

Minnesota State Senate

Commerce and Consumer Protection Committee
Thursday, March 13, 2025
12:30 PM, G-15 Capitol

Minutes

Present: Senator Gary H. Dahms, Senator Zach Duckworth, Senator Nick A. Frentz, Senator Steve Green, Senator Jeff R. Howe, Senator Matt D. Klein, Senator Ron Latz, Senator Jordan Rasmusson, Senator Ann H. Rest, Senator Judy Seeberger, Senator Melissa H. Wiklund

Absent: No Members Absent

Senator Matt D. Klein called the meeting to order at 12:37pm

Call to Order

S.F. 1168: Senator Nelson: City of Rochester issuance of an on-sale intoxicating liquor license to the Chateau Theater authorization.

The following individuals testified on S.F.1168:

- Christiann Cartwright, Deputy City Clerk, Rochester

Senator Klein moved that S.F. 1168, be laid over for possible inclusion in the omnibus bill.

S.F. 265: Senator Frentz: Mankato special liquor license authorization.

The following individuals testified on S.F.0265:

- Kevin Buisman, Minnesota State University, Mankato

Senator Klein moved that S.F. 265, be laid over for possible inclusion in the omnibus bill.

S.F. 1655: Senator Utke: Lake of the Woods County certain temporary licenses authorization notwithstanding a restriction in law.

The following individuals testified on S.F.1655:

- Anthony PirkI, Lake of the Woods County

Senator Klein moved that S.F. 1655, be laid over for possible inclusion in the omnibus bill.

S.F. 1654: Senator Dibble: City of Minneapolis issuance of a food hall license authorization provision.

The following individuals testified on S.F.1654:

- Patty Wall, Wall Companies/Malcom Yard Food Hall

Senator Klein moved that S.F. 1654, be laid over for possible inclusion in the omnibus bill.

S.F. 2059: Senator Latz: St. Louis Park issuance of a food hall liquor license authorization.

Senator Latz offers the A1.
A1 is adopted.

The following individuals testified on S.F.2059:

- Patty Wall, Wall Companies/Malcom Yard Food Hall

Senator Klein moved that S.F. 2059, be laid over for possible inclusion in the omnibus bill.

S.F. 1588: Senator Wiklund: Bloomington authorization to issue certain on-sale licenses to a municipally owned golf course.

Senator Wiklund offers the A1.

A1 is adopted.

The following individuals testified on S.F.1588:

- Ann Katreh, Director, Bloomington Parks and Recreation

Senator Klein moved that S.F. 1588, be laid over for possible inclusion in the omnibus bill.

S.F. 1865: Senator Westrom: Food and truck intoxicating liquor license establishment provision.

The following individuals testified on S.F.1865:

- Jason Schmidt, Smokin' Brews & 'Ques

Senator Klein moved that S.F. 1865, be laid over for possible inclusion in the omnibus bill.

S.F. 2202: Senator Pappas: St. Paul permission to issue on-sale intoxicating liquor licenses to the Science Museum of Minnesota and the Union Depot.

The following individuals testified on S.F.2202:

- Dan Niziolek, City of St. Paul Department of Safety and Inspections

Senator Klein moved that S.F. 2202, be laid over for possible inclusion in the omnibus bill.

S.F. 2376: Senator Dahms: Springfield issuance of and on-sale liquor license authorization.

The following individuals testified on S.F.2376:

- Amber Dale, City Manager, City of Springdale

Senator Klein moved that S.F. 2376, be laid over for possible inclusion in the omnibus bill.

S.F. 1182: Senator Putnam: Cities authorization to issue a social district license.

The following individuals testified on S.F.1182:

- Ray Herrington, The Boulder Tap House

Senator Klein moved that S.F. 1182, be laid over for possible inclusion in the omnibus bill.

S.F. 2221: Senator Clark: Certain requirements modification of liquor licenses issues to the Board of Regents of the University of Minnesota.

The following individuals testified on S.F.2221:

- Amy Keran, University of Minnesota

Senator Klein moved that S.F. 2221, be laid over for possible inclusion in the omnibus bill.

S.F. 1759: Senator Rasmusson: Transfer of wine between commonly owned liquor stores permission.

Senator Rasmusson offers the A1.

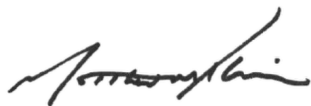
A1 is adopted.

The following individuals testified on S.F.1759:

- Mindy Baker, Total Wine
- Fabian Roers, Teamsters Local 792
- Brandt Erwin, Minnesota Beer Wholesalers Association
- Joel Carlson, Minnesota Wine and Spirit Wholesale Association
- Jennifer Schoenzeit, Zipps Liquors

Senator Klein moved that S.F. 1759, be laid over for possible inclusion in the omnibus bill.

The meeting was adjourned at 2:03pm



Senator Matt D. Klein, Chair



Ellie Tibodeau-Lissick, Legislative Assistant