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

1.1 A bill for an act
1.2 relating to liquor; allowing the sale of alcohol control devices at exclusive liquor
1.3 stores; amending Minnesota Statutes 2008, section 340A.412, subdivision 14.

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

1.5 Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 2008, section 340A.412, subdivision 14, is amended to
1.6 read:

1.7 Subd. 14. **Exclusive liquor stores.** (a) Except as otherwise provided in this
1.8 subdivision, an exclusive liquor store may sell only the following items:

1.9 (1) alcoholic beverages;

1.10 (2) tobacco products;

1.11 (3) ice;

1.12 (4) beverages, either liquid or powder, specifically designated for mixing with
1.13 intoxicating liquor;

1.14 (5) soft drinks;

1.15 (6) liqueur-filled candies;

1.16 (7) food products that contain more than one-half of one percent alcohol by volume;

1.17 (8) cork extraction devices;

1.18 (9) books and videos on the use of alcoholic beverages;

1.19 (10) magazines and other publications published primarily for information and
1.20 education on alcoholic beverages;

1.21 (11) devices designed to ensure safe storage and monitoring of alcohol in the home,
1.22 to prevent access by underage drinkers; and

1.23 ~~(11)~~ (12) home brewing equipment.

2.1 (b) An exclusive liquor store that has an on-sale, or combination on-sale and off-sale
2.2 license may sell food for on-premise consumption when authorized by the municipality
2.3 issuing the license.

2.4 (c) An exclusive liquor store may offer live or recorded entertainment.