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**AN ORDINANCE
OF THE
CITY OF MINNEAPOLIS**

By

**Amending Title 14, Chapter 360 of the Minneapolis Code of Ordinances relating to
Liquor and Beer: In General.**

The City Council of the City of Minneapolis do ordain as follows:

That Chapter 360 of the Minneapolis Code of Ordinances be amended by adding thereto a new Section 360.130 to read as follows:

360.130. Incomplete License Applications. (a) Any application for a license under Title 14 of this Code that does not contain all requested and/or necessary information shall be deemed incomplete. An application remaining incomplete for one hundred twenty (120) days may be administratively denied by the director of licenses. The director shall notify the applicant of any deficiencies at least thirty (30) days prior to administrative denial.

(b) If the application remains incomplete after being given thirty-day notice, the director shall send written notice that the application is denied. Applicants shall not be allowed to engage in any activities for which a license is required. Application fees shall not be refunded.

(c) An applicant may, prior to denial, send a written request to extend the application deadline. The director may extend the deadline for good cause. An applicant may appeal a license or extension denial to the city council within ten (10) days of notification of the denial.

That Chapter 360 of the Minneapolis Code of Ordinances be amended by adding thereto a new Section 360.140 to read as follows:

360.140. Payment of taxes prerequisite to issuance, renewal of license. No license shall be granted, or renewed, for operation on any premises, on which taxes, assessments or other financial claims of the city or of the state are due, delinquent or unpaid. In the event an action has been commenced pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 278, Minnesota Statutes, questioning the amount or validity of taxes, the council may, on application by the licensee, waive strict compliance with this provision; no waiver may be granted, however, for taxes or any portion thereof, which remain unpaid for a period exceeding one year after becoming due unless a payment plan has been entered into or the liability is under litigation or appeal.

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Amending Title 14, Chapter 362 of the Minneapolis Code of Ordinances relating to Liquor and Beer: Liquor Licenses.

The City Council of the City of Minneapolis do ordain as follows:

That Chapter 362 of the Minneapolis Code of Ordinances be amended by deleting by deleting 362.370:

~~**362.370. Payment of taxes prerequisite to license.** No license shall be granted for any sale of liquor in any building or place for which the real estate taxes or personal property taxes for personal property located on the premises and to be used in connection with the sale of liquor, are delinquent. Provided, that if in the judgment of the city council good cause is shown for failure to pay the taxes, and no objection is made by the city assessor, then a license may be granted notwithstanding the provisions of this section. (Code 1960, As Amend., § 851.360)~~

Amending Title 14, Chapter 363 of the Minneapolis Code of Ordinances relating to Liquor and Beer: Wine Licenses.

The City Council of the City of Minneapolis do ordain as follows:

That Chapter 363 of the Minneapolis Code of Ordinances be amended by deleting 363.370:

~~**363.370. Payment of taxes prerequisite to license.** No license shall be granted for any sale of wine in any building or place for which the real estate taxes or personal property taxes for personal property located on the premises and to be used in connection with the sale of liquor, are delinquent. Provided, that if in the judgment of the city council good cause is shown for failure to pay the taxes, and no objection is made by the city assessor, then a license may be granted notwithstanding the provisions of this section. (Code 1960, As Amend., § 851.360)~~

Amending Title 14, Chapter 366 of the Minneapolis Code of Ordinances relating to Liquor and Beer: Beer Licenses.

The City Council of the City of Minneapolis do ordain as follows:

That Chapter 366 of the Minneapolis Code of Ordinances be amended by deleting 366.260:

366.260. Payment of taxes prerequisite to license. No "on sale" or "off sale" licenses and no renewals or transfers thereof, shall be granted for any building or place for which the real estate taxes or personal property taxes for personal property are delinquent. Provided, that if in the judgment of the city council good cause is shown for failure to pay the taxes, and no objection is made by the city assessor, then a license may be granted notwithstanding the provisions of this section. (Code 1960, As Amend., § 851.360)