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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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H. F. No. 2175

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The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Commerce

1.1 A bill for an act
1.2 relating to liquor; authorizing the cities of Austin and Rochester to issue certain
1.3 on-sale licenses.

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

1.5 Section 1. CITY OF AUSTIN; ON-SALE LICENSE.

1.6 Notwithstanding any law or ordinance to the contrary, in addition to the number of
1.7 licenses authorized, the city of Austin may issue an on-sale wine license and an on-sale
1.8 malt liquor license to a person who is the owner of a junior hockey league team or to a
1.9 person holding a concessions or management contract with the city or the team owner, for
1.10 beverage sales at the Riverside Arena. The licenses must authorize the dispensing of wine
1.11 or malt liquor only to persons attending events at the arena for consumption on the premises.
1.12 A license issued under this section authorizes sales on all days of the week to persons
1.13 attending junior hockey league games at the arena.

1.14 EFFECTIVE DATE. This section is effective upon approval by the Austin city council
1.15 and compliance with Minnesota Statutes, section 645.021.

1.16 Sec. 2. CITY OF ROCHESTER; ON-SALE LICENSE.

1.17 Notwithstanding any law or ordinance to the contrary, in addition to the number of
1.18 licenses authorized, the city of Rochester may issue an on-sale wine license and an on-sale
1.19 malt liquor license to a person who is the owner of a junior hockey league team or to a
1.20 person holding a concessions or management contract with the city or the team owner, for
1.21 beverage sales at the Rochester Recreation Center. The licenses must authorize the dispensing
1.22 of wine or malt liquor only to persons attending events at the arena for consumption on the

- 2.1 premises. A license issued under this section authorizes sales on all days of the week to
2.2 persons attending junior hockey league games at the arena.
- 2.3 **EFFECTIVE DATE.** This section is effective upon approval by the Rochester city
2.4 council and compliance with Minnesota Statutes, section 645.021.