AGENDA OF THE NHLC DIVISION OF ENFORCEMENT & LICENSING MEETING FOR MARCH 30, 2023

1. ACCEPTANCE OF MINUTES:

RECOMMENDATION TO ACCEPT THE MINUTES OF THE COMMISSION MEETING HELD MARCH 23, 2023.

2. TABLED ITEMS:

None

3. SCHEDULED HEARINGS AT LIQUOR COMMISSION OFFICES, 50 STORRS STREET, CONCORD, NH:

Date to be determined:

Tuk Tuk Thai Cuisine, 5 South Main Street, Hanover, NH 03755.

Restaurant, On-Premises, Beverage/Wine/Liquor License #1506203 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:21.

Cited for violation of RSA 179:5, I - served or sold alcoholic beverage to a minor during a compliance check.

Date of violation: 9/10/2022.

Case #: 22-606-OF.

4. NOTIFICATION OF ADMINISTRATIVE ACTION PER SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT:

a. American Legion Post 59, 548 West Main Street, Hillsborough, NH 03244.

Veterans Club License #16739 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:22, V(h).

Cited for violation of RSA 179:5, I – Aggravated - served alcoholic beverage to a patron who was visibly intoxicated or who a reasonable and prudent person would know is intoxicated resulting in property damage exceeding \$1,000.

Date of violation: June 17, 2022.

Case #: 22-226-OF.

An administrative fine of \$2,000 with \$500 suspended for twelve (12) months pending no like violation, four (4) points shall be assessed to and remain on the liquor license for twelve (12) calendar months commencing the date of adjudication and the license to serve, consume or possess alcohol shall be suspended for ten (10) days with seven (7) days held in abeyance for twelve (12) months pending no like violation commencing April 12, 2023 and re-granted on April 15, 2023.

b. Groennfell Meadery, 650 Industrial Park Road, Saint Albans, VT 05478.

Wine Manufacturer License #8295633 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:8.

Cited for violation of RSA 178:27, V/Liq. 1103.01 – failed to file a monthly report by the 15th of the following month.

Date of violation: 2/16/2023.

Case #: 23-209-OF.

\$100 administrative fine and compliance with statutes and administrative rules pertaining to the filing of reports pursuant to RSA 178.

5. NON-CONTESTED ADMINISTRATIVE ACTION RECOMMENDED FOR COMMISSION APPROVAL:

a. Benziger Family Winery, 1883 London Ranch Road, Glen Ellen, CA 95442.

Wine Manufacturer License #8245733 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:8.

Cited for violation of RSA 178:27, V/Liq. 1103.01 – failed to file a monthly report by the 15th of the following month.

Date of violation: 2/16/2023.

Case #: 23-276-OF.

\$250 administrative fine.

b. Bethlehem Village Store, 2065 Main Street, Bethlehem, NH 03574.

Combination, Off-Premises, Beverage/Wine/Tobacco License #3342447 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:18/RSA 126-K:4.

Cited for violation of RSA 178/Liq. 704.01 – failed to renew license thirty (30) days prior to expiration of the license.

Date of violation: 3/2/2023.

Case #: 23-319-OF.

Warning.

c. Common Man Claremont, 16 Mill Road, Claremont, NH 03743.

Restaurant, Full Service With Lounge License #1380803 licensed pursuant to

RSA 178:21, II(a)(1)/RSA 178:22, V(q).

Cited for violation of RSA 178/Liq. 704.01 – failed to renew license thirty (30) days prior to expiration of the license.

Date of violation: 2/2/2023.

Case #: 23-243-OF.

Warning.

d. Diamond Grill & Lounge, 14 West Hollis Street, Nashua, NH 03060.

Restaurant, Full Service With Lounge License #1660303 licensed pursuant to

RSA 178:21, II(a)(1)/RSA 178:22, V(q).

Cited for violation of RSA 179:27 – allowed a patron to self-serve alcohol beverages.

Date of violation: 2/24/2023.

Case #: 23-312-OF.

Warning.

e. Hotel Even Manchester Airport, 55 John E. Devine Drive, Manchester, NH 03103.

Hotel License #375102 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:24, II(b)(1).

Cited for violation of RSA 178/Liq. 704.01 – failed to renew license thirty (30) days prior to expiration of the license.

Date of violation: 3/1/2023.

Case #: 23-318-OF.

Warning.

f. Independence Inn, 6 Drake Hill Road, Strafford, NH 03884.

Restaurant, Full Service With Lounge License #1639703 licensed pursuant to

RSA 178:21, II(a)(1)/RSA 178:22, V(q).

Cited for violation of RSA 178/Liq. 704.01 – failed to renew license thirty (30) days prior to expiration of the license.

Date of violation: 2/16/2023.

Case #: 23-252-OF.

Warning.

g. Marchetti Company, 3091 Mayfield Road #310, Cleveland Heights, OH 44118.

Liquor & Wine Vendor License #118445 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:9.

Cited for violation of RSA 178/Liq. 704.01 – failed to renew license thirty (30) days prior to expiration of the license.

Date of violation: 2/23/2023.

Case #: 23-299-OF.

Warning.

h. Masa Japanese Steak House, 1707 South Willow Street, Manchester, NH 03103.

Restaurant, Full Service With Lounge License #1549203 licensed pursuant to

RSA 178:21, II(a)(1)/RSA 178:22, V(q).

Cited for violation of RSA 178/Liq. 704.01 – failed to renew license thirty (30) days prior to expiration

of the license.

Date of violation: 3/3/2023.

Case #: 23-321-OF.

Warning.

i. McKenzie's Farm, 71 Northeast Pond Road, Milton, NH 03851.

Combination, Off-Premises, Beverage/Wine/Tobacco License #3404947 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:18/RSA 126-K:4.

Cited for violation of RSA 178/Liq. 704.01 – failed to renew license thirty (30) days prior to expiration of the license.

Date of violation: 2/14/2023.

Case #: 23-251-OF.

Warning.

j. Moe's Italian Sandwiches of Rochester, 43 North Main Street, Rochester, NH 03867.

Restaurant, On-Premises, Beverage & Wine License #1540703 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:20. Cited for violation of RSA 178/Liq. 704.01 – failed to renew license thirty (30) days prior to expiration of the license.

Date of violation: 1/25/2023.

Case #: 23-148-OF.

Warning.

k. Rise + Grind, 17 Madbury Road, Suite #100, Durham, NH 03824.

Restaurant, On-Premises, Beverage/Wine/Liquor License #1619403 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:21. Cited for violation of RSA 178/Liq. 704.01 – failed to renew license thirty (30) days prior to expiration of the license.

Date of violation: 2/10/2023.

Case #: 23-248-OF. \$100 administrative fine.

I. Rodney Strong Vineyards, 11455 Old Redwood Highway, Healdsburg, CA 95448.

Wine Manufacturer License #8010933 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:8.

Cited for violation of RSA 178:27, V/Liq. 1103.01 – failed to file a monthly report by the 15th of the following month.

Date of violation: 3/16/2023.

Case #: 23-362-OF.

Warning.

m. Rogue Ales, 2320 Osu Drive, Newport, OR 97365.

Beverage Vendor License #33231 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:15.

Cited for violation of RSA 178:27, V/Liq. 1103.01 – failed to file a monthly report by the 15th of the following month.

Date of violation: 2/2/2023.

Case #: 23-181-OF.

Warning.

n. Sap House Meadery, 6 Folsom Road, Center Ossipee, NH 03814.

Restaurant, On-Premises, Beverage & Wine License #1512903 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:20. Cited for violation of RSA 178/Liq. 704.01 – failed to renew license thirty (30) days prior to expiration of the license.

Date of violation: 2/9/2023.

Case #: 23-246-OF.

Warning.

o. Sea Smoke, 1604 North O Street, Lompoc, CA 93436.

Wine Manufacturer License #8033933 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:8.

Cited for violation of RSA 178:27, V/Liq. 1103.01 – failed to file a monthly report by the 15th of the following month.

Date of violation: 3/16/2023.

Case #: 23-364-OF.

Warning.

p. Wine Cellar Outlet (The), 1705 New Lenos Road, Joliet, IL 60433.

Direct Shipper Permit/Wine Manufacturer Retail #8001733 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:27. Cited for violation of RSA 178:27, V/Liq. 1103.01 – failed to file a monthly report by the 15th of the following month.

Date of violation: 3/16/2023.

Case #: 23-358-OF.

Warning.

q. Winebid, 755 Skyway Court, Napa, CA 94558.

Direct Shipper Permit/Wine Manufacturer Retail #8271133 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:27. Cited for violation of RSA 178:27, V/Liq. 1103.01 – failed to file a monthly report by the 15th of the following month.

Date of violation: 2/16/2023.

Case #: 23-272-OF. \$250 administrative fine.

6. LICENSE APPLICATIONS RECOMMENDED FOR COMMISSION APPROVAL:

a. CEJ Enterprises LLC DBA Porter's, 19 Hanson Street, Rochester, NH 03867.
 To be issued Restaurant, Full Service With Lounge License #1664603 pursuant to RSA 178:21, II(a)(1)/RSA 178:22, V(q).
 90-Day Temporary License issued 3/24/2023.

- b. Chodrick, Dale DBA DSC Wine and Spirits, 3 Strawberry Bank Road #18, Nashua, NH 03062.
 To be issued Liquor & Wine Representative License #613035 pursuant to RSA 178:10.
 30-Day Temporary License issued 3/27/2023.
- Dakota Wine Sales LLC, 297 Baboosic Lake Road, Merrimack, NH 03054.
 To be issued Liquor & Wine Vendor License #144345 pursuant to RSA 178:9.
 30-Day Temporary License issued 3/27/2023.
- d. F&F Fine Wines International, Inc. DBA Ethica Wines,
 601 Brickell Key Drive #402, Miami, FL 33131.
 To be issued Beverage Vendor License #126031pursuant to RSA 178:15.
 Manufacturer: MGM Mondo Del Vino Spa.
 30-Day Temporary License issued 3/27/2023.
- e. Oakcraft Salem, Inc., 55 Central Street, Unit C, Salem, NH 03079.

 To be issued Restaurant, On-Premises, Beverage & Wine License #1665703 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:20.

 30-Day Temporary License issued 3/24/2023.
- f. Oakcraft Salem, Inc., 55 Central Street, Unit C, Salem, NH 03079. To be issued Restaurant Delivery License #04951 pursuant to RSA 179:15.
- g. Patel Corporation DBA Brookside Deli and Market, 51 Hampton Road, Exeter, NH 03833. To be issued Combination, Off-Premises, Beverage/Wine/Tobacco License #3423847 pursuant to RSA 178:18/RSA 126-K:4. 30-Day Temporary License issued 3/28/2023.

h. Pavilion Restaurant LLC DBA The Pavilion, 126 South Main Street, Floor #1, Wolfeboro, NH 03894. To be issued Restaurant, On-Premises, Beverage/Wine/Liquor License #1666303 pursuant to RSA 178:21. 90-Day Temporary License issued 3/22/2023.

PM Promotions LLC DBA Lee USA Speedway, 380 Calef Highway, Lee, NH 03861.
 To be issued Race Track (Pari-Mutuel) On-Premises Cocktail Lounge License #542924 pursuant to RSA 178:22, V(n).
 90-Day Temporary License issued 3/27/2023.

j. Unseen Creatures Brewing & Blending LLC, 4178 SW 74 Court, Miami, FL 33155.
 To be issued Beverage Vendor License #124931 pursuant to RSA 178:15.
 Manufacturer: Unseen Creatures Brewing and Blending.
 30-Day Temporary License issued 3/27/2023.

k. Wild Side – New Hampshire, Inc. DBA Wild Side Smoke Shop,
44 Lafayette Road, Unit #8, North Hampton, NH 03862.
To be issued Retail Tobacco License #164817 pursuant to RSA 178:19-a.
30-Day Temporary License issued 3/27/2023.

- I. Zeus Food Service LLC DBA Bond Brewing and BBQ, 1015 Elm Street, Manchester, NH 03101.
 To be issued Brew Pub License #2007315 pursuant to RSA 178:13.
 90-Day Temporary License issued 3/23/2023.
- m. Zeus Food Service LLC DBA Bond Brewing and BBQ, 1015 Elm Street, Manchester, NH 03101. To be issued Restaurant Delivery License #04851 pursuant to RSA 179:15.

7. <u>LICENSE APPLICATIONS RECOMMENDED FOR COMMISSION DENIAL:</u>

None

8. DIRECT SHIPPER APPLICATIONS RECOMMENDED FOR COMMISSION APPROVAL:

TOTAL NUMBER OF ACTIVE DIRECT SHIPPER PERMITS ENDING MARCH 24, 2023: 1,382

- a. Bacovino LLC, 3225 South 116th Street #169, Seattle, WA 98168.
 To be issued Direct Shipper, Wine Manufacturer Permit pursuant to RSA 178:27.
 (Winery)
- Sea Sun Winery LLC, 2650 Cordelia Road, Fairfield, CA 94534.
 To be issued Direct Shipper, Wine Manufacturer Permit pursuant to RSA 178:27.
 (Winery)

9. DIRECT SHIPPER APPLICATIONS RECOMMENDED FOR COMMISSION DENIAL:

None

10. <u>NOTIFICATION OF APPROVED PETITIONS</u>:

a. Coffin Cellars Winery, 1224 Battle Street, Webster, NH 03303.
 Wine Manufacturer License #562930 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:8.
 Requested approval for authorization of other areas for retail sales only at farmers' market, to wit, Concord Farmers' Market, Capitol Street, Concord, NH between 8:30 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. from 5/6/2023 – 10/28/2023 pursuant to RSA 178:24/RSA 179:44, II-a.

- Flight Center LLC (The), West Merrimack Street, Manchester, NH 03101.
 Caterer, Off-Site License #1296434 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:22, V(e).
 Requested approval of a temporary site for 3/25/2023 and 3/26/2023 pursuant to RSA 178:22, V(e).
- Loon Mountain Recreation Co. @ Governor Adams Lodge,
 60 Loon Mountain Road, Lincoln, NH 03251.
 Restaurant, Full Service With Lounge License #284805 licensed pursuant to
 RSA 178:21, II(a)(1)/RSA 178:22, V(q).
 Requested approval for a temporary extension of service, to wit, for a beer garden slope side in a fenced in area and for the Kanc 8 Patio for the Loon Mountain 80's Day Event on 4/1/2023 between 10:00 a.m. 5:00 p.m. pursuant to RSA 178:24/Liq. 404.05.
- d. Pup's Cider Co., 193 East Road, Greenfield, NH 03047.
 Beverage Manufacturer License #288918 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:12.
 Requested approval for authorization of other areas for retail sales and tastings at farmers' market, to wit, Bedford Farmers' Market, Murphy's Tap Room Parking Lot, 393 Route #101, Bedford, NH between 3:00 p.m. 6:00 p.m. from 6/13/2023 10/17/2023 pursuant to RSA 178:24/RSA 179:44, II-a.
- e. Rockingham Brewing Company, 1 Corporate Park Drive #1, Derry, NH 03038.

 Nano Brewery, Beer and/or Specialty Beer License #202222 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:12-a.

 Requested approval for authorization of other areas for retail sales and tastings at farmers' market, to wit, Derry Homegrown Farm & Artisan Market, 1 West Broadway, Derry, NH between 3:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. from 6/7/2023 9/27/2023 pursuant to RSA 178:24/RSA 179:44, II-a.
- f. Shara Vineyards, 82 Currier Road, Concord, NH 03301.
 Wine Manufacturer License #567730 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:8.
 Requested approval for authorization of other areas for retail sales only at farmers' market, to wit, Concord Farmers' Market, Capitol Street, Concord, NH between 8:30 a.m. 12:00 p.m. from 5/6/2023 10/28/2023 pursuant to RSA 178:24/RSA 179:44, II-a.

11. PETITIONS RECOMMENDED FOR COMMISSION DENIAL:

None

12. <u>MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS RECOMMENDED FOR COMMISSION APPROVAL:</u>

- a. Anheuser-Busch, One Busch Place, St. Louis, MO 63118.
 Beverage Vendor License #4631 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:15.
 Requests approval of Bud Light Platinum Seltzer Pineapple that has an alcohol content of 8% at 60 degrees Fahrenheit by volume pursuant to RSA 175:1, VIII.
- Stormalong Cider LLC, 12 Sewall Brook Lane, Sherborn, MA 01770.
 Beverage Vendor License #102531 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:15.
 Requests approval of Berry Perry that has an alcohol content of 6.8% at 60 degrees Fahrenheit by volume and Massive Appeal that has an alcohol content of 8.2% at 60 degrees Fahrenheit by volume pursuant to RSA 175:1, VIII.
- Twelve Percent LLC, 341 State Street, North Haven, CT 06473.
 Beverage Vendor License #99631 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:12.
 Requests approval of Abomination Midnight Snack (Cheesecake) and Abomination Midnight Snack (Cookies and Cream), each with an alcohol content of 14% at 60 degrees Fahrenheit by volume pursuant to RSA 175:1, LXIV-a.
- d. United States Beverage, 700 Canal Street, Stamford, CT 06902.
 Beverage Vendor License #102731 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:12.

Requests approval of 1911 Orange Creamsicle and 1911 Candy Corn, each with an alcohol content of 6.8% at 60 degrees Fahrenheit by volume pursuant to RSA 175:1, VIII.

e. Vermont Hard Cider Company, 1321 Exchange Street, Middlebury, VT 05753.

Beverage Vendor License #85131 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:12.

Requests approval of Woodchuck Out On A Limb Imperial Sippin' Citrus with an alcohol content of 8% at 60 degrees Fahrenheit by volume pursuant to RSA 175:1, VIII.

13. MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS RECOMMENDED FOR COMMISSION DENIAL:

None

14. NOTIFICATION OF ALCOHOL COMPLIANCE CHECKS SCHEDULED WITHIN NINETY (90) DAYS:

Durham, NH; and Newington, NH.

15. ADMINISTRATIVE ACTION ON ALCOHOL COMPLIANCE CHECKS RECOMMENDED FOR COMMISSION APPROVAL:

Warner, Bradford & Hopkinton, NH:

Warner Public Market, 19 East Main Street, Warner, NH 03278.

Combination, Off-Premises, Beverage/Wine/Tobacco License #3377647 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:18/RSA 126-K:4.

Cited for violation of RSA 179:5, I - sold alcohol to an underage person during a compliance check.

Date of violation: 2/3/2023.

Case #: 23-141-OF.

Warning, four (4) points assessed to the license and mandatory completion of a Management Training Seminar (MTS) by a manager within thirty (30) days from the date of the violation.

16. NOTIFICATION OF TOBACCO COMPLIANCE CHECKS SCHEDULED WITHIN NINETY (90) DAYS:

Allenstown, NH;

Boscawen, NH:

Bradford, NH;

Hinsdale, NH:

Hollis, NH;

Jaffrey, NH;

Manchester, NH - 2 dates;

Milford, NH;

Rindge, NH;

Stoddard, NH:

Swanzey, NH;

Walpole, NH;

West Chesterfield, NH; and

Winchester, NH.

17. <u>ADMINISTRATIVE ACTION ON TOBACCO COMPLIANCE CHECKS RECOMMENDED FOR COMMISSION APPROVAL:</u>

Salem, NH:

a. Smokers Lane of NH, 492B South Broadway, Salem, NH 03079.
 Retail Tobacco License #153917 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:19-a.
 Cited for violation of RSA 126-K:4 - sold tobacco to an underage person during a compliance check.

Date of violation: 1/24/2023.

Case #: 23-94-OF.

Warning and mandatory completion of a Retail Tobacco Management Training Seminar (RTMTS) by a

manager within thirty (30) days from the date of the violation.

Hillsborough and Rockingham Counties:

b. Apogee Vapor, 679 Mast Road, Goffstown, NH 03045.

Combination, Off-Premises, Beverage/Wine/Tobacco License #3415547 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:18/RSA 126-K:4.

Cited for violation of RSA 126-K:4 - sold tobacco to an underage person during a compliance check.

Date of violation: 3/13/2023.

Case #: 23-300-OF.

Warning and mandatory completion of a Retail Tobacco Management Training Seminar (RTMTS) by a manager within thirty (30) days from the date of the violation.

c. Tobacco Haven, 44 Route #13, Brookline, NH 03033.

Retail Tobacco License #824717 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:19-a.

Cited for violation of RSA 126-K:4 - sold tobacco to an underage person during a compliance check.

Date of violation: 3/13/2023.

Case #: 23-300-OF.

Warning and mandatory completion of a Retail Tobacco Management Training Seminar (RTMTS) by a manager within thirty (30) days from the date of the violation.

18. ADMINISTRATIVE HEARING DECISION PENDING:

None

19. ADMINISTRATIVE HEARING DECISIONS:

Kwik Stop. 110 Loudon Road, Concord, NH 03301.

Combination, Off-Premises, Beverage/Wine/Tobacco License #3295547 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:18/RSA 126-K:4.

Cited for violation of RSA 126-K:4 - sold tobacco to an underage person during a compliance check.

Date of violation: 1/22/2023.

Case #: 23-58-OF.

HEARING WAS HELD MARCH 22, 2023.

"Decision: Pursuant to the offer of proof provided by Investigator Patterson and licensee's, I find that the licensee did violate RSA 126-K:4 through the actions of their employees during a compliance check. Although this is a third offense, I order the minimum fine of \$500 be paid and the license to sell tobacco products be suspended for 10 days commencing March 24, 2023 at 11:59 P.M. through April 3, 2023 at 11:59 P.M. The licensee paid the fine prior to leaving the Commission on this 22nd day of March 2023."

20. MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS FOR INFORMATION ONLY:

None