MINUTES OF THE NHLC DIVISION OF ENFORCEMENT & LICENSING MEETING FOR THURSDAY, DECEMBER 22, 2022

1. RECOMMENDATION TO ACCEPT THE MINUTES FROM THE COMMISSION MEETING HELD DECEMBER 15, 2022.

DEPUTY COMMISSIONER JORDAN ACCEPTED THE MINUTES OF DECEMBER 15, 2022.

2. TABLED ITEMS:

None

3. <u>SCHEDULED HEARINGS AT LIQUOR COMMISSION OFFICES, 50 STORRS STREET, CONCORD, NH:</u>

None

4. NOTIFICATION OF ADMINISTRATIVE ACTION PER SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT:

Cielito Mexican Restaurant, 50 South Main Street, Bristol, NH 03222.

Restaurant, On-Premises, Beverage/Wine/Liquor License #1543303 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:21. 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 179:8, I – failed to require the purchaser whose age was in question to furnish identification that such person was 21 years of age.

Cited for violation of RSA 179:23, IV – failed to have an affidavit on file with the Commission for the person in charge of the premises.

Cited for violation of RSA 179:35 – failed to retain sales slips on the premises or readily available for examination by the Commission or its Liquor Investigators for a period of sixty (60) days.

Dates of violation: 11/11/2021, 12/1/2021 & 12/10/2021.

Case #: 21-607-OF.

For violation of RSA 179:5, I, an administrative fine of \$2,500 with \$2,000 suspended for twelve (12) months pending no like violation, four (4) points shall be assessed to and remain on the liquor license for twelve (12) calendar months commencing the date of adjudication, the license to serve, consume or possess alcohol shall be suspended for ten (10) days with seven (7) days held in abeyance for twelve (12) months pending no like violation commencing January 3, 2023 and re-granted on January 6, 2023 and Alexandra Lopez-Guazo shall complete a Management Training Seminar (MTS) online within sixty (60) days from the date of the fully executed agreement; for violation of RSA 179:8, an administrative fine of \$100; for violation of RSA 179:23, IV, an administrative fine of \$250; and for violation of RSA 179:35, an administrative fine of \$250 held in abeyance for twelve (12) months pending no like violation.

DEPUTY COMMISSIONER JORDAN ACKNOWLEDGED.

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

a. 110 Grill, 136 Market Place, Rochester, NH 03867.

Restaurant, On-Premises, Beverage/Wine/Liquor License #1530903 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:21. Cited for violation of RSA 179:52 – failed to have the license posted on the premises.

Date of violation: 12/12/2022.

Case #: 22-927-OF.

Warning.

DEPUTY COMMISSIONER JORDAN APPROVED.

b. American Legion Post 28, 43 Church Street, Pembroke, NH 03275.

Veterans Club License #17239 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:22, V(h).

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

Date of violation: 11/16/2022.

Case #: 22-852-OF. \$100 administrative fine.

c. American Spirits Exchange Limited, 408 E. Fourth Street, Bridgeport, PA 19405.

Beverage Vendor License #110631 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:15.

Cited for violation of RSA 178:15, II – failed to file Forms 258/334 by the 10th of the following month.

Date of violation: 10/11/2022.

Case #: 22-917-OF.

Warning.

DEPUTY COMMISSIONER JORDAN APPROVED.

d. Barrier Brewing Company, 3001 New Street, Unit #A2, Oceanside, NY 11572.

Beverage Vendor License #96331 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:15.

Cited for violation of RSA 178:15, II – failed to file Forms 258/334 by the 10th of the following month.

Date of violation: 10/11/2022 – 2 counts.

Case #: 22-860-OF.

\$200 administrative fine.

DEPUTY COMMISSIONER JORDAN APPROVED.

e. Campanology Untitled Artisan Ales, 1131 Uniek Drive, Waunakee, WI 53597.

Beverage Vendor License #106531 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:15.

Cited for violation of RSA 178:15, II – failed to file Forms 258/334 by the 10th of the following month.

Date of violation: 10/11/2022.

Case #: 22-928-OF.

Warning.

DEPUTY COMMISSIONER JORDAN APPROVED.

f. Cushnoc Brewing Company, 3044 North Belfast Avenue, Augusta, ME 04330.

Beverage Vendor License #119231 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:15.

Cited for violation of RSA 178:15, II – failed to file Forms 258/334 by the 10th of the following month.

Date of violation: 10/11/2022.

Case #: 22-918-OF.

Warning.

DEPUTY COMMISSIONER JORDAN APPROVED.

g. Ghostfish Brewing Company, 2942 1st Avenue South, Seattle, WA 98134.

Beverage Vendor License #110131 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:15.

Cited for violation of RSA 178:15, II – failed to file Forms 258/334 by the 10th of the following month.

Date of violation: 10/11/2022.

Case #: 22-919-OF.

Warning.

DEPUTY COMMISSIONER JORDAN APPROVED.

h. Hobbs Brewing Company, 765 NH Route #16, Ossipee, NH 03864.

Beverage Manufacturer License #294518 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:12.

Cited for violation of RSA 178:15, II – failed to file Forms 258/334 by the 10th of the following month. Date of violation: 10/11/2022.

Case #: 22-914-OF.

Warning.

DEPUTY COMMISSIONER JORDAN APPROVED.

Jericho Deli & Convenience. 174 Jericho Road. Berlin. NH 03570.

Combination, Off-Premises, Beverage/Wine/Tobacco License #3328947 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:18/RSA 126-K:4.

Cited for violation of RSA 178:3/Liq. 704.01 – failed to renew liquor license thirty (30) days prior to expiration.

Date of violation: 11/3/2022.

Case #: 22-743-OF.

Warning.

DEPUTY COMMISSIONER JORDAN APPROVED.

j. Mountain Music Winery & Vineyard, 3447 US Route #3, Thornton, NH 03285.

Wine Manufacturer License #567230 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:8.

Cited for violation of RSA 178:8 – failed to file a monthly report and tax payment by the 10th of the following month.

. Date of violation: 11/11/2022.

Case #: 22-787-OF.

\$100 administrative fine.

DEPUTY COMMISSIONER JORDAN APPROVED.

k. Other Half Brewing Company, 195 Centre Street, Brooklyn, NY 11231.

Beverage Vendor License #117131 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:15.

Cited for violation of RSA 178:15, II – failed to file Forms 258/334 by the 10th of the following month.

Date of violation: 10/11/2022.

Case #: 22-920-OF.

Warning.

DEPUTY COMMISSIONER JORDAN APPROVED.

I. Ricker Hill Farms, 11 Ricker Hill Road, Turner, ME 04282.

Beverage Vendor License #85631 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:15.

Cited for violation of RSA 178:15, II – failed to file Forms 258/334 by the 10th of the following month.

Date of violation: 10/11/2022. Case #: 22-921-OF.

Warning.

DEPUTY COMMISSIONER JORDAN APPROVED.

Rusty Lantern Market #0048, 48 Concord Road, Lee, NH 03861. m.

> Combination, Off-Premises, Beverage/Wine/Tobacco License #3361547 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:18/RSA 126-K:4.

Cited for violation of RSA 178:3/Liq. 704.01 – failed to renew liquor license thirty (30) days prior to expiration.

Date of violation: 11/3/2022.

Case #: 22-742-OF.

Warning.

DEPUTY COMMISSIONER JORDAN APPROVED.

State Line Pay Saver, 531 South Broadway, Salem, NH 03079. n.

> Combination, Off-Premises, Beverage/Wine/Tobacco License #772547 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:18/RSA 126-K:4.

Cited for violation of RSA 178:18/Liq. 404.02 - failed to have representative grocery items commonly found in a grocery or convenience store.

Date of violation: 11/9/2022.

Case #: 22-738-OF.

Warning.

DEPUTY COMMISSIONER JORDAN APPROVED.

Singlecut Beersmiths, 19-33 37th Street, Astoria, NY 11105. Ο.

Beverage Vendor License #89931 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:15.

Cited for violation of RSA 178:15, II – failed to file Forms 258/334 by the 10th of the following Month - 2 counts.

Date of violation: 10/11/2022.

Case #: 22-886-OF.

\$200 administrative fine.

DEPUTY COMMISSIONER JORDAN APPROVED.

Stowe Cider, 17 Town Farm Lane, Stowe, VT 05672. p.

Beverage Vendor License #86231 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:15.

Cited for violation of RSA 178:15, II – failed to file Forms 258/334 by the 10th of the following month.

Date of violation: 10/11/2022.

Case #: 22-922-OF.

Warning.

DEPUTY COMMISSIONER JORDAN APPROVED.

Sweetwater Brewing Company, 195 Ottley Drive NE, Atlanta, GA 30324. q.

Beverage Vendor License #109131 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:15.

Cited for violation of RSA 178:15, II – failed to file Forms 258/334 by the 10th of the following month. Date of violation: 10/11/2022.

Case #: 22-923-OF.

Warning.

DEPUTY COMMISSIONER JORDAN APPROVED.

r. Vodkyte, 501 Congress Street, Boston, MA 02210.

Beverage Vendor License #116131 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:15.

Cited for violation of RSA 178:15, II – failed to file Forms 258/334 by the 10th of the following month.

Date of violation: 10/11/2022.

Case #: 22-891-OF.

\$100 administrative fine.

DEPUTY COMMISSIONER JORDAN APPROVED.

6. LICENSE APPLICATIONS RECOMMENDED FOR COMMISSION APPROVAL:

a. Appolo Vineyards LLC, 49 Lawrence Road, Derry, NH 03038.

To be issued Caterer, Off-Site License #1287134 for 12/17/2022 between 10:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. and 12/18/2022 between 10:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. pursuant to RSA 178:22, V(e).

90-Day Temporary License issued 12/14/2022.

DEPUTY COMMISSIONER JORDAN APPROVED.

b. Bid Beverage Co. LLC, 786 North 6th Street, Columbus, OH 43215.

To be issued Liquor & Wine Vendor License #143845 pursuant to RSA 178:9.

30-Day Temporary License issued 12/15/2022.

DEPUTY COMMISSIONER JORDAN APPROVED.

c. CIV USA, 3785 NW 82nd Avenue, Suite #12, Doral, FL 33166.

To be issued Liquor & Wine Vendor License #143645 pursuant to RSA 178:9.

30-Day Temporary License issued 12/16/2022.

DEPUTY COMMISSIONER JORDAN APPROVED.

d. Diamond Grill and Lounge, 14 West Hollis Street, Nashua, NH 03060.

To be issued Restaurant, Full Service With Lounge License #1660303 pursuant to

RSA 178:21, II(a)(1)/RSA 178:22, V(q).

90-Day Temporary License issued 12/15/2022.

DEPUTY COMMISSIONER JORDAN APPROVED.

e. Flight Center-Dover LLC DBA Aviation Brewing Company, 47 Washington Street, Dover, NH 03820. To be issued Restaurant, On-Premises, Beverage/Wine/Liquor License #1658703 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:21.

90-Day Temporary License issued 12/14/2022.

DEPUTY COMMISSIONER JORDAN APPROVED.

f. Hotel Thaxter LLC, 1 Middle Street, Suite #1, Portsmouth, NH 03801

To be issued Hotel License #376602 pursuant to RSA 178:24, II(b)(1).

90-Day Temporary License issued 12/14/2022.

DEPUTY COMMISSIONER JORDAN APPROVED.

g. Localtopia LLC, 27 South Main Street, Wolfeboro, NH 03894.

To be issued Restaurant, On-Premises, Beverage & Wine License #1648303 pursuant to RSA 178:20. 30-Day Temporary License issued 12/16/2022.

DEPUTY COMMISSIONER JORDAN APPROVED.

h. Maple Street Catering LLC, 89 Main Street, West Lebanon, NH 03784.

To be issued Caterer, Off-Site License #1300034 for 12/19/2022 between 3:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m. pursuant to RSA 178:22, V(e).

90-Day Temporary License issued 12/19/2022.

DEPUTY COMMISSIONER JORDAN APPROVED.

i. Night Owl Catering Co. LLP, 1 Grove Street, Peterborough, NH 03458.

To be issued a permanent Caterer, Off-Site License #1292334 for 12/17/2022 between 7:00 p.m. – 11:00 p.m. pursuant to RSA 178:22, V(e).

90-Day Temporary License issued 12/13/2022.

j. Puff Cigar Lounge, Inc., 148 Plaistow Road, Plaistow, NH 03865.
To be issued Cigar Bar, On-Premises, Cocktail Lounge License #407306 pursuant to RSA 178:20-a.

DEPUTY COMMISSIONER JORDAN APPROVED.

90-Day Temporary License issued 12/15/2022.

k. Stonewall Farm, 242 Chesterfield Road, Keene, NH 03431.

To be issued Special, One-Day, Voluntary Nonprofit Organizations Beverage/Wine/Liquor License #658941 for 12/17/2022 between 5:00 p.m. – 8:30 p.m. pursuant to RSA 178:22, V(I).

DEPUTY COMMISSIONER JORDAN APPROVED.

7. LICENSE APPLICATIONS RECOMMENDED FOR COMMISSION DENIAL:

None

8. DIRECT SHIPPER APPLICATIONS RECOMMENDED FOR COMMISSION APPROVAL:

TOTAL NUMBER OF ACTIVE DIRECT SHIPPER PERMITS ENDING DECEMBER 16, 2022: 1,391

None

9. DIRECT SHIPPER APPLICATIONS RECOMMENDED FOR COMMISSION DENIAL:

None

10. NOTIFICATION OF APPROVED PETITIONS:

a. Cask & Vine LLC, 1 ½ East Broadway, Derry, NH 03038.

Restaurant, On-Premises, Beverage/Wine/Liquor License #1455603 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:21. Requested an extension of hours, to wit, to extend the hours of operation on January 1, 2023 with glasses off the table by 2:00 a.m. RSA 178:21, II, a (2).

DEPUTY COMMISSIONER JORDAN ACKNOWLEDGED.

b. Olympus Pizza 1, 42 Allenstown Road, Allenstown, NH 03275.

Restaurant, Full Service With Lounge License #1433903 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:21, II(a)(1)/RSA 178:22, V(q).

Requested to upgrade the license, to wit, to upgraded the license to include a cocktail lounge. pursuant to RSA 178:21, II(a)(1)/RSA 178:22, V(q).

DEPUTY COMMISSIONER JORDAN ACKNOWLEDGED.

c. Pup's Cider Co. LLC, 193 East Road, Greenfield, NH 03047.

Beverage Manufacturer License #288918 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:12.

Requested approval for authorization of other areas for retail sales only at farmers' market, to wit, Bedford Fields Garden Center, 331 Route #101, Bedford, NH on 1/21/2023, 2/4/2023 and 2/18/2023 between 10:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. on pursuant to RSA 178:24/RSA 179:44, II-a.

DEPUTY COMMISSIONER JORDAN ACKNOWLEDGED.

11. PETITIONS RECOMMENDED FOR COMMISSION DENIAL:

None

12. MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS RECOMMENDED FOR COMMISSION APPROVAL:

a. Future Proof Brands LLC DBA BeatBox Beverages, 1023 Springdale Road, Austin, TX 78721.
 Beverage Vendor License #117731 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:15.

Requests approval of BeatBox Beverages Blue Razberry with an alcohol content of 8% at 60 degrees Fahrenheit by volume pursuant to RSA 175:1, VIII.

b. Triple Eight Distillery LLC, 5-7 Bartlett Farm Road, Nantucket, MA 02554.

Beverage Vendor License #102431 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:15.

Requests approval of Nantucket Rise with an alcohol content of 7% at 60 degrees Fahrenheit by volume pursuant to RSA 175:1. LXIV-aaa.

DEPUTY COMMISSIONER JORDAN APPROVED.

13. <u>MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS RECOMMENDED FOR COMMISSION DENIAL:</u>

None

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

None

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

Tobacco Compliance Checks

Rockingham County:

a. Chester General Store, 2 Haverhill Road, Chester, NH.

Combination, Off-Premises, Beverage/Wine/Tobacco License #3314047 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:18/RSA 126-K:4.

Cited for violation of RSA 126-K:4 - sold tobacco to an underage person during a compliance check.

Date of violation: 10/28/2022.

Case #: 22-611-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 JORDAN APPROVED.

b. Depot Crossing, 598 Main Street, Hampstead, NH.

Combination, Off-Premises, Beverage/Wine/Tobacco License #3322147 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:18/RSA 126-K:4.

Cited for violation of RSA 126-K:4 - sold tobacco to an underage person during a compliance check.

Date of violation: 10/28/2022.

Case #: 22-611-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 JORDAN APPROVED.

c. Main Street Don's Mart, 219 Main Street, Hampstead, NH.

Combination, Off-Premises, Beverage/Wine/Tobacco License #3387947 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:18/RSA 126-K:4.

Cited for violation of RSA 126-K:4 - sold tobacco to an underage person during a compliance check. Date of violation: 10/28/2022.

Case #: 22-611-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 JORDAN APPROVED.

d. Prime Butcher of Hampstead, 201 Route #111, Hampstead, NH.

Combination, Off-Premises, Beverage/Wine/Tobacco License #3257547 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:18/RSA 126-K:4.

Cited for violation of RSA 126-K:4 - sold tobacco to an underage person during a compliance check. Date of violation: 10/28/2022.

Case #: 22-611-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.

Strafford County:

e. Circle K 4707241, 4A Dover Road, Durham, NH.

Combination, Off-Premises, Beverage/Wine/Tobacco License #3220347 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:18/RSA 126-K:4.

Cited for violation of RSA 126-K:4 - sold tobacco to an underage person during a compliance check. Date of violation: 12/1/2022.

Case #: 22-777-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 JORDAN APPROVED.

f. University Market, 14 Jenkins Court, Durham, NH.

Combination, Off-Premises, Beverage/Wine/Tobacco License #3410947 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:18/RSA 126-K:4.

Cited for violation of RSA 126-K:4 - sold tobacco to an underage person during a compliance check. Date of violation: 12/1/2022.

Case #: 22-777-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 JORDAN APPROVED.

16. ADMINISTRATIVE HEARING DECISION PENDING:

None

17. ADMINISTRATIVE HEARING DECISIONS:

None

18. MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS FOR INFORMATION ONLY:

None