

**SENATE
STATE OF MINNESOTA
NINETY-THIRD SESSION**

S.F. No. 5050

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Introduction and first reading
Referred to Commerce and Consumer Protection

OFFICIAL STATUS

1.1 A bill for an act
1.2 relating to liquor; amending a temporary license in the city of St. Paul; amending
1.3 Laws 2022, chapter 86, article 2, section 3.

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

1.5 Section 1. Laws 2022, chapter 86, article 2, section 3, is amended to read:

1.6 Sec. 3. **CITY OF ST. PAUL; LICENSE AUTHORIZED.**

1.7 Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes, section 340A.412, subdivision 4, the city of St.
1.8 Paul may issue a temporary on-sale malt liquor license to the Thai Cultural Council of
1.9 Minnesota or to a person or entity holding a concessions contract with the Thai Cultural
1.10 Council of Minnesota. The license may authorize the sale of malt liquor on the grounds of
1.11 the State Capitol for both days of the Minnesota Songkran Festival. All provisions of
1.12 Minnesota Statutes, section 340A.404, subdivision 10, not inconsistent with this section,
1.13 apply to the license authorized by this section.

1.14 **EFFECTIVE DATE.** This section is effective upon approval by the St. Paul City
1.15 Council and compliance with Minnesota Statutes, section 645.021.