MINUTES OF THE NHLC DIVISION OF ENFORCEMENT & LICENSING MEETING FOR TUESDAY, DECEMBER 29, 2020

1. RECOMMENDATION TO ACCEPT THE MINUTES FROM THE COMMISSION MEETING HELD DECEMBER 17, 2020.

DEPUTY COMMISSIONER JORDAN WAS NOT PRESENT; THIS ITEM WILL BE ADDRESSED AT THE MEETING ON JANUARY 7, 2021.

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

January 5, 2021 at 10:30 a.m.:

a. Penuche's Ale House, 91 Marlboro Street, Keene, NH 03431.

Restaurant, On-Premises, Beverage/Wine/Liquor License #440103 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:21. Cited for violation of RSA 178:21, II – failed to keep the kitchen in operation or to actively promote and serve meals in the dining room.

Cited for violation of RSA 178:22/RSA 175:1 – failed to have meals readily available, promoted and served to tables.

Dates of violations: October 1, 2020 & October 29, 2020.

Case #s: 20-396-OF & 20-458-OF.

DIVISION OF ENFORCEMENT FILED A MOTION TO CONTINUE HEARING UNTIL JANUARY 5, 2021.

January 6, 2021 at 10:30 a.m.:

b. Hookahs & Vapahs, 30 Bridge Street, Pelham, NH 03076.

Retail Tobacco License #148117 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:19-a.

Cited for violation of RSA 126-K:4, I - sold tobacco product to an underage person - 2 counts. Cited for violation of RSA 126-K:3 - failed to require a purchaser to furnish identification that such person is 21 years of age or older prior to making the sale of tobacco products, e-cigarettes or liquid nicotine - 2 counts.

Date of violations: September 20, 2020.

Case #: 20-345-OF.

Date to be determined:

c. Pint Public House, 1111 Elm Street, Manchester, NH 03101.

Restaurant, Full Service With Lounge License #1475403 licensed 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.

Date of violation: July 18, 2020.

Case #: 20-294-OF.

LICENSEE FILED AN ASSENTED-TO MOTION TO CONTINUE HEARING; MOTION WAS GRANTED ON DECEMBER 10, 2020.

Date to be determined:

d. Cara Irish Pub & Restaurant, 11 Fourth Street, Dover, NH 03820.

Restaurant, Full Service With Lounge License #1440403 licensed 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.

Cited for violation of RSA 179:51 - failed to maintain an orderly premise – 2 counts.

Date of violations: February 15, 2020.

Case #: 20-109-OF.

LICENSEE FILED AN ASSENTED-TO MOTION TO CONTINUE THAT WAS GRANTED ON AUGUST 28, 2020.

LICENSEE FILED A $2^{\rm ND}$ ASSENTED-TO MOTION TO CONTNUE THE HEARING OF OCTOBER 7, 2020; MOTION GRANTED ON SEPTEMBER 30, 2020.

LICENSEE FILED A 3ND ASSENTED-TO MOTION TO CONTNUE THE HEARING OF NOVEMBER 5, 2020; MOTION GRANTED ON NOVEMBER 10, 2020.

COMMISSION ACKNOWLEDGED.

DIVISION OF ENFORCEMENT FILED AN ASSENTED-TO MOTION TO CONTINUE ON DECEMBER 4, 2020; MOTION WAS GRANTED; HEARING TO BE RESCHEDULED IN MID-JANUARY, 2021.

3. <u>NOTIFICATION OF DISCIPLINARY ACTION</u>:

None

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

a. Hub Smoke & Vape, 563 DW Highway, Merrimack, NH 03054.

Combination, Off-Premises, Beverage/Wine/Tobacco License #3390347 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:18/RSA 126-K:4.

Cited for violation of RSA 175:1/Liq. 404.02 - failed to have representative grocery items commonly found in a grocery or convenience store.

Date of violation: December 10, 2020.

Case #: 20-578-OF.

\$250 administrative fine paid.

CHAIRMAN MOLLICA ACKNOWLEDGED.

b. Polish American Club of Nashua, 15 School Street, Nashua, NH 03060.

Social Club License #8401 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:22, V(h).

Cited for violation of RSA 178:22, V(h)(1) – failed to file a club financial report by the 15th of the following month.

Date of violation: November 16, 2020.

Case #: 20-525-OF.

\$100 administrative fine paid.

CHAIRMAN MOLLICA ACKNOWLEDGED.

c. Tobacco Junction, 11 Bridge Street, Pelham, NH 03076.

Combination, Off-Premises, Beverage/Wine/Tobacco License #3297947 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:18/RSA 126-K:4.

Cited for violation of RSA 126-K:4, I – sold tobacco product to an underage person.

Date of violation: October 15, 2020.

Case #: 20-442-OF.

\$250 administrative fine paid.

CHAIRMAN MOLLICA ACKNOWLEDGED.

5. LICENSE APPLICATIONS RECOMMENDED FOR COMMISSION APPROVAL:

a. AGR Foodmart, Inc. DBA Nutfield Petroleum, 11 Nashua Road, Londonderry, NH 03053.
 To be issued Combination, Off-Premises, Beverage/Wine/Tobacco License #3395347
 pursuant to RSA 178:18/RSA 126-K:4.

30-Day Temporary License issued 12/17/2020.

CHAIRMAN MOLLICA APPROVED.

b. ATTC Family LLC DBA R & E Grocery, 304 Merrimack Street, Manchester, NH 03103. To be issued Combination, Off-Premises, Beverage/Wine/Tobacco License #3400247 pursuant to RSA 178:18/RSA 126-K:4. 30-Day Temporary License issued 12/23/2020.

CHAIRMAN MOLLICA APPROVED.

c. Burke & Morris Spirits LLC, 300 Ledgewood Place, Suite 200, Rockland, MA 02370.

To be issued Beverage Vendor License #102631 pursuant to RSA 178:15.

Manufacturer: Crown Valley Distilling.

30-Day Temporary License issued 12/18/2020.

CHAIRMAN MOLLICA APPROVED.

d. Donovan, James Edward DBA Earl's Steak Sandwiches, 99 Oak Street, Dover, NH 03820.

To be issued Restaurant, On-Premises, Beverage & Wine License #1616103 pursuant to RSA 178:20. 30-Day Temporary License issued 12/22/2020.

CHAIRMAN MOLLICA APPROVED.

e. High Octane Saloon LLC, 1072 Watson Road, Laconia, NH 03246.

To be issued Restaurant, On-Premises, Beverage/Wine/Liquor License #1614803 pursuant to RSA 178:21.

30-Day Temporary License issued 12/18/2020.

CHAIRMAN MOLLICA APPROVED.

f. Jimmy Seas LLC DBA Jimmy Seas Pan Pasta, 25 South Mountain Road, Lincoln, NH 03251.

To be issued Restaurant, On-Premises, Beverage/Wine/Liquor License #1614503 pursuant to RSA 178:21.

30-Day Temporary License issued 12/17/2020.

CHAIRMAN MOLLICA APPROVED.

g. KP Distributor, Inc. DBA KP's Smoke and Tobacco Outlet, 293 DW Highway, Nashua, NH 03060.

To be issued Retail Tobacco License #156417 pursuant to RSA 178:19-a.

30-Day Temporary License issued 12/18/2020.

CHAIRMAN MOLLICA APPROVED.

h. Lull Farm LLC, 65 Broad Street, Hollis, NH 03049.

To be issued Combination License #3400347 pursuant to RSA 178:18.

30-Day Temporary License issued 12/22/2020.

CHAIRMAN MOLLICA APPROVED.

i. Mr. & Mrs. Chicken, Inc. DBA Happy Crab, 369 South Broadway, Salem, NH 03079.

To be issued Restaurant, On-Premises, Beverage/Wine/Liquor License #1613903 pursuant to RSA 178:21.

30-Day Temporary License issued 12/18/2020.

CHAIRMAN MOLLICA APPROVED.

j. OM Lanctot's Grocery, Inc. DBA Lanctot's Grocery, 421 South Stark Highway, Weare, NH 03281.

To be issued Combination, Off-Premises, Beverage/Wine/Tobacco License #3398847 pursuant to RSA 178:18/RSA 126-K:4.

30-Day Temporary License issued 12/17/2020.

CHAIRMAN MOLLICA APPROVED.

k. Retrotel, Inc. DBA The Lancaster Motel, 112 Main Street, Lancaster, NH 03584.

To be issued Cigar Bar, On-Premises Beverage/Wine/Liquor/Cigar/Tobacco License #405106 pursuant to RSA 178:20-a/RSA 178:9-a.

30-Day Temporary License issued 12/15/2020.

CHAIRMAN MOLLICA APPROVED.

I. Ruka Hospitality LLC DBA Purple Finch Café, 124 South River Road, Units 7 & 8, Bedford, NH 03110. To be issued Restaurant, On-Premises, Beverage & Wine License #1614303 pursuant to RSA 178:20. 30-Day Temporary License issued 12/18/2020.

CHAIRMAN MOLLICA APPROVED.

m. Tyag, Inc. DBA Tetal Food Mart, 221 South Main Street, Franklin, NH 03235.

To be issued Combination, Off-Premises, Beverage/Wine/Tobacco License #3399447 pursuant to RSA 178:18/RSA 126-K:4.

30-Day Temporary License issued 12/21/2020.

CHAIRMAN MOLLICA APPROVED.

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

None

7. DIRECT SHIPPER APPLICATIONS RECOMMENDED FOR COMMISSION APPROVAL:

TOTAL NUMBER OF ACTIVE DIRECT SHIPPER PERMITS ENDING DECEMBER 23, 2020: 1,303

GoBrands, Inc. DBA GoBooze, 101 Newbury Hollow Lane, Syracuse, NY 13210.
 To be issued Direct Shipper, Retailer Permit pursuant to RSA 178:27.
 (Retailer)

CHAIRMAN MOLLICA APPROVED.

b. Inwood Estates Vineyards, Inc., 10303 East US Highway 290, Fredericksburg, TX 78624. To be issued Direct Shipper, Wine Manufacturer Permit pursuant to RSA 178:27. (Winery)

CHAIRMAN MOLLICA APPROVED.

JuneShine, Inc., 10051 Old Grove Road, San Diego, CA 92131.
 To be issued Direct Shipper, Retailer Permit pursuant to RSA 178:27.
 (Beverage Manufacturer)

CHAIRMAN MOLLICA APPROVED.

Mixed Nuts LLC DBA Argot Wines, 3358 Coffey Lane, Suite D, Santa Rosa, CA 95403.
 To be issued Direct Shipper, Wine Manufacturer Permit pursuant to RSA 178:27.
 (Winery)

CHAIRMAN MOLLICA APPROVED.

e. Sweet Grace Distilling Co. LLC DBA Stateside Urbancraft Vodka, 161 Cecil B Moore Avenue, Unit 103, Philadelphia, PA 19122. To be issued Direct Shipper, Retailer Permit pursuant to RSA 178:27. (Retailer)

CHAIRMAN MOLLICA APPROVED.

8. DIRECT SHIPPER APPLICATIONS RECOMMENDED FOR COMMISSION DENIAL:

None

9. NOTIFICATION OF APPROVED PETITIONS:

a. Dube & Robinson, 153 Gardner Hill Road, Tamworth, NH 03886.
 Wine Manufacturer License #566030 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:8.
 Requested to transfer liquor license, to wit, to transfer an existing wine manufacturer license to 1255 US Route 302, Bartlett, NH 03845 pursuant to RSA 178:29, VIII.

CHAIRMAN MOLLICA ACKNOWLEDGED.

Pickering House Inn, 116–126 South Main Street, Wolfeboro, NH 03894.
 Hotel License #374302 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:24, II(b)(1).
 Requested approval for authorization of other area, to wit, two outside areas with a capacity of 30 pursuant to RSA 178:24/Lig. 404.05.

CHAIRMAN MOLLICA ACKNOWLEDGED.

c. Soho Restaurant, 49 Lowell Road, Hudson, NH 03051.

Restaurant, On-Premises, Beverage/Wine/Liquor License #1559503 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:21. Requested approval for authorization of other area, to wit, an outside area with a capacity of 20 pursuant to RSA 178:24/Liq. 404.05.

CHAIRMAN MOLLICA ACKNOWLEDGED.

10. PETITIONS RECOMMENDED FOR COMMISSION DENIAL:

None

11. TABLED ITEMS:

None

12. MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS RECOMMENDED FOR COMMISSION APPROVAL:

- a. Anheuser-Busch, One Busch Place, St. Louis, MO 63118.
 Beverage Vendor License #4631 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:15.
 Requests approval of Babe 100 Rose Wine with Bubbles with an alcohol content of 6.9% at 60 degrees Fahrenheit by volume pursuant to RSA 175:1, LXIV-aaa; sample provided.
 CHAIRMAN MOLLICA APPROVED.
- Bold Rock Partners LP DBA Bold Rock, 1020 Rockfish Valley Highway, Nellysford, VA 22958.
 Beverage Vendor License #106631 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:15.
 Requests approval of Bold Rock Bolder Hard Lemonade with an alcohol content of 8% at 60 degrees Fahrenheit by volume pursuant to RSA 175:1, VIII; sample provided.
 CHAIRMAN MOLLICA APPROVED.
- Diageo Beer Company USA, 3 World Trade Center, 175 Greenwich Street, New York, NY 10007. Beverage Vendor License #30031 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:15.
 Requests approval of Smirnoff Ice Smash Red White & Berry with an alcohol content of 8% at 60 degrees Fahrenheit by volume pursuant to RSA 175:1, VIII; sample provided.
 CHAIRMAN MOLLICA APPROVED.
- d. Graft Cider LLC, 218 Ann Street, Newburgh, NY 12550. Beverage Vendor License #98731 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:15. Requests approval of Book of Nomad Dark Revelations, Book of Nomad Rivers Bargain, Book of Nomad Wild Fury, Green is Gold, Shared Universe Far Away From Home and Shared Universe Sweet Berry Wine, each with an alcohol content of 6.9% at 60 degrees Fahrenheit by volume pursuant to RSA 175:1, VIII; samples will be provided week of December 28, 2020. CHAIRMAN MOLLICA APPROVED.

13. MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS RECOMMENDED FOR COMMISSION DENIAL:

None

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

None

15. NOTIFICATION OF COMPLIANCE CHECKS:

None

16. ADMINISTRATIVE HEARING DECISION PENDING:

None

17. ADMINISTRATIVE HEARING DECISION:

None

18. MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS FOR INFORMATION ONLY:

None

19. LATE ITEM FOR COMMISSION APPROVAL:

Pavilion Hospitality LLC DBA Pickering House Inn, 116-126 South Main Street, Wolfeboro, NH 03894. To be issued Hotel License #374302 pursuant to RSA 178:24, II(b)(1). 30-Day Temporary License issued 12/17/2020.

CHAIRMAN MOLLICA APPROVED.