Commerce Subcommittee on Liquor

Chair: Sen. Sandra L. Pappas Monday, March 7, 2005 12 noon Room 15 Capitol

AGENDA:

- Presentation by Charles de Seve, Ph.D., president, American Economics Group, Inc.
- S.F. 664-Pappas: Malt liquor brewers wort use authority expansion.
- S.F. 528-Ourada: Liquor sales hours modifications.
- S.F. 553-Wergin: Mille Lacs county off-sale intoxicating liquor license.
- S.F. 862-Hottinger: Mankato on-sale intoxicating liquor license.
- S.F. 1072-Hann: Eden Prairie on-sale intoxicating liquor license.
- S.F. 1199-Robling: Elko speedway alcoholic beverage on-sales authority expansion.

MINUTES:

Members present:

Kiscaden

Pappas

Scheid (ex officio)

Larson

Pogemiller

Michel

Members absent:

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12:07 p.m. Senator Pappas called the meeting to order

- Presentation by Charles de Seve, Ph.D., president, American Economics Group, Inc. "Impact of the Highly Regulated Wholesale and Retail Alcoholic Beverage Markets in Minnesota"
- 12:30 p.m. Senator Scheid assumed the chair
 - S.F. 664-Pappas: Malt liquor brewers wort use authority expansion.
 - o Bill Burdick, Chairman and Brewmaster, Granite City Food and Brewing

Senator Pappas moved that S.F. 664 be recommended for inclusion in the omnibus bill Motion prevailed

12:37 p.m. Senator Pappas re-assumed the chair

• S.F. 528-Ourada: Liquor sales hours modifications.

Senator Ourada offered the A-2 author's amendment

Senator Pogemiller moved the A-2 amendment

Motion prevailed

Senator Larson moved that S.F. 528 as amended be recommended for inclusion in the omnibus bill

Motion prevailed

- S.F. 1072-Hann: Eden Prairie on-sale intoxicating liquor license.
 - o Scott Neal, City Manager, Eden Prairie

Response to question:

• Frank Ball, Director, Alcohol and Gambling Enforcement Division, Department of Public Safety

Senator Pappas laid S.F. 1072 over for further work

• S.F. 553-Wergin: Mille Lacs county off-sale intoxicating liquor license.

Senator Pogemiller moved that S.F. 553 be amended as follows:

Line 10, delete "c" and insert "e"

Motion prevailed

Senator Michel moved that S.F. 553 as amended be recommended for inclusion in the omnibus bill

Motion prevailed

- S.F. 862-Hottinger: Mankato on-sale intoxicating liquor license.
 - o Pat Hentges, City Manager, Mankato

Senator Kiscaden moved that S.F. 862 be recommended for inclusion in the omnibus bill Motion prevailed

- S.F. 1199-Robling: Elko speedway alcoholic beverage on-sales authority expansion.
 - o Gerald Brendenhoff, Attorney for Elko Speedway

Senator Michel moved that S.F. 1199 be recommended for inclusion in the omnibus bill Motion prevailed

1:12 p.m. Senator Pappas adjourned the committee.

Minutes respectfully submitted

Emily Shively, Subcommittee Secretary

Minutes approved

Senator Sandra L. Pappas, Char

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