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A bill for an act

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relating to stadiums; providing for a Major League Soccer stadium in St. Paul;

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authorizing issuance of a liquor license.

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BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA:

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Section 1. **MAJOR LEAGUE SOCCER STADIUM; ON-SALE LICENSE.**

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Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes, section 340A.404, subdivision 1, or any other

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law to the contrary, the city of St. Paul may issue an on-sale intoxicating liquor license

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to the operator of the Major League Soccer stadium located in the city of St. Paul or to

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entities affiliated with it for operation of food and beverage concessions at the stadium.

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The license may authorize sales both to persons attending any and all events, and sales in

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a restaurant, bar, or banquet facility at the stadium. The license authorizes sales on all

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days of the week. All provisions of Minnesota Statutes, chapter 340A, not inconsistent

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with this section, apply to the license under this section. The license may be issued for a

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space that is not compact and contiguous, provided that the licensed premises may include

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only the space within the stadium or on stadium premises or grounds, as described in

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the approved license application.

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EFFECTIVE DATE. This section is effective upon approval by the St. Paul City

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Council and compliance with Minnesota Statutes, section 645.021.