# MINUTES OF THE NHLC DIVISION OF ENFORCEMENT & LICENSING MEETING FOR MAY 30, 2024

#### 1. ACCEPTANCE OF MINUTES:

RECOMMENDATION TO ACCEPT THE MINUTES OF THE COMMISSION MEETING HELD MAY 23, 2024.

THIS ITEM WAS TABLED DUE TO THE ABSENCE OF CHAIRMAN MOLLICA.

# 2. TABLED ITEMS:

None

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

#### June 18, 2024 at 9:00 a.m.:

a. Diamond Grill & Lounge, 14 W. Hollis Street, Nashua, NH 03060.

Cocktail Lounge-Full Service Restaurant License #1660303 licensed pursuant to

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

Cited for violation of RSA 179:50 – allowed the premises to be used for a purpose contrary to law.

Cited for violation of RSA 179:57Liq. 603.05 - failed to comply with the requirements of a Commission Order.

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

Date of violation: 03/16/2024.

Case #: 24-275-OF

Motion to Continue filed by the licensee and granted on May 09, 2024.

#### June 18, 2024 at 9:00 a.m.:

b. World Bar and Grill, 342 Lincoln Street, Manchester, NH 03104.

Restaurant, On-Premises, Beverage/Wine/Liquor License #1678703 pursuant to RSA 178:21. Cited for violation of RSA 179:50 – allowed the premises to be used for a purpose contrary to law –

allowed hookah to be smoked inside the premises. Cited for violation of RSA 179:57Liq. 603.05 – failed to comply with the requirements of a

Commission Order.

Cited for violation of RSA 179:27 – allowed patrons to self-serve alcohol beverages.

Date of violation: 04/06/2024.

Case #: 24-353-OF.

#### June 18, 2024 at 11:00 a.m.:

c. Mass Bay Brewing Company, 306 Northern Avenue, Boston, MA 02210.

Beverage Vendor License #9131 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:15.

Requests approval of Right Coast Italian Ice Cherry Vodka Chill and Right Coast Italian

Ice Lemon Vodka Freeze each with an alcohol content of 7.5% at 60 degrees Fahrenheit by volume pursuant to RSA 175:1, LXIV-aaa.

Recommendation for denial of these products pursuant to RSA 179:31, VII(b) as the packaging or label features illustrations that have been determined reasonably likely to induce minors to drink.

The licensee requested a hearing.

#### 4. NOTIFICATION OF ADMINISTRATIVE ACTION PER SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT:

None

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

None

#### 6. LICENSE APPLICATIONS RECOMMENDED FOR COMMISSION APPROVAL:

a. 603 Brewery LLC, 256 Mammoth Road, Londonderry, NH 03053.

To be issued Beer Festival License #4023514 for 06/01/2024 between 11:00 a.m. and 8:00 p.m. pursuant to RSA 178:30.

#### DEPUTY COMMISSIONER BRASSARD JORDAN APPROVED.

b. Bhagat 165 Inc. DBA New Market Cigar N Vape Shop,

165 Main Street, Suite 102, New Market, NH 03857.

To be issued Retail Tobacco License #170117 pursuant to RSA 178:19-a.

30-Day Temporary License issued 05/23/2024.

#### DEPUTY COMMISSIONER BRASSARD JORDAN APPROVED.

c. Big Day Brewing LLC, 20 Glen Road, Gorham, NH 03581.

To be issued Caterer, Off-Site License #1308034 pursuant to RSA 178:22, V(e).

90-Day Temporary License issued 05/23/2024.

#### DEPUTY COMMISSIONER BRASSARD JORDAN APPROVED.

d. Blue Harbor Coffee LLC, 333 Ocean Boulevard, Hampton, NH 03842.

To be issued Restaurant, On-Premises, Beverage & Wine License #1693903 pursuant to RSA 178:20. 30-Day Temporary License issued 04/25/2024.

#### DEPUTY COMMISSIONER BRASSARD JORDAN APPROVED.

e. Dox on Winnipesaukee LLC, 263 Lakeside Avenue, Unit G, Laconia, NH 03246.

To be issued Cocktail Lounge-Full Service Restaurant License #1697803 pursuant to RSA 178:22, V(q)/ RSA 178:21, II(a)(1).

90-Day Temporary License issued 05/23/2024.

# DEPUTY COMMISSIONER BRASSARD JORDAN APPROVED.

f. Dubai Night Club and Grill LLC, 253 Wilson Street, Manchester, NH 03103.

To be issued Retail Tobacco License #170617 pursuant to RSA 178:19-a.

30-Day Temporary License issued 05/23/2024.

#### DEPUTY COMMISSIONER BRASSARD JORDAN APPROVED.

g. Hannah Grimes Center Inc. DBA Keene Young Professionals Network,

25 Roxbury Street, Keene, NH 03431.

To be issued Special One-Day, Voluntary Nonprofit Organizations Beverage/Wine/Liquor License # 692341 for 06/01/2024 between 11:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. with a rain date of 06/02/2024 between 11:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. pursuant to RSA 178:22, V(I).

#### DEPUTY COMMISSIONER BRASSARD JORDAN APPROVED.

h. High Hopes Foundation of NH at Anheuser-Busch Brewery, 221 DW Highway, Merrimack, NH 03054. To be issued Special One-Day, Voluntary Nonprofit Organizations Beverage/Wine/Liquor License # 688841 for 06/01/2024 between 12:30 p.m. and 4:30 p.m. pursuant to RSA 178:22, V(I).

DEPUTY COMMISSIONER BRASSARD JORDAN APPROVED.

i. Kevin Peare Memorial Skate Park

at Night in the Forest Tattoo Studio, 522 NH Route 16-A, Intervale, NH 03845.

To be issued Special One-Day, Voluntary Nonprofit Organizations Beverage/Wine/Liquor

License # 693841 for 05/26/2024 between 10:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m. pursuant to RSA 178:22, V(I).

#### DEPUTY COMMISSIONER BRASSARD JORDAN APPROVED.

j. Lotus Lounge Corp, 148 Plaistow Road, Plaistow, NH 03865.

To be issued Cigar Bar, On-Premises, Cocktail Lounge License #408406 pursuant to RSA 178:20-a. 90-Day Temporary License issued 05/24/2024.

#### DEPUTY COMMISSIONER BRASSARD JORDAN APPROVED.

k. Old Fort No 4 Associates DBA The Fort at No 4, 267 Springfield Road, Charlestown, NH 03603. To be issued Special One-Day, Voluntary Nonprofit Organizations Beverage/Wine/Liquor License # 687741 for 06/29/2024 between 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. pursuant to RSA 178:22, V(I).

#### DEPUTY COMMISSIONER BRASSARD JORDAN APPROVED.

I. Pint Sized Brews LLC DBA Bert's Beer & Wine, 545 Hooksett Road, Manchester, NH 03106.

To be issued Restaurant, On-Premises, Beverage & Wine License #1692703 pursuant to RSA 178:20. 30-Day Temporary License issued 05/24/2024.

DEPUTY COMMISSIONER BRASSARD JORDAN APPROVED.

m. Pint Sized Brews LLC DBA Bert's Beer & Wine, 545 Hooksett Road, Manchester, NH 03106.

To be issued Conditional Combination License #4002807/Restaurant, On-Premises, Beverage & Wine License #1692703 pursuant to RSA 178:17-a/RSA 178:20.

#### DEPUTY COMMISSIONER BRASSARD JORDAN APPROVED.

n. Vineyard at Seven Birches LLC (The) DBA Seven Birches/Rhythm Cider,

22 S. Mountain Drive, Lincoln, NH 03251.

To be issued Beverage Manufacturer License #301318 pursuant to RSA 178:12.

30-Day Temporary License issued 05/24/2024.

#### DEPUTY COMMISSIONER BRASSARD JORDAN APPROVED.

Vineyard at Seven Birches LLC (The) DBA Seven Birches/Rhythm Cider,
 22 S. Mountain Drive, Lincoln, NH 03251.

To be issued Conditional Combination License, #301318 - Beverage Manufacturer/ License #563430 – Wine Manufacturer pursuant to RSA 178:17-a/RSA 178:12/RSA 178:8.

#### DEPUTY COMMISSIONER BRASSARD JORDAN APPROVED.

p. Watershed Cuisine LLC, 55 Main Street, Newmarket, NH 03857.

To be issued Restaurant, On-Premises, Beverage/Wine/Liquor License #1690503 pursuant to RSA 178:21.

90-Day Temporary License issued 05/22/2024.

DEPUTY COMMISSIONER BRASSARD 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 MAY 28, 2024: 1,355.

None

# 9. <u>DIRECT SHIPPER APPLICATIONS RECOMMENDED FOR COMMISSION DENIAL:</u>

None

#### 10. NOTIFICATION OF APPROVED PETITIONS:

Auspicious Brew, 1 Washington Street, Suite 1103, Dover, NH 03820.
 Beverage Manufacturer License #294818 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:12.
 Requested approval for authorization of other area for retail sales and tastings at farmers' market, to wit, Portsmouth Farmer's Market, 1 Junkins Avenue, Portsmouth, NH 03801
 on Saturdays from 05/25/2024- 10/26/2024 between 8:00 a.m. and 12:00 p.m. pursuant to RSA 178:24/RSA 179:44, II-a.

#### DEPUTY COMMISSIONER BRASSARD JORDAN ACKNOWLEDGED.

Big Day Brewing LLC at Mom's Jericho, 453 Main Street, Gorham, NH 03581.
 Caterer, Off-Site License #1308034 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:22, V(e).
 Requested approval for a permanent site, to wit, for an event for 05/25/2024 between 8:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m. pursuant to RSA 178:22, V (e).

#### DEPUTY COMMISSIONER BRASSARD JORDAN ACKNOWLEDGED.

c. Craft Beer & More LLC DBA Craft Beer Xchange Annex Pub, 604 Endicott Street N., Laconia, NH 03246. Restaurant, On-Premises, Beverage/Wine/Liquor License #1659203 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:21. Requested approval for a temporary extension of service, to wit, for an outside area with the capacity of 96 from 06/07/2024-11/01/2024 pursuant to RSA 178:24/Liq. 404.05.

# DEPUTY COMMISSIONER BRASSARD JORDAN ACKNOWLEDGED. Flag Hill Distillary & Wingry 297 North River Road Lee NH 03861

Flag Hill Distillery & Winery, 297 North River Road, Lee, NH 03861.
 Wine Manufacturer License #565030 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:8.
 Liquor Manufacturer License #287319 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:6.

Requested approval for authorization of other area for retail sales at farmers' market, to wit, Concord Farmer's Market, Capitol Street, Concord, NH 03301 on Saturdays from 06/08/2024-10/01/2024 between 8:00 a.m. and 12:00 p.m. pursuant to RSA 178:24/RSA 179:44. II-a.

#### DEPUTY COMMISSIONER BRASSARD JORDAN ACKNOWLEDGED.

e. Hydro Tavern LLC (The), 102 Main Street, Berlin, NH 03570.

Restaurant, On-Premises, Beverage/Wine/Liquor License #1680803 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:21. Requested approval for a permanent extension of service, to wit, for an outside area (patio) with the capacity of 40 pursuant to RSA 178:24/Liq. 404.05.

#### DEPUTY COMMISSIONER BRASSARD JORDAN ACKNOWLEDGED.

f. Lincross LLC, 34 Central Square, Bristol, NH 03222.

Restaurant, On-Premises, Beverage/Wine/Liquor License #1527503 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:21. Requested to transfer business location, to wit, to transfer the business location from 16 Pleasant Street, Suite 2, Bristol, NH 03222 to 34 Central Square, Bristol, NH 03222 pursuant to RSA 178:29, VIII.

#### DEPUTY COMMISSIONER BRASSARD JORDAN ACKNOWLEDGED.

g. Maple Street Catering LLC at Osher Lifelong Learning Institute,

1 Court Street, Suite 210, Lebanon, NH 03766.

Caterer, Off-Site License #1300034 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:22, V(e). Requested approval for a temporary site, to wit, for an event for 05/21/2024 between 3:30 p.m. and 7:00 p.m. pursuant to RSA 178:22, V (e).

#### DEPUTY COMMISSIONER BRASSARD JORDAN ACKNOWLEDGED.

h. Milano House of Pizza Inc., 1 Broad Street, Nashua, NH 03064.

Restaurant, On-Premises, Beverage/Wine/Liquor License #309203 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:21. Requested approval for a temporary extension of service, to wit, for an outside area with the capacity of 100 from 05/22/2024-11/15/2024 pursuant to RSA 178:24/Liq. 404.05.

#### DEPUTY COMMISSIONER BRASSARD JORDAN ACKNOWLEDGED.

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Pavilion Restaurant LLC DBA The Pavilion, 126 S. Main Street, Floor 1, Wolfeboro, NH 03894.
 Restaurant, On-Premises, Beverage/Wine/Liquor License #1666303 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:21.
 Requested approval for a temporary extension of service, to wit, for an outside area with the capacity of 24 from 05/22/2024-10/13/2024 pursuant to RSA 178:24/Liq. 404.05.

j. Pemi Pub LLC, 115 Main Street, N. Woodstock, NH 03262.

Restaurant, On-Premises, Beverage/Wine/Liquor License #1555103 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:21. Requested approval for a permanent extension of service, to wit, for an outside area with the capacity of 100 pursuant to RSA 178:24/Liq. 404.05.

#### DEPUTY COMMISSIONER BRASSARD JORDAN ACKNOWLEDGED.

k. Tamworth Distilling, 85 Main Street, Tamworth, NH 03886.

Liquor Manufacturer License #289519 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:6.

Requested approval for authorization of other area for retail sales at farmers' market, to wit, Seacoast Eat Local- Portsmouth Farmer's Market, 1 Junkins Avenue, Portsmouth, NH 03801 on Saturdays from 05/25/2024- 10/26/2024 between 8:00 a.m. and 12:00 p.m. pursuant to RSA 178:24/RSA 179:44, II-a.

DEPUTY COMMISSIONER BRASSARD JORDAN ACKNOWLEDGED.

# 11. PETITIONS RECOMMENDED FOR COMMISSION DENIAL:

None

# 12. MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS RECOMMENDED FOR COMMISSION APPROVAL

a. 325 Bowery Inc. DBA Jiant, 722 Pier Avenue, Unit 4, Santa Monica, CA 90405.
 Beverage Vendor License #113431 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:15.
 Requests approval of Jiant Hard Tea Pumpkin Chai with an alcohol content of 7% at 60 degrees Fahrenheit by volume pursuant to RSA 175:1, VIII.

DEPUTY COMMISSIONER BRASSARD JORDAN APPROVED.

b. 603 Brewery, 42 Main Street, Londonderry, NH 03053.

Beverage Manufacturer License #293518 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:12.

Requests approval of specialty beer (S)Quad Goals with an alcohol content of 12.12% at 60 degrees Fahrenheit by volume pursuant to RSA 175:1, LXIV-a.

# DEPUTY COMMISSIONER BRASSARD JORDAN APPROVED.

c. Rek-lis Brewing Co., 2085 Main Street, Bethlehem, NH 03574.

Brew Pub License #2003515 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:13.

Requests approval of specialty beer King of the Mountain, which has increased alcohol content from 11% to 12.5% at 60 degrees Fahrenheit by volume pursuant to RSA 175:1, LXIV-a.

#### DEPUTY COMMISSIONER BRASSARD JORDAN APPROVED.

Shacksbury Holdings Inc. DBA Shacksbury Cider, 75 Meigs Road, Vergennes, VT 05491.

Beverage Vendor License #85731 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:15.

Requests approval of Shacksbury Cider Spritz with an alcohol content of 6.5% at 60 degrees Fahrenheit by volume pursuant to RSA 175:1, VIII.

#### DEPUTY COMMISSIONER BRASSARD JORDAN APPROVED.

e. Shacksbury Holdings Inc. DBA Shacksbury Cider, 75 Meigs Road, Vergennes, VT 05491.

Beverage Vendor License #85731 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:15.

Requests approval of specialty cider Sweater Weather with an alcohol content of 8% at 60 degrees Fahrenheit by volume pursuant to RSA 175:1, VIII, RSA 175:1, LXIV-aa and RSA 178:12, XIII.

DEPUTY COMMISSIONER BRASSARD JORDAN APPROVED.

#### 13. MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS RECOMMENDED FOR COMMISSION DENIAL:

None

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

None

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

None

#### 16. NOTIFICATION OF TOBACCO COMPLIANCE CHECKS SCHEDULED WITHIN NINETY (90) DAYS:

None

# 17. <u>ADMINISTRATIVE ACTION ON TOBACCO COMPLIANCE CHECKS RECOMMENDED FOR COMMISSION APPROVAL:</u>

None

#### 18. ADMINISTRATIVE HEARING DECISION PENDING:

a. Informational Hearing Held May 14, 2024 at 10:30 a.m. Northwood Town Hall Room in the Public Meeting Room, 818 First NH Turnpike, Northwood, NH 03261.

V.M.O. Inc. DBA Lake Shore Farm Inn, 275 Jenness Pond Road, Northwood, NH 03261.

Pending Hotel, Full Service With Lounge License #377302 pursuant to RSA 178:21, II(b)(1)/RSA 178:22, V(k).

# DEPUTY COMMISSIONER BRASSARD JORDAN ACKNOWLEDGED.

b. Hearing was held May 21, 2024:

Tower Hill Tavern, 264 Lakeside Avenue, Laconia, NH 03246.

Cocktail Lounge-Full Service Restaurant License #1369903 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:22, V(q)/ RSA 178:21, II(a)(1).

Cited for violation of RSA 179:5, I - served or sold alcoholic beverage to a patron who was

visibly intoxicated or who a reasonable and prudent person would know is intoxicated- two counts.

Date of violation: 06/11/2023 & 11/23/2023.

Case #: 23-822-OF & 23-1544-OF.

Motion to Continue filed by the licensee and granted on April 23, 2024.

# DEPUTY COMMISSIONER BRASSARD JORDAN ACKNOWLEDGED.

c. Hearing was held May 21, 2024:

Woodstock Inn Brewery, 135 Main Street, North Woodstock, NH 03262.

Beverage Manufacturer License #289318 licensed pursuant to RSA 178:12.

Requests approval of Hyper Popsicle Raspberry Hibiscus Sour Ale with an alcohol content of 4.2% at 60 degrees Fahrenheit by volume.

Recommendation for denial of this product pursuant to RSA 179:31, VII(b) as the packaging or label features illustrations that have been determined reasonably likely to induce minors to drink.

The licensee requested a hearing.

DEPUTY COMMISSIONER BRASSARD JORDAN ACKNOWLEDGED.

# 19. ADMINISTRATIVE HEARING DECISIONS:

None

#### 20. MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS FOR INFORMATION ONLY:

None