:
• **Voting Members:** All state, territorial, county or municipal/city government agencies responsible for controlling and selling, either at wholesale or retail.

• **Participating Members:** Control jurisdictions eligible for voting membership but not admitted, may be permitted as participating members.

• **Supplier Members:** All persons or firms engaged in the manufacture or sale of alcohol beverages.

• **Association Members:** All national, state or local associations comprised of persons or firms eligible for supplier membership.

• **Governmental Members:** All state, territorial, county or municipal agencies, Native American agencies, and all foreign governmental agencies responsible for controlling the distribution and sale of alcohol beverages.

• **Allied Members:** All persons or firms not engaged in the manufacture or sale of alcohol beverages, yet conduct business with control states and/or the alcohol beverage industry in some other manner.

**How we can help**

• As a trade association representing all stakeholders in the alcohol industry, NABCA can serve as a resource on alcohol policy. Contact us with any questions or requests at 703-578-4200 or email Maggie.Barchine@nabca.org.