

MINUTES OF THE NHLC
DIVISION OF ENFORCEMENT & LICENSING MEETING
FOR THURSDAY, JANUARY 5, 2017

1. HEARINGS TO BE HELD AT THE LIQUOR COMMISSION, 50 STORRS STREETS, CONCORD, NH:

Date to be determined:

Fire & Ice Hookah Lounge, 990 Elm Street, Manchester, NH.
Cigar Bar On-Premises Beverage/Wine/Liquor/Cigar License #403106 issued pursuant to RSA 178:20-a.
Cited for violation of RSA 179:27, II - served or allowed consumption of alcoholic beverage in areas not approved by the Commission – 2 counts.
Cited for violation of RSA 179:51 – insufficient lighting.
Date of violations: October 9, 2016.
Case #: 16-343-OF.

2. NOTIFICATION OF DISCIPLINARY ACTION:

Lone Wolfe Brewing Company, 39 North Main Street, Unit C1, Wolfeboro, NH.
Nano Brewery, Beer and/or Specialty Beer License #201722 issued pursuant to RSA 178:12-a.
Cited for violation of RSA 178:12-a, I – failed to file a tax report and pay fees by the 10th of the following month.
Date of violation: November 23, 2016.
Case #: 16-370-OF.
\$100 administrative fine.
COMMISSION ACKNOWLEDGED.

3. NOTIFICATION OF NON-CONTESTED TITLE XIII VIOLATION FINES PAID IN FULL:

- a. Broad Street Petroleum, 96 Broad Street, Nashua, NH.
Combination Off-Premises Beverage/Wine/Tobacco License #3169747 issued pursuant to RSA 178:18/RSA 126-K:4.
Cited for violation of RSA 178/Liq. 704.01 – failed to renew liquor license thirty (30) days prior to expiration.
Date of violation: December 6, 2016.
Case #: 16-384-OF.
\$100 administrative fine paid.
COMMISSION ACKNOWLEDGED.
- b. Finch's Beer Company, 4565 North Elston Avenue, Chicago, IL.
Beverage Vendor License #68431 issued pursuant to RSA 178:15.
Cited for violation of RSA 178/Liq. 704.01 – failed to renew liquor license thirty (30) days prior to expiration.
Date of violation: December 5, 2016.
Case #: 16-381-OF.
\$100 administrative fine paid.
COMMISSION ACKNOWLEDGED.
- c. Sanders Fish Market, 367 Marcy Street, Portsmouth, NH.
Combination Off-Premises Beverage/Wine/Tobacco License #3210947 issued pursuant to RSA 178:18/RSA 126-K:4.
Cited for violation of RSA 178/Liq. 704.01 – failed to renew liquor license thirty (30) days prior to expiration.
Date of violation: December 15, 2016.
Case #: 16-390-OF.
\$100 administrative fine paid.
COMMISSION ACKNOWLEDGED.

4. LICENSE APPLICATIONS RECOMMENDED FOR COMMISSION APPROVAL

- a. Always Here Management, Inc. DBA 7-Eleven 32505D,
2039 White Mountain Highway, North Conway, NH 03860.
To be issued Combination Off-Premise Beverage, Wine and Tobacco License #3349447
pursuant to RSA 178:18 & RSA 178:19-a.
30-Day Temporary License issued: 12/20/2016.
COMMISSION APPROVED.
- b. Concord Chamber of Commerce, Orr & Reno PA, 45 South Main Street, Concord, NH 03301.
To be issued a one-day Voluntary Nonprofit Organizations Beverage/Wine/Liquor
License pursuant to RSA 178:22, V(l).
Event date: 1/10/2017.
COMMISSION APPROVED.
- c. Concord Craft Brewing Company LLC, 117 Storrs Street, Concord, NH 03301.
To be issued Nano Brewery Beer and/or Specialty Beer License #204622 pursuant to RSA 178:12-a.
COMMISSION APPROVED.
- d. Enoch, Shannon, 9A Fieldstone Drive, Amherst, NH 03031.
To be issued Alcohol Consultant License #508244 pursuant to RSA 178:27-a.
COMMISSION APPROVED.
- e. G&R Brands LLC DBA Big Blind Bar & Grille (The),
222 West Street, Building D-2, Keene, NH 03431.
To be issued Restaurant On-Premise Beverage, Wine, Liquor License #1536603
pursuant to RSA 178:21.
30-Day Temporary License issued: 12/16/2016.
COMMISSION APPROVED.
- f. Honeoye Falls Distillery LLC, 168 West Main Street, Honeoye Falls, NY 14472.
To be issued Liquor and Wine Vendor License #119745 pursuant to RSA 178:9.
COMMISSION APPROVED.
- g. MJ Comp, Inc. DBA 7-Eleven 32996C, 111 Webster Street, Manchester, NH 03104.
To be issued Combination Off-Premise Beverage, Wine and Tobacco License #3349147
pursuant to RSA 178:18 & RSA 178:19-a.
30-Day Temporary License issued: 12/22/2016.
COMMISSION APPROVED.
- h. Manly, Jean, 11 Quincy Road, Londonderry, NH 03053.
To be issued Alcohol Consultant License #508644 pursuant to RSA 178:27-a.
COMMISSION APPROVED.
- i. Monadnock Beer Company LLC DBA Lab'n Lager Food & Spirits,
4 Stratton Road, Jaffrey, NH 03452.
To be issued Restaurant On-Premise Cocktail Lounge License #1533003 pursuant to RSA 178:22.
30-Day Temporary License issued: 12/20/2016.
COMMISSION APPROVED.
- j. Ortiz, Jessica, 10 Topaz Drive, Nashua, NH 03062.
To be issued Liquor and Wine Vendor License #119845 pursuant to RSA 178:9.
COMMISSION APPROVED.
- k. Ortiz, Jessica, 10 Topaz Drive, Nashua, NH 03062.
To be issued Liquor and Wine Representative Off-Premise Wine and Liquor License #608635
pursuant to RSA 178:10.
COMMISSION APPROVED.
- l. Smitty's Restaurant & Pizza LLC, 6 Main Street, Hinsdale, NH 03451.
To be issued Restaurant On-Premise Beverage and Wine License #1525703
pursuant to RSA 178:20.
30-Day Temporary License issued: 12/19/2016.
COMMISSION APPROVED.

5. LICENSE APPLICATIONS RECOMMENDED FOR COMMISSION DENIAL:

None

6. DIRECT SHIPPER APPLICATIONS RECOMMENDED FOR COMMISSION APPROVAL:

TOTAL NUMBER OF ACTIVE DIRECT SHIPPER PERMITS ENDING DECEMBER 30, 2016: 1,169

- a. Alquimista Cellars, 2064 Gravenstein Hwy. N, Unit 120, Sebastopol, CA 95472.
Direct Shipper Permit Wine Manufacturer pursuant to RSA 178:27.
COMMISSION APPROVED.
- b. Newberg Wine Storage, 315 N. Elliott Road, Newberg, OR 97132.
Direct Shipper Permit Importer, Wholesaler or Retailer pursuant to RSA 178:27.
COMMISSION APPROVED.

7. DIRECT SHIPPER APPLICATIONS RECOMMENDED FOR COMMISSION DENIAL:

None

8. NOTIFICATION OF APPROVED PETITIONS:

- a. Breezeway Pub, Inc., 14 Pearl Street, Manchester, NH 03104.
Restaurant On-Premise Cocktail Lounge License #1175103 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:22.
Date petition received: 12/27/2016.
Requested a waiver of RSA 178:21, II, a (2) for authorization of extension of hours, to wit, to extend the hours of operation on January 1, 2017 to 1:30 am with glasses off the table by 2:00 am as indicated in a letter dated December 27, 2016.
COMMISSION ACKNOWLEDGED.
- b. Contoocook Cider Company LLC, 656 Gould Hill Road, Hopkinton, NH 03229.
Wine Manufacturer Off-Premise Wine Only License #566330 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:8.
Date petition received: 12/6/2016.
Requested approval for authorization of other area, to wit, an additional retail/tasting room area with a capacity of 20 from January 1, 2017 to July 15, 2017 pursuant to RSA 178:24 and Liq. 404.05.
COMMISSION ACKNOWLEDGED.
- c. Eclipse Bar and Restaurant LLC, 253 Wilson Street, Manchester, NH 03103.
Restaurant On-Premise Cocktail Lounge License #1535403 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:22.
Date petition received: 12/28/2016.
Requested a waiver of RSA 178:21, II, a (2) for authorization of extension of hours, to wit, to extend the hours of operation on January 1, 2017 to 1:30 am with glasses off the table by 2:00 am as indicated in a letter dated December 28, 2016.
COMMISSION ACKNOWLEDGED.
- d. G&R Brands LLC DBA Big Blind Bar & Grille (The), 222 West Street, Building D-2, Keene, NH 03431.
Restaurant On-Premise Beverage/Wine/Liquor License #1536603 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:21.
Date petition received: 12/16/2016.
Requested approval for authorization of other area, to wit, an outside deck area with a capacity of 25 pursuant to RSA 178:24 and Liq. 404.05.
COMMISSION ACKNOWLEDGED.
- e. G&R Brands LLC DBA Big Blind Bar & Grille (The), 222 West Street, Building D-2, Keene, NH 03431.
Restaurant On-Premise Beverage/Wine/Liquor License #1536603 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:21.
Date petition received: 12/16/2016.
Requested approval to have a connecting entryway between this and another business by the name of Keene Casino which will be open and unlocked during business hours where patrons can move freely between businesses; this entryway will be closed/unavailable when the licensee's business is closed pursuant to RSA 179:48, IV.
COMMISSION ACKNOWLEDGED.
- f. G&R Brands LLC DBA Big Blind Bar & Grille (The), 222 West Street, Building D-2, Keene, NH 03431.
Restaurant On-Premise Beverage/Wine/Liquor License #1536603 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:21.
Date petition received: 12/16/2016.

Requested approval for authorization of other areas, to wit, an additional upstairs dining room area with a capacity of 73 and a downstairs dining room area with a capacity of 94 pursuant to RSA 178:24 and Liq. 404.05.

COMMISSION ACKNOWLEDGED.

- g. Omni Hotels Management Corp. DBA Bretton Woods Ski Area, 310 Washington Road, Route 302, Bretton Woods, NH 03575. Restaurant On-Premise Beverage/Wine/Liquor License #1392003 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:21. Date petition received: 12/21/2016. Requested approval for authorization of other areas, to wit, an outside patio and Bretton Woods Club area with a total capacity of 263 pursuant to RSA 178:24 and Liq. 404.05.

COMMISSION ACKNOWLEDGED.

- h. Stateline Paysaver, Inc., 531 South Broadway, Salem, NH 03079. Combination Off-Premise Beverage/Wine/Tobacco License #772547 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:18 and RSA 178:19-a. Date petition received: 12/20/2016. Requested approval for storage in another area, to wit, to temporarily store alcohol at 20 Hampshire Road, Salem, NH from December 20, 2016 through January 31, 2017 pursuant to RSA 179:49.

COMMISSION ACKNOWLEDGED.

9. NOTIFICATION OF APPROVED FELON EXCEPTIONS:

None

10. NOTIFICATION OF DENIED FELON EXCEPTIONS:

None

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

None

12. NOTIFICATION OF COMPLIANCE CHECKS:

ALCOHOL COMPLIANCE CHECKS –

Lebanon & West Lebanon:

- a. Exit 18 Truck Stop, 151 Heater Road, Lebanon, NH. Combination Off-Premises Beverage/Wine/Tobacco #3081747 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:18/RSA 126-K:4. Cited for violation of RSA 179:5, I - served or sold alcoholic beverage to a minor during a compliance check. Date of violation: October 14, 2016. Case #: 16-341-OF. Verbal warning, four (4) points assessed to the liquor license and mandatory attendance for a manager at a Management Training Seminar (MTS) within ninety-days from the date of the violation. **COMMISSION ACKNOWLEDGED.**
- b. Fireside Inn & Suites #1, 25 Airport Road, West Lebanon, NH. Hotel License #370702 issued pursuant to RSA 178:24, II(b)(1). Cited for violation of RSA 179:5, I - served or sold alcoholic beverage to a minor during a compliance check. Date of violation: October 14, 2016. Case #: 16-341-OF. Verbal warning, four (4) points assessed to the liquor license and mandatory attendance for a manager at a Management Training Seminar (MTS) within ninety-days from the date of the violation. **COMMISSION ACKNOWLEDGED.**

- c. Lebanon Village Pizza, 45 Hanover Street, Lebanon, NH.
Restaurant On-Premise Cocktail Lounge License #275903 licensed to pursuant to RSA 178:22.
Cited for violation of RSA 179:5, I - served or sold alcoholic beverage to a minor during a compliance check.
Date of violation: October 14, 2016.
Case #: 16-341-OF.
Verbal warning, four (4) points assessed to the liquor license and mandatory attendance for a manager at a Management Training Seminar (MTS) within ninety-days from the date of the violation.
COMMISSION ACKNOWLEDGED.
- d. Moe's Southwest Grill West Lebanon, 250 Plainfield Road, West Lebanon, NH.
Restaurant Beverage & Wine License #1488003 issued pursuant to RSA 178:20.
Cited for violation of RSA 179:5, I - served or sold alcoholic beverage to a minor during a compliance check.
Date of violation: October 14, 2016.
Case #: 16-341-OF.
Verbal warning, four (4) points assessed to the liquor license and mandatory attendance for a manager at a Management Training Seminar (MTS) within ninety-days from the date of the violation.
COMMISSION ACKNOWLEDGED.
- e. Peking Tokyo Restaurant, 45 Hanover Street, Lebanon, NH.
Restaurant On-Premise Cocktail Lounge License #1527303 licensed to pursuant to RSA 178:22.
Cited for violation of RSA 179:5, I - served or sold alcoholic beverage to a minor during a compliance check.
Date of violation: October 14, 2016.
Case #: 16-341-OF.
Verbal warning, four (4) points assessed to the liquor license and mandatory attendance for a manager at a Management Training Seminar (MTS) within ninety-days from the date of the violation.
COMMISSION ACKNOWLEDGED.
- f. Sunrise Buffet, 2 Mascoma Street, Lebanon, NH.
Restaurant On-Premises Beverage/Wine/Liquor License #1469403 issued 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: October 14, 2016.
Case #: 16-341-OF.
Verbal warning, four (4) points assessed to the liquor license and mandatory attendance for a manager at a Management Training Seminar (MTS) within ninety-days from the date of the violation.
COMMISSION ACKNOWLEDGED.
- g. Wal Mart Store 2138, 285 Plainfield Road, West Lebanon, NH.
Combination Off-Premises Beverage/Wine/Tobacco #3213747 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:18/RSA 126-K:4.
Cited for violation of RSA 179:5, I - served or sold alcoholic beverage to a minor during a compliance check.
Date of violation: October 14, 2016.
Case #: 16-341-OF.
Verbal warning, four (4) points assessed to the liquor license and mandatory attendance for a manager at a Management Training Seminar (MTS) within ninety-days from the date of the violation.
COMMISSION ACKNOWLEDGED.
- h. Yama Restaurant, 96 Main Street, West Lebanon, NH.
Restaurant Beverage & Wine License #1221703 issued pursuant to RSA 178:20.
Cited for violation of RSA 179:5, I - served or sold alcoholic beverage to a minor during a compliance check.
Date of violation: October 14, 2016.
Case #: 16-341-OF.
Verbal warning, four (4) points assessed to the liquor license and mandatory attendance for a manager at a Management Training Seminar (MTS) within ninety-days from the date of the violation.
COMMISSION ACKNOWLEDGED.

13. NOTIFICATION OF HEARING RESULTS:

None

14. MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS FOR COMMISSION APPROVAL:

Vote to adopt Administrative Rules, Chapters Liq. 405 and Liq. 1000.
COMMISSION ADOPTED LIQ 405 AND LIQ 1000.

15. MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS FOR INFORMATION ONLY:

Mountain View Tavern LLC, 699 Route 103, West Sunapee, NH 03782.
To be issued Restaurant On-Premise Cocktail Lounge License #1537203 pursuant to RSA 178:22.
Recommendation: Expedited approval.
Commission approved on 12/21/2016.
COMMISSION ACKNOWLEDGED.