

MINUTES OF THE NHLC
DIVISION OF ENFORCEMENT & LICENSING MEETING
FOR THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 15, 2018

1. **ACCEPTANCE OF MINUTES FROM COMMISSION MEETING HELD FEBRUARY 8, 2018.**
DEPUTY COMMISSIONER MILLIGAN ACCEPTED THE MINUTES OF FEBRUARY 8, 2018.

2. **SCHEDULED ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS:**

March 9, 2018 at 11:00 a.m.:

Lucky Dog Tavern & Grill, 53 South Main Street, Plymouth, NH.
Restaurant Full Service With Lounge License #1267803 issued pursuant to
RSA 178:21, II(a)(1)/RSA 178:22, V(q).
Cited for violation of RSA 179:5, I – served alcoholic beverage to an individual who was under the age of
twenty-one.
Cited for violation of RSA 179:51 – failed to maintain an orderly premises.
Date of violations: October 18, 2016.
Case #: 16-353-OF.
COMMISSION ACKNOWLEDGED.

3. **NOTIFICATION OF DISCIPLINARY ACTION:**

- a. Big Apple Food Store, 120 East Mason Street, Berlin, NH.
Combination Off-Premises Beverage/Wine/Tobacco License #789447 issued pursuant to
RSA 178:18/RSA 126-K:4.
Cited for violation of RSA 179:5, I - served or sold alcoholic beverage to an individual who was visibly
intoxicated or who a reasonable and prudent person would know is intoxicated.
Date of violation: October 21, 2017.
Case #: 17-346-OF.
An administrative fine of \$500, four (4) points shall be assessed to the liquor license and the license to
sell alcohol shall be suspended for three (3) days with one (1) day held in abeyance for twelve (12)
months pending no like violation commencing February 24, 2018 and re-granted on February 26,
2018.
COMMISSION ACKNOWLEDGED.
- b. CWC Winery, 15510 Woodinville Redmond Road NE, Bldg. E, Woodinville, WA.
Direct Shipper Permit #8255133 issued pursuant to RSA 178:27.
Cited for violation of RSA 178:27, V – filed false reports and invoices.
Cited for violation of RSA 178:27, V – failed to file a report and pay fees for October, 2017.
Cited for violation of RSA 178:27, I – filed a false permit application as a direct shipper winery.
Date of violations: December 7, 2017.
Case #: 17-377-OF.
The hearing was held on February 2, 2018.
THIS LICENSE WAS REVOKED ON FEBRUARY 6, 2018; A 30-DAY APPEAL PERIOD ENDS
MARCH 8, 2018.
COMMISSION ACKNOWLEDGED.

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

- a. Down Town Convenience Store, 62 Main Street, Raymond, NH.
Combination Off-Premises Beverage/Wine/Tobacco License #3113047 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: February 2, 2018.

Case #: 18-30-OF.

\$100 administrative fine paid.

COMMISSION ACKNOWLEDGED.

- b. Shannon Door Pub and Restaurant (The), 9 Spancil Hill Road, Jackson, NH.
Restaurant Full Service With Lounge License #1076503 issued 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 liquor license thirty (30) days prior to
expiration.
Date of violation: January 8, 2018.
Case #: 18-9-OF.
\$100 administrative fine paid.
COMMISSION ACKNOWLEDGED.

5. LICENSE APPLICATIONS RECOMMENDED FOR COMMISSION APPROVAL:

- a. Chuck & Liu's Barbershop LLC, 90 Low Avenue, Concord, NH 03301.
To be issued Restaurant On-Premise Beverage/Wine/Liquor License #1559003
pursuant to RSA 178:21.
30-Day Temporary License issued 2/5/2018.
COMMISSION APPROVED.
- b. Concord NH 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: 2/21/2018
COMMISSION APPROVED.
- c. Cost Plus, Inc. DBA Cost Plus World Market, 290 South Broadway, Unit 3B, Salem, NH 03079.
To be issued Combination Off-Premise Beverage & Wine License #3362547 pursuant to RSA 178:18.
30-Day Temporary License issued 2/8/2018.
COMMISSION APPROVED.
- d. Damon, Beth-Anne, 14 Bean Road, Otisfield, ME 04270.
To be issued Alcohol Consultant – Direct Shipper Affiliated License #512944
pursuant to RSA 178:27-a.
COMMISSION APPROVED.
- e. Dhruv, Inc. DBA Georges AG Super Value, 66 Main Street, Enfield, NH 03748.
To be issued Combination Off-Premise Beverage/Wine/Tobacco License #3362447
pursuant to RSA 178:18 & RSA 178:19-a.
30-Day Temporary License issued 2/7/2018.
COMMISSION APPROVED.
- f. Handy, Kelsey, 307 Mammoth Road #3, Londonderry, NH 03053.
To be issued Alcohol Consultant – Direct Shipper Affiliated License #513044
pursuant to RSA 178:27-a.
COMMISSION APPROVED.
- g. High Hopes Foundation of New Hampshire,
Radisson Hotel Ballroom, 11 Tara Boulevard, Nashua, NH 03062.
To be issued a one-day Voluntary Nonprofit Organizations Beverage/Wine/Liquor License
pursuant to RSA 178:22, V(l).
Event date: 3/9/2018.
COMMISSION APPROVED.
- h. Lakehouse Tavern LLC, 157 Main Street, Contoocook, NH 03229.
To be issued Restaurant Full Service With Lounge License #1555803 pursuant to
RSA 178:21, II(a)(1)/RSA 178:22, V(q) pursuant to RSA 178:22.
30-Day Temporary License issued 2/2/2018.
COMMISSION APPROVED.

- i. Liars' Bench Beer Co. LLC, 459 Islington Street #4, Portsmouth, NH 03801.
To be issued a Beer Festival License pursuant to RSA 178:30.
Event date 3/3/2018 with a rain date of 3/10/2018.
COMMISSION APPROVED.
- j. Reklis Adventures LLC DBA Rek-Lis Brewing Company, 2085 Main Street, Bethlehem, NH 03574.
To be Issued Nano Brewery, Beer and/or Specialty Beer License #205922 pursuant to RSA 178:12-a.
COMMISSION APPROVED.
- k. S & D LLC DBA BJ Bricker's Restaurant and Catering, 214 Washington Street, Claremont, NH 03743.
To be issued Restaurant On-Premise Beverage/Wine/Liquor License #1556503
pursuant to RSA 178:21.
30-Day Temporary License issued 2/2/2018.
COMMISSION APPROVED.
- l. Summit Stores LLC, 219 West Street, Keene, NH 03431.
To be issued Combination Off-Premise Beverage/Wine/Tobacco License #3366347
pursuant to RSA 178:18 & RSA 178:19-a.
30-Day Temporary License issued 2/2/2018.
COMMISSION APPROVED.
- m. Wilson, Kasey, 132 Westland Avenue, Manchester, NH 03103.
To be issued Alcohol Consultant – Direct Shipper Affiliated License #513244
pursuant to RSA 178:27-a.
COMMISSION APPROVED.
- n. Winnisquam Country Store and Deli LLC, 1021 Laconia Road, Tilton, NH 03276.
To be issued Combination Off-Premise Beverage/Wine/Tobacco License #3364847
pursuant to RSA 178:18 & RSA 178:19-a.
30-Day Temporary License issued 2/7/2018.
COMMISSION APPROVED.

6. LICENSE APPLICATIONS RECOMMENDED FOR COMMISSION DENIAL:

None

7. DIRECT SHIPPER APPLICATIONS RECOMMENDED FOR COMMISSION APPROVAL:

TOTAL NUMBER OF ACTIVE DIRECT SHIPPER PERMITS ENDING FEBRUARY 9, 2018: 1,177

- a. Raves Vines & Wines LLC DBA Cattleya Wines, 3354 Coffey Lane, Suite A, Santa Rosa, CA 95403.
Direct Shipper Permit Wine Manufacturer pursuant to RSA 178:27.
(Winery)
COMMISSION APPROVED.
- b. Garden Creek Vineyards LLC, 2335 Geysers Road, Geyserville, CA 95441.
Direct Shipper Permit Wine Manufacturer pursuant to RSA 178:27.
(Winery)
COMMISSION APPROVED.

8. DIRECT SHIPPER APPLICATIONS RECOMMENDED FOR COMMISSION DENIAL:

- a. Hyde Park Gourmet Food & Wine, 2707 Erie Avenue, Cincinnati, OH 45208.
Renewal Application for Direct Shipper Retailer Permit #8231733 pursuant to RSA 178:27.
Recommend denial pursuant to RSA 176:11, II because they are a Retailer.
COMMISSION APPROVED THE RECOMMENDATION FOR DENIAL.
- b. The Wine Spies LLC, 1375 Corporate Center Pkwy., Suite 1402D, Santa Rosa, CA 95407.
Applied for a Retail Permit pursuant to RSA 178:27.
Recommend denial pursuant to RSA 176:11, II because they are a Retailer.
COMMISSION APPROVED THE RECOMMENDATION FOR DENIAL.

- c. Wine Retriever LLC DBA Scout & Cellar, 301 E. Malone Street, Celina, TX 75009.
Applied for a Wine Manufacturer Permit pursuant to RSA 178:27.
Recommend denial pursuant to RSA 176:11, II because they are a Retailer.
COMMISSION APPROVED THE RECOMMENDATION FOR DENIAL.
- d. Winegreeting.com, 14551 Oak Meadow Road, Valley Center, CA 92082.
Renewal Application for Direct Shipper Retailer Permit #8196133 pursuant to RSA 178:27.
Recommend denial pursuant to RSA 176:11, II because they are a Retailer.
COMMISSION APPROVED THE RECOMMENDATION FOR DENIAL.

9. NOTIFICATION OF APPROVED PETITIONS:

- a. WVSR LLC DBA T-Bars Restaurant at Waterville, 220 Ski Area Road, Waterville Valley, NH 03215.
Sports Recreation Facility On-Premise Cocktail Lounge License #6013605 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:22, V(v).
Date petition received: 1/23/2018.
Date petition approved: 2/6/2018.
Requested approval for authorization of other area, to wit, an outside, fenced-off area with a capacity of 1,100 for event date February 10, 2018 pursuant to RSA 178:24 and Liq. 404.05.
COMMISSION ACKNOWLEDGED.
- b. Zgolf Goods & Beverage Services LLC DBA Wedgewood Wedding & Banquet Center, 22 Garland Drive, Hampstead, NH 03841.
Caterers On-Site Cocktail Lounge License #1278926 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:22.
Date petition received: 1/31/2018.
Date petition approved: 2/7/2018.
Requested approval for authorization of other area, to wit, additional service areas with a total capacity of 440 pursuant to RSA 178:24 and Liq. 404.05.
COMMISSION ACKNOWLEDGED.

10. PETITIONS RECOMMENDED FOR COMMISSION DENIAL:

None

11. TABLED ITEMS:

- a. Antonucci, Stephanie, 190 Paquette Drive, Twin Mountain, NH 03585
To be issued Alcohol Consultant – Direct Shipper Affiliate License #512844 pursuant to RSA 178:27-a.
ON FEBRUARY 1, 2018, DEPUTY COMMISSIONER MILLIGAN MOVED TO TABLE THIS ITEM SO THAT MORE INFORMATION COULD BE OBTAINED; CHAIRMAN MOLLIKA SECONDED THE MOTION; THE MOTION PASSED.
AS OF FEBRUARY 8, 2018, THIS ITEM REMAINS TABLED.
COMMISSION REMOVED THIS ITEM FROM THE TABLE AND APPROVED IT.
- b. Hemispheres LLC, 1650 Ramada Drive, Suite 180, Paso Robles, CA 93446.
Direct Shipper Permit Wholesaler pursuant to RSA 178:27.
(Retailer)
Recommendation: Approval.
ON SEPTEMBER 21, 2017, CHAIRMAN MOLLIKA MOVED TO DENY THIS ITEM; DEPUTY COMMISSIONER MILLIGAN SECONDED THE MOTION; THE MOTION PASSED.
ON OCTOBER 18, 2017, HEMISPHERES LLC SUBMITTED DOCUMENTATION TO EXPLAIN THAT SUBMISSION OF A NEW PERMIT APPLICATION WAS FOR THE PURPOSE OF CHANGING THEIR CORPORATE NAME FROM DRINKS LICENSING LLC.
ON DECEMBER 7, 2017, DEPUTY COMMISSIONER MILLIGAN MOVED TO APPROVE THIS ITEM; CHAIRMAN MOLLIKA SECONDED THE MOTION; THE MOTION PASSED AND THE MEETING WAS ADJOURNED; THE CHAIRMAN RE-OPENED THE MEETING A FEW MINUTES LATER TO RECONSIDER THIS ITEM; CHAIRMAN MOLLIKA MOVED TO RECONSIDER THIS ITEM; DEPUTY COMMISSIONER MILLIGAN SECONDED AND ALL VOTED IN FAVOR TO RECONSIDER THIS ITEM; DEPUTY COMMISSIONER MILLIGAN THEN MOVED TO TABLE THIS ITEM FOR FURTHER

INVESTIGATION; THE CHAIRMAN SECONDED AND ALL VOTED IN FAVOR.
AS OF DECEMBER 14, 2017, THIS ITEM REMAINS TABLED.
AS OF DECEMBER 21, 2017, THIS ITEM REMAINS TABLED.
AS OF JANUARY 4, 2018, THIS ITEM REMAINS TABLED.
AS OF JANUARY 11, 2018, THIS ITEM REMAINS TABLED.
AS OF JANUARY 18, 2018, THIS ITEM REMAINS TABLED.
ON JANUARY 25, 2018, FOLLOWING RESEARCH, CHIEF ARMAGANIAN RECOMMENDS DENIAL
OF THIS APPLICATION; THE APPLICANT IS A RETAILER.
AS OF JANUARY 25, 2018, THIS ITEM REMAINS TABLED.
AS OF FEBRUARY 1, 2018, THIS ITEM REMAINS TABLED.
AS OF FEBRUARY 8, 2018, THIS ITEM REMAINS TABLED.

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- c. The Wine Group, Inc., 17000 East Highway 120, Ripon, CA 95366.
Direct Shipper Permit Wine Manufacturer pursuant to RSA 178:27.
(Winery) (Multiple Wineries) (Franzia Winery)
Currently holds Direct Shipper Permits #8245733, #8159533 and #8186433.
ON DECEMBER 14, 2017, CHIEF ARMAGANIAN RECOMMENDED THAT THIS ITEM BE TABLED
FOR FURTHER REVIEW; THE COMMISSION APPROVED THE RECOMMENDATION.
AS OF DECEMBER 21, 2017, THIS ITEM REMAINS TABLED.
AS OF JANUARY 4, 2018, THIS ITEM REMAINS TABLED.
AS OF JANUARY 11, 2018, THIS ITEM REMAINS TABLED.
AS OF JANUARY 18, 2018, THIS ITEM REMAINS TABLED.
AS OF JANUARY 25, 2018, THIS ITEM REMAINS TABLED.
AS OF FEBRUARY 1, 2018, THIS ITEM REMAINS TABLED.
AS OF FEBRUARY 8, 2018, THIS ITEM REMAINS TABLED.
THIS ITEM REMAINS TABLED.
- d. Vintage Wine Estates, Inc. DBA Cameron Hughes Wine, 13300 Buckman Drive, Hopland, CA 95649.
Direct Shipper Permit Wine Manufacturer pursuant to RSA 178:27.
(Winery) (Multiple Wineries)
ON JANUARY 25, 2018, THE COMMISSION TABLED THIS ITEM.
AS OF FEBRUARY 1, 2018, THIS ITEM REMAINS TABLED.
AS OF FEBRUARY 8, 2018, THIS ITEM REMAINS TABLED.
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12. MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS FOR COMMISSION APPROVAL:

None

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

Manchester, NH – on premise.
COMMISSION ACKNOWLEDGED.

14. NOTIFICATION OF COMPLIANCE CHECKS:

Alcohol – On & Off Premises – Cheshire & Sullivan Counties:

- a. Bistro Nouveau At Eastman, 6 Clubhouse Lane, Grantham, NH.
Sports Recreation Facility License #6010405 issued pursuant to RSA 178:22, V(u)(1).
Cited for violation of RSA 179:5, I - served or sold alcoholic beverage to a minor during a
compliance check.
Date of violation: November 17, 2017.
Case #: 17-342-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. Claremont Mobil, 247 Main Street, Claremont, NH.
Combination Off-Premises Beverage/Wine/Tobacco License #3315547 issued 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 27, 2017.
Case #: 17-342-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. Fastop, 188 Washington Street, Claremont, NH.
Combination Off-Premises Beverage/Wine/Tobacco License #3292847 issued 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 27, 2017.
Case #: 17-342-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. Kouzoku, 236 Washington Street, Claremont, NH.
Restaurant On-Premises Beverage/Wine/Liquor License #1531003 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: November 17, 2017.
Case #: 17-342-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. Leo's One Stop Market, 130 Main Street, Claremont, NH.
Combination Off-Premises Beverage/Wine/Tobacco License #3350747 issued 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 27, 2017.
Case #: 17-342-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. Market Basket 53, 345 Washington Street, Claremont, NH.
Combination Off-Premises Beverage/Wine/Tobacco License #3002147 issued 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 27, 2017.
Case #: 17-342-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. Newport Plaza Pizza, 47 John Stark Highway, Newport, NH.
Restaurant Beverage & Wine License #226603 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: November 17, 2017.
Case #: 17-342-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. Newport Veterans Club, 118 John Stark Highway, Newport, NH.
Veterans Club License #16639 issued pursuant to RSA 178:22, V(h).
Cited for violation of RSA 179:5, I - served or sold alcoholic beverage to a minor during a compliance check.
Date of violation: November 17, 2017.
Case #: 17-342-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.
- i. Poor Thom's Tavern, 19 Bean Road, Plainfield, NH.
Restaurant Full Service With Lounge License #1524203 issued pursuant to RSA 178:21, II(a)(1)/RSA 178:22, V(q).
Cited for violation of RSA 179:5, I - served or sold alcoholic beverage to a minor during a compliance check.
Date of violation: November 17, 2017.
Case #: 17-342-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.
- j. Shop Express 2, 27 Sunapee Road, Newport, NH.
Combination Off-Premises Beverage/Wine/Tobacco License #3146247 issued 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 27, 2017.
Case #: 17-342-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.

15. ADMINISTRATIVE HEARING DECISION PENDING:

None

16. MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS FOR INFORMATION ONLY:

Sullivan Little Country Store, 140 Route 9, Sullivan, NH.
Combination Off-Premises Beverage/Wine/Tobacco License #3250747 issued pursuant to RSA 178:18/RSA 126-K:4.
A Felon Exception was approved for John Little as a Licensee Applicant pursuant to RSA 178:4, RSA 179:23 and Liq. 404.06(c).
Case #: 18-10-OF.
Approved on February 12, 2018.
COMMISSION ACKNOWLEDGED.