

**MINUTES OF THE NHLC**  
**DIVISION OF ENFORCEMENT & LICENSING MEETING**  
**FOR THURSDAY, MARCH 1, 2018**

1. **ACCEPTANCE OF MINUTES FROM COMMISSION MEETING HELD FEBRUARY 22, 2018.  
THE COMMISSION ACCEPTED THE MINUTES OF FEBRUARY 22, 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:**

Peking Tokyo Restaurant, 45 Hanover Street, Lebanon, NH.  
Restaurant Full Service With Lounge License #1527303 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 an individual who was visibly  
intoxicated or who a reasonable and prudent person would know is intoxicated – 2 counts.  
Date of violation: March 18, 2017.  
Case #: 17-109-OF.  
An administrative fine of \$1,500 with \$500 suspended for twelve (12) months pending no like violation, four (4)  
points shall be assessed to the liquor license and the license to sell alcohol shall be suspended in the cocktail  
lounge only for six (6) days with two (2) days held in abeyance for twelve (12) months pending no like violation  
commencing March 2, 2018 and re-granted on March 6, 2018.  
**COMMISSION ACKNOWLEDGED.**

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

None

5. **LICENSE APPLICATIONS RECOMMENDED FOR COMMISSION APPROVAL:**

- a. Amherst Street Fuel, Inc., 485 Amherst Street, Nashua, NH 03063.  
To be issued Combination Off-Premise Beverage/Wine/Tobacco License #3366647  
pursuant to RSA 178:18.  
30-Day Temporary License issued 2/16/2018.  
**DEPUTY COMMISSIONER MILLIGAN MOVED TO APPROVE THIS ITEM; CHAIRMAN MOLLICA  
SECONDED THE MOTION; THE MOTION PASSED.**
- b. HGS Est 1810 LLC DBA Moulton's Market, 10 Main Street, Amherst, NH 03031.  
To be issued Combination Off-Premise Beverage/Wine/Tobacco License #3367247  
pursuant to RSA 178:18.  
30-Day Temporary License issued 2/23/2018.  
**DEPUTY COMMISSIONER MILLIGAN MOVED TO APPROVE THIS ITEM; CHAIRMAN MOLLICA  
SECONDED THE MOTION; THE MOTION PASSED.**

- c. L & D Holdings LLC DBA Dover N/H House of Pizza, 519 Central Avenue, Dover, NH 03820.  
To be issued Restaurant On-Premise Beverage & Wine License #1559903  
pursuant to RSA 178:20.  
30-Day Temporary License issued 2/22/2018.  
**DEPUTY COMMISSIONER MILLIGAN MOVED TO APPROVE THIS ITEM; CHAIRMAN MOLLIKA  
SECONDED THE MOTION; THE MOTION PASSED.**

**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 23, 2018: 1,186**

- a. Fritz Cellars, Inc., 24691 Dutcher Creek Road, Cloverdale, CA 95425.  
Direct Shipper Permit Wine Manufacturer pursuant to RSA 178:27.  
(Winery)  
**DEPUTY COMMISSIONER MILLIGAN MOVED TO APPROVE THIS ITEM; CHAIRMAN MOLLIKA  
SECONDED THE MOTION; THE MOTION PASSED.**
- b. Kautz Vineyards, Inc. DBA Ironstone Vineyards, 1894 Six Mile Road, Murphys, CA 95247.  
Direct Shipper Permit Wine Manufacturer pursuant to RSA 178:27.  
(Winery)  
**DEPUTY COMMISSIONER MILLIGAN MOVED TO APPROVE THIS ITEM; CHAIRMAN MOLLIKA  
SECONDED THE MOTION; THE MOTION PASSED.**
- c. KRH Specialty Wines LLC, 1650 Ramada Drive, Suite 180, Paso Robles, CA 93447.  
Direct Shipper Permit Wholesaler pursuant to RSA 178:27.  
(Wholesaler)  
**DEPUTY COMMISSIONER MILLIGAN MOVED TO APPROVE THIS ITEM; CHAIRMAN MOLLIKA  
SECONDED THE MOTION; THE MOTION PASSED.**

**8. DIRECT SHIPPER APPLICATIONS RECOMMENDED FOR COMMISSION DENIAL:**

- a. California Wine Club (The), 2781 Golf Course Drive, Unit B, Ventura, CA 93003.  
Renewal Application for Direct Shipper Retailer Permit #8047033 pursuant to RSA 178:27.  
Recommend denial pursuant to RSA 176:11, II because they are a Retailer.  
**DEPUTY COMMISSIONER MILLIGAN MOVED TO APPROVE THE RECOMMENDATION TO DENY  
THIS ITEM; CHAIRMAN MOLLIKA SECONDED THE MOTION; THE MOTION PASSED.**
- b. L18 Wines LLC DBA Lot 18/Tasting Room,  
2545 Napa Valley Corporate Drive, Suite C, Napa, CA 94558.  
Renewal Application for Direct Shipper Retailer Permit #8246333 pursuant to RSA 178:27.  
Recommend denial pursuant to RSA 176:11, II because they are a Retailer.  
**DEPUTY COMMISSIONER MILLIGAN MOVED TO APPROVE THE RECOMMENDATION TO DENY  
THIS ITEM; CHAIRMAN MOLLIKA SECONDED THE MOTION; THE MOTION PASSED.**
- c. Mollydooker International LLC, 90 Rock Creek Road, Unit 9, Copperopolis, CA 95228.  
Renewal Application for Direct Shipper Wine Manufacturer Permit #8097933 pursuant to RSA 178:27.  
Recommend denial pursuant to RSA 178:27 because they are an Importer.  
**DEPUTY COMMISSIONER MILLIGAN MOVED TO APPROVE THE RECOMMENDATION TO DENY  
THIS ITEM; CHAIRMAN MOLLIKA SECONDED THE MOTION; THE MOTION PASSED.**
- d. Sonoma-Cutrer Vineyards, Inc., 4401 Slusser Road, Windsor, CA 95492.  
Renewal Application for Direct Shipper Retailer Permit #8124733 pursuant to RSA 178:27.  
Recommend denial pursuant to RSA 176:11, II because they are a Retailer.  
**DEPUTY COMMISSIONER MILLIGAN MOVED TO APPROVE THE RECOMMENDATION TO DENY  
THIS ITEM; CHAIRMAN MOLLIKA SECONDED THE MOTION; THE MOTION PASSED.**

- e. Varsity Ventures Group LLC DBA Custom Wine Shop,  
14101 West Highway 290, Bldg. 1800, Austin, TX 78737.  
Applied for a Wine Manufacturer Permit pursuant to RSA 178:27.  
Recommend denial pursuant to RSA 176:11, II because they are a Retailer.  
**DEPUTY COMMISSIONER MILLIGAN MOVED TO APPROVE THE RECOMMENDATION TO DENY THIS ITEM; CHAIRMAN MOLLIKA SECONDED THE MOTION; THE MOTION PASSED.**

**9. NOTIFICATION OF APPROVED PETITIONS:**

Mormax Beverages Corporation DBA BJ's Wholesale Club #149, 400 Quality Drive, Hooksett, NH 03106.  
Combination Off-Premise Beverage/Wine/Tobacco License #3114247 licensed pursuant to  
RSA 178:18/RSA 126-K:4.

Date of petition request: 2/22/2018.

Date petition approved: 2/23/2018.

Requested permission to transfer alcohol inventory to a new location due to closing of store, to wit, from 400 Quality Drive, Hooksett, NH to BJ's Wholesale Club #220 located at 200 John E. Devine Drive, Manchester, NH pursuant to RSA 178:29, VIII.

**COMMISSION ACKNOWLEDGED.**

**10. PETITIONS RECOMMENDED FOR COMMISSION DENIAL:**

None

**11. TABLED ITEMS:**

- a. 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.  
AS OF FEBRUARY 15, 2018, THIS ITEM REMAINS TABLED.  
AS OF FEBRUARY 22, 2018, THIS ITEM REMAINS TABLED.  
**THIS ITEM REMAINS TABLED.**

- b. 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.  
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AS OF FEBRUARY 15, 2018, THIS ITEM REMAINS TABLED.  
AS OF FEBRUARY 22, 2018, THIS ITEM REMAINS TABLED.  
**THIS ITEM REMAINS TABLED.**
- c. 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.  
AS OF FEBRUARY 15, 2018, THIS ITEM REMAINS TABLED.  
AS OF FEBRUARY 22, 2018, THIS ITEM REMAINS TABLED.  
**THIS ITEM REMAINS TABLED.**

**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:**

None

**15. ADMINISTRATIVE HEARING DECISION PENDING:**

None

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

None