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SENATOR JANSSEN: All right. Thank you, Mr. Speaker and members. This amendment would allow a nonpublic college or university to hold a liquor license for a cash bar or otherwise sell liquor at retail prices for special events. It'd also allow them to contract with a corporation to sell alcohol at these...at retail prices. As it is now, the nonpublic universities and other nonpublic postsecondary schools can...they can sell alcohol after getting a special events permit from both the city and the Liquor Control Commission. This would allow them to obtain a liquor license and would eliminate the requirement to fill out the paperwork for a license each time there is a special event. University and colleges now can sell...they can sell alcohol now the way the law reads. We are not introducing liquor to campuses that isn't already there or allowed to be there. We would just be simplifying the way they go through the process. Right now, they have to...they have to get one every...they have to apply for a license every time they have a function there. So that's for your consideration. I would like to...I would answer any questions you may have about this amendment. Thank you.

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: Senator Landis.

SENATOR LANDIS: Just to say that there's two or three amendments in a row. I have one. My impression is that they are either all germane or they're all not germane. I don't intend to object to the germaneness of this amendment. I think it's arguable germane and, if that's not going to be the working principle in the group of amendments that we have running up, I would love to hear it from somebody now rather than later. Thank you.

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: Senator Crosby.

SENATOR CROSBY: Thank you, Mr. Speaker, members. Senator Janssen, I have two questions on this amendment. Where did this amendment...

SENATOR JANSSEN: Yes.

SENATOR CROSBY: ...originate? Who brought this amendment to