

MINUTES OF THE NHLC
DIVISION OF ENFORCEMENT & LICENSING
MEETING FOR APRIL 13, 2023

1. ACCEPTANCE OF MINUTES:

RECOMMENDATION TO ACCEPT THE MINUTES OF THE COMMISSION MEETING HELD APRIL 6, 2023.
**DEPUTY COMMISSIONER BRASSARD JORDAN MOVED TO ACCEPT THE MINUTES OF APRIL 6, 2023;
CHAIRMAN MOLLICA SECONDED THE MOTION; THE MOTION PASSED.**

2. TABLED ITEMS:

None

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

April 26, 2023 at 11:00 a.m.:

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.
COMMISSION ACKNOWLEDGED.

4. NOTIFICATION OF ADMINISTRATIVE ACTION PER SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT:

Smokers Haven Manchester, 105 South Willow Street, Manchester, NH 03101.
Retail Tobacco License #137617 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:19-a.
Cited for violation of RSA 179:50 – allowed the premises to be used for a purpose contrary to law.
Date of violation: 2/23/2023.
Case #: 23-297-OF.
An administrative fine of \$250, all THC-O products shall be removed from the premises and shall no longer be permitted on the premises, this settlement will not be considered or used as a violation or an offense against the Licensee, its owners, shareholders, or officers in any future proceeding and there is no finding of a violation in light of this settlement.
COMMISSION ACKNOWLEDGED.

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

- a. Federal Fulfillment, 440-484 Wegner Road, Lakemoor, IL 60051.
Direct Shipper Permit/Wine Manufacturer Retail #8041433 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 #: 23-344-OF.
\$250 administrative fine.
DEPUTY COMMISSIONER BRASSARD JORDAN MOVED TO APPROVE THIS ITEM; CHAIRMAN MOLLICA SECONDED THE MOTION; THE MOTION PASSED.
- b. Oscar Barn Wedding Venue, 191 West River Road, Hooksett, NH 03106.
Caterer, Off-Site License #1297834 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:22, V(e).
Cited for violation of RSA 178:22, V(e)(2) – failed to notify the Commission at least five (5) days prior to an event.
Date of violation: 1/13/2023.
Case #: 23-70-OF.
Warning.
DEPUTY COMMISSIONER BRASSARD JORDAN MOVED TO APPROVE THIS ITEM; CHAIRMAN MOLLICA SECONDED THE MOTION; THE MOTION PASSED.

6. LICENSE APPLICATIONS RECOMMENDED FOR COMMISSION APPROVAL:

- a. Great Blue Brewing Company LLC, 84 North Water Street, Boscawen, NH 03303.
To be issued Nano Brewery, Beer and/or Specialty Beer License #210022 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:12-a.
DEPUTY COMMISSIONER BRASSARD JORDAN MOVED TO APPROVE THIS ITEM; CHAIRMAN MOLLICA SECONDED THE MOTION; THE MOTION PASSED.
- b. Hampton Chamber of Commerce at The Brook, 319 New Zealand Road, Seabrook, NH 03874.
To be issued Special, One-Day, Voluntary Nonprofit Organizations Beverage/Wine/Liquor License #663541 for 4/13/2023 between 5:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. pursuant to RSA 178:21, V(l).
DEPUTY COMMISSIONER BRASSARD JORDAN MOVED TO APPROVE THIS ITEM; CHAIRMAN MOLLICA SECONDED THE MOTION; THE MOTION PASSED.
- c. Manchester NH H.O.G. Chapter 4727 at Manchester Harley Davidson, 115 John E. Devine Drive, Manchester, NH 03103.
To be issued Special, One-Day, Voluntary Nonprofit Organizations Beverage/Wine/Liquor License #665141 for 4/8/2023 between 11:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. pursuant to RSA 178:21, V(l).
DEPUTY COMMISSIONER BRASSARD JORDAN MOVED TO APPROVE THIS ITEM; CHAIRMAN MOLLICA SECONDED THE MOTION; THE MOTION PASSED.
- d. Medallion Opera House, 10 Park Street, Gorham, NH 03581.
To be issued Special, One-Day, Voluntary Nonprofit Organizations Beverage/Wine/Liquor License #664641 for 4/15/2023 between 7:00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m., #664741 for 4/29/2023 between 7:00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m. and #664541 for 6/17/2023 between 11:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. pursuant to RSA 178:21, V(l).
DEPUTY COMMISSIONER BRASSARD JORDAN MOVED TO APPROVE THIS ITEM; CHAIRMAN MOLLICA SECONDED THE MOTION; THE MOTION PASSED.
- e. Pizza Hounds LLC DBA Otto, 110 Brewery Lane, Portsmouth, NH 03801.
To be issued Restaurant, On-Premises, Beverage/Wine/Liquor License #1662903 pursuant to RSA 178:21.
90-Day Temporary License issued 4/5/2023.
DEPUTY COMMISSIONER BRASSARD JORDAN MOVED TO APPROVE THIS ITEM; CHAIRMAN MOLLICA SECONDED THE MOTION; THE MOTION PASSED.
- f. Ronaldo's Ristorante LLC DBA Ronaldo's, 69 Lafayette Road, North Hampton, NH 03862.
To be issued Restaurant, On-Premises, Beverage/Wine/Liquor License #1664003 pursuant to RSA 178:21.
90-Day Temporary License issued 4/4/2023.
DEPUTY COMMISSIONER BRASSARD JORDAN MOVED TO APPROVE THIS ITEM; CHAIRMAN MOLLICA SECONDED THE MOTION; THE MOTION PASSED.

7. LICENSE APPLICATIONS RECOMMENDED FOR COMMISSION DENIAL:

None

8. DIRECT SHIPPER APPLICATIONS RECOMMENDED FOR COMMISSION APPROVAL:

TOTAL NUMBER OF ACTIVE DIRECT SHIPPER PERMITS ENDING APRIL 7, 2023: 1,378

DANA Estates, Inc., 1895 Cabernet Lane, Saint Helena, CA 94574.

To be issued Direct Shipper, Wine Manufacturer Permit pursuant to RSA 178:27.

(Winery)

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9. DIRECT SHIPPER APPLICATIONS RECOMMENDED FOR COMMISSION DENIAL:

None

10. NOTIFICATION OF APPROVED PETITIONS:

- a. Alexandra's Bistro LLC, 15 Village Street, Suite #4, Concord, NH 03301.
Restaurant, On-Premises, Beverage/Wine/Liquor License #1646803 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:21.
Requested approval for a permanent extension of service, to wit, for an outdoor seating area on the sidewalk in front of the restaurant with a capacity of 12 pursuant to RSA 178:24/Liq. 404.05.
COMMISSION ACKNOWLEDGED.
- b. Ariana's Restaurant, 1 Market Street, Lyme, NH 03768.
Restaurant, On-Premises, Beverage & Wine License #1657003 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:20.
Requested approval for a permanent extension of service, to wit, for an outdoor patio with a capacity of 28 pursuant to RSA 178:24/Liq. 404.05.
COMMISSION ACKNOWLEDGED.
- c. Caribbean Spice Café, 1769 White Mountain Highway, North Conway, NH 03860.
Restaurant, On-Premises, Beverage/Wine/Liquor License #1612703 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:21.
Requested approval for a permanent extension of service, to wit, for an outdoor patio with a capacity of 28 pursuant to RSA 178:24/Liq. 404.05.
COMMISSION ACKNOWLEDGED.
- d. 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 area for retail sales only at farmers' market, to wit, Henniker Farmers' Market, Community Park, 57 Main Street, Henniker, NH between 4:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. from 5/11/2023 – 10/1/2023 pursuant to RSA 178:24/RSA 179:44, II-a.
COMMISSION ACKNOWLEDGED.
- e. SHARA Vineyards, 82 Currier Road, Concord, NH 03301.
Wine Manufacturer License #567730 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:8.
Requested approval for authorization of other area for retail sales only at farmers' market, to wit, Henniker Farmers' Market, Community Park, 57 Main Street, Henniker, NH between 4:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. from 5/18/2023 – 9/28/2023 pursuant to RSA 178:24/RSA 179:44, II-a.
COMMISSION ACKNOWLEDGED.

11. PETITIONS RECOMMENDED FOR COMMISSION DENIAL:

None

12. MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS RECOMMENDED FOR COMMISSION APPROVAL:

- a. 325 Bowery, Inc. DBA Jiant Kombucha, 722 Pier Avenue, Unit #4, Santa Monica, CA 90405.
Beverage Vendor License #113431 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:15.
Requests approval of Jiant Hard Tea – Half & Half, Jiant Hard Tea – Kiwi Strawberry, Jiant Hard Tea – Mixed Berry and Jiant Hard Tea – Peach Iced Tea, each with an alcohol content of 7% at 60 degrees Fahrenheit by volume pursuant to RSA 175:1, VIII.
DEPUTY COMMISSIONER BRASSARD JORDAN MOVED TO APPROVE THIS ITEM; CHAIRMAN MOLLIKA SECONDED THE MOTION; THE MOTION PASSED.
- b. Brown-Forman Corp., 850 Dixie Highway, Louisville, KY 40210.
Beverage Vendor License #13231 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:15.
Requests approval of Jack Daniel's TN Whiskey Mixed With Coca-Cola Zero and Jack Daniel's TN Whiskey Mixed With Coca-Cola, each with an alcohol content of 7% at 60 degrees Fahrenheit by volume pursuant to RSA 175:1, LXIV-aaa.
DEPUTY COMMISSIONER BRASSARD JORDAN MOVED TO APPROVE THIS ITEM; CHAIRMAN MOLLIKA SECONDED THE MOTION; THE MOTION PASSED.
- c. Wormtown Brewery LLC, 72 Shrewsbury Street, Unit #4, Worcester, MA 01604.
Beverage Vendor License #84631 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:15.
Requests approval of Shook Cape Codder and Shook Mai Tai, each with an alcohol content of 8% at 60 degrees Fahrenheit by volume pursuant to RSA 175:1, VIII.
DEPUTY COMMISSIONER BRASSARD JORDAN MOVED TO APPROVE THIS ITEM; CHAIRMAN MOLLIKA SECONDED THE MOTION; THE MOTION PASSED.

13. MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS RECOMMENDED FOR COMMISSION DENIAL:

None

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

Bretton Woods, NH;
Carroll, NH;
Clarksville, NH;
Columbia, NH;
Dalton, NH;
Dummer, NH;
Durham, NH;
Groveton, NH;
Jefferson, NH;
Milan, NH;
Newington, NH;
Northumberland, NH;
Randolph, NH;
Shelburne, NH;
Stark, NH;
Stewartstown, NH; and
Strafford, NH.

COMMISSION ACKNOWLEDGED.

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

None

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

Acworth, NH;
Atkinson, NH;
Auburn, NH;
Charlestown, NH;
Chester, NH;
Claremont, NH;
Danville, NH;
Derry, NH;
Grantham, NH;
Hinsdale, NH;
Hollis, NH;
Jaffrey, NH;
Manchester, NH – 2 dates;
Milford, NH;
Newport, NH;
Rindge, NH;
Sunapee, NH;
Swanzey, NH;
Washington, NH;
West Chesterfield, NH; and
Winchester, NH.

COMMISSION ACKNOWLEDGED.

17. **ADMINISTRATIVE ACTION ON TOBACCO COMPLIANCE CHECKS RECOMMENDED FOR COMMISSION APPROVAL:**

Grafton County:

- a. Haffner's #2224, 375 Tenney Mountain Highway, Plymouth, NH 03264.
Combination, Off-Premises, Beverage/Wine/Tobacco License #3379047 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:18/RSA 126-K:4.
Cited for violation of RSA 126-K:4, I – sold tobacco products to an underage person during a compliance check.
Date of violation: 3/28/2023.
Case #: 23-302-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.
DEPUTY COMMISSIONER BRASSARD JORDAN MOVED TO APPROVE THIS ITEM; CHAIRMAN MOLLICA SECONDED THE MOTION; THE MOTION PASSED.

Allenstown, Boscawen, Bradford, Keene, Stoddard & Walpole, NH:

- b. Bradford Market, 2201 Route #103, Bradford, NH 03221.
Combination, Off-Premises, Beverage/Wine/Tobacco License #3268147 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:18/RSA 126-K:4.
Cited for violation of RSA 126-K:4, I – sold tobacco products to an underage person during a compliance check.
Date of violation: 3/12/2023.
Case #: 23-203-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.
DEPUTY COMMISSIONER BRASSARD JORDAN MOVED TO APPROVE THIS ITEM; CHAIRMAN MOLLICA SECONDED THE MOTION; THE MOTION PASSED.
- c. Cumberland Farms 5425, 162 Main Street, Keene, NH 03431.
Combination, Off-Premises, Beverage/Wine/Tobacco License #812947 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:18/RSA 126-K:4.
Cited for violation of RSA 126-K:4, I – sold tobacco products to an underage person during a compliance check.
Date of violation: 3/12/2023.
Case #: 23-203-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.
DEPUTY COMMISSIONER BRASSARD JORDAN MOVED TO APPROVE THIS ITEM; CHAIRMAN MOLLICA SECONDED THE MOTION; THE MOTION PASSED.

Laconia, NH:

- d. Church Street Laconia Spa, 65 Church Street, Laconia, NH 03246.
Combination, Off-Premises, Beverage/Wine/Tobacco License #3270947 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:18/RSA 126-K:4.
Cited for violation of RSA 126-K:4, I – sold tobacco products to an underage person during a compliance check.
Date of violation: 2/23/2023.
Case #: 23-278-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.
DEPUTY COMMISSIONER BRASSARD JORDAN MOVED TO APPROVE THIS ITEM; CHAIRMAN MOLLICA SECONDED THE MOTION; THE MOTION PASSED.

- e. Laconia Express, 17 Lexington Drive, Laconia, NH 03246.
Combination, Off-Premises, Beverage/Wine/Tobacco License #3405947 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:18/RSA 126-K:4.
Cited for violation of RSA 126-K:4, I – sold tobacco products to an underage person during a compliance check.
Date of violation: 2/23/2023.
Case #: 23-278-OF.
\$250 administrative fine and mandatory completion of a Retail Tobacco Management Training Seminar (RTMTS) by a manager within thirty (30) days from the date of the violation.
DEPUTY COMMISSIONER BRASSARD JORDAN MOVED TO APPROVE THIS ITEM; CHAIRMAN MOLLICA SECONDED THE MOTION; THE MOTION PASSED.
- f. Shop Express Laconia, 297 Union Avenue, Laconia, NH 03246.
Combination, Off-Premises, Beverage/Wine/Tobacco License #3299147 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:18/RSA 126-K:4.
Cited for violation of RSA 126-K:4, I – sold tobacco products to an underage person during a compliance check.
Date of violation: 2/23/2023.
Case #: 23-278-OF.
\$250 administrative fine and mandatory completion of a Retail Tobacco Management Training Seminar (RTMTS) by a manager within thirty (30) days from the date of the violation.
DEPUTY COMMISSIONER BRASSARD JORDAN MOVED TO APPROVE THIS ITEM; CHAIRMAN MOLLICA SECONDED THE MOTION; THE MOTION PASSED.

18. **ADMINISTRATIVE HEARING DECISION PENDING:**

None

19. **ADMINISTRATIVE HEARING DECISIONS:**

None

20. **MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS FOR INFORMATION ONLY:**

None