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A bill for an act

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relating to commerce; requiring third-party delivery services to obtain a license

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to deliver alcoholic beverages; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes,

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chapter 340A.

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

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Section 1. [340A.920] LICENSE REQUIRED FOR THIRD-PARTY DELIVERY OF

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ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES.

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Subdivision 1. **License required.** Delivery of alcoholic beverages is prohibited unless

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the delivery is made from a licensed premises and:

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(1) by a licensed or authorized off-sale liquor retailer; or

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(2) a third-party delivery service that holds a license to deliver alcoholic beverages.

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Subd. 2. **License issuance.** The commissioner must issue a third-party delivery license

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to a third-party delivery service who pays the fee and meets the requirements.

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Subd. 3. **Fee.** The commissioner shall charge an annual fee of \$500 for a third-party

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delivery off-sale liquor license.

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Subd. 4. **Employees.** A third-party delivery licensee must use the delivery service's

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employees or independent contractors who are at least 21 years of age to deliver alcoholic

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beverages and facilitate orders for the sale and delivery of alcoholic beverages.

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Subd. 5. **Age requirement.** An individual who purchases alcoholic beverages for delivery

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through a third-party delivery service must be at least 21 years of age. Delivery service

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employees or independent contractors must verify the individual's age at the point of delivery.

2.1 Subd. 6. **Training requirement.** An individual delivering alcoholic beverages under a
2.2 third-party delivery license must complete alcoholic beverages awareness training prior to
2.3 delivering alcoholic beverages on behalf of the third-party delivery service. Proof of
2.4 completion must be submitted to the third-party delivery service. The third-party delivery
2.5 service must provide proof of completion to the commissioner upon request.

2.6 Subd. 7. **Insurance requirement.** A third-party delivery licensee must obtain liquor
2.7 liability insurance under section 340A.409.