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Under current law, eligible individuals who produce and sell no more than \$18,000/year of certain foods are not required to obtain a food handler license from the Minnesota Department of Agriculture. This is often referred to as the "cottage foods" exemption. This bill would allow an eligible limited liability company (LLC) to qualify for this exemption as well, subject to certain liability insurance requirements specified in the bill. It would also eliminate the \$18,000/year sales limit for eligible individuals and LLCs.