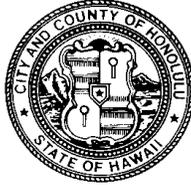


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**HEARING SYNOPSIS**

**July 25, 2019 Agenda (3<sup>rd</sup> Meeting)**

**Present: O'Donnell, Ganaban, Minn, Miyashiro, Lee**

**PUBLIC HEARING – LICENSE GRANTED**

[Comm. Ganaban moved for approval; Comm. Minn seconded; Vote 5:0]

Limon Kapolei LLC, dba Limon Rotisserie  
91-5431 Kapolei Parkway, Suite 501, Kapolei (Ka Makana Ali'i)  
Change of Category from a Restaurant General license (Category No. 1 – Standard Bar) to a Restaurant General license (Category No. 2 – Live Entertainment or Recorded Music and Dancing)

**APPROVED AT PRELIMINARY HEARING**

[Comm. Ganaban moved for approval; Comm. Minn seconded; Vote 5:0]

Fukudaya Global Works Corporation, dba Imanas Tei  
Restaurant General license (Category No. 1 – Standard Bar)  
Transfer from Yuli Corporation, dba Imanas (Tei)  
2626 South King Street, #102

Pacific Sweets, LLC, dba Red Fish Poke Bar by Foodland  
685 Auahi Street, Space No. 2-119  
Restaurant General license (Category No. 2 - Live Entertainment or Recorded Music and Dancing)

**OTHER LICENSE/APPLICATION/REQUEST GRANTED**

[Comm. Ganaban moved for approval; Comm. Minn seconded; Vote 5:0]

G.Lion Synergy Events LLC, dba G.Lion Synergy Events LLC  
1450 Ala Moana Boulevard, Suite 2015  
*Special General license on Saturdays, August 10, 2019 and August 17, 2019, from 12:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. (In-Store Sip and Shop Event)*

Kids Fit Foundation, dba Kids Fit Foundation  
49-560 Kamehameha Highway, Kaneohe (Kualoa Ranch)  
*[Non-Profit] Special Beer license on Friday, Saturday, and Sunday, August 16, 17, and 18, 2019, respectively, from 7:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. (Fundraiser)*

Free Spirits LLC, dba Free Spirits LLC  
1170 Auahi Street  
*Special General license on Friday, August 16, 2019, from 5:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m.  
(New Wave Friday event)*

Free Spirits LLC, dba Free Spirits LLC  
440 Keawe Street  
*Special General license on Saturday, August 24, 2019, from 5:00 p.m. to 12 midnight  
(Night Market event)*

Free Spirits LLC, dba Free Spirits LLC  
685 Auahi Street  
*Special General license on Saturday, August 24, 2019, from 5:00 p.m. to 12 midnight  
(Night Market event)*

VAG Inc., dba Shinpachi  
*[Stand-Alone] Temporary Restaurant Beer & Wine license (Category No. 1 – Standard Bar)  
91-1119 Keaunui Drive, Unit 2897, Ewa Beach (former site of Russo's Coal Fire Italian Kitchen)*

Duc Nguyen, Inc., dba Duc's Bistro  
*[Stand-Alone] Temporary Restaurant General license (Category No. 2 – Live Entertainment or Recorded  
Music and Dancing)  
1188 Maunakea Street (current site of Duc's Bistro)*

Murphy's Inc., dba Murphy's Bar & Grill  
Restaurant General license (Category No. 2 – Live Entertainment or Recorded Music and Dancing)  
2 Merchant Street  
*Temporarily increase its licensed premises from 5:30 p.m. to 10:00 p.m. on Wednesday, August 14, 2019  
(Annual UH Pigskin Pigout Fundraiser)*

FEC Kaimuki Partners, LLC, dba Champs  
Restaurant General license (Category No. 1 – Standard Bar), 3457 Waiialae Avenue  
*Further amend Caterer Appl. No. 16-3323 to include 27 intermittent dates from August 1, 2019 through  
September 30, 2019, from 5:15 p.m. to 9:00 p.m., subject to payment of additional fees  
(Catering to 2777 Kalakaua Avenue (Waikiki Aquarium))*  
[Comm. Ganaban moved for approval; Comm. Minn seconded;  
Vote 3:0:2; Comm. Lee and Comm. Miyashiro recused]]

### **OTHER LICENSE/APPLICATION/REQUEST CONTINUED TO AUGUST 1, 2019**

[Comm. Ganaban moved for continuance; Comm. Minn seconded; Vote 5:0]

James Lee, Esq., on behalf of Krave, LLC  
1) *Termination of Dispenser General License No. E1494 issued to The Wones LLC, dba Home Bar &  
Grill; and*  
2) *Waiver of Rule 3-82-32.1(a) requiring a temporary license be filed within five working days of the  
surrender of the previous license or closing of the business  
(Premises at 1683 Kalakaua Avenue)*

### **OTHER LICENSE/APPLICATION/REQUEST WITHDRAWN**

[Comm. Ganaban moved for withdrawal; Comm. Minn seconded; Vote 5:0]

Free Spirits LLC, dba Free Spirits LLC  
685 Auahi Street  
*Special General license on Saturday, August 17, 2019, from 5:00 p.m. to 12 midnight  
(Night Market event)*

## ADJUDICATION HEARINGS

[Comm. Minn moved to accept or amend recommended penalty; Comm. Ganaban seconded; Vote 5:0]

Haleiwa Bottle Shop LLC, dba Bonzer Front (nka Haleiwa Bottle Shop LLC)

Retail General

66-452 Kamehameha Highway Haleiwa

### Charge 1

Violation: Section 281-41(h), HRS [Licensee, without Commission approval, transferred its business to another person, either openly or under undisclosed arrangement, whereby such other person came into possession or control of the business, or took in any partner or associate]

Plea: No contest with explanation

Disposition: \$500 penalty

### Charge 2

Violation: Rule 3-82-41.2(b) [Failure to properly notify of change in managers or members]

Disposition: Dismissed by Corporation Counsel

Cheers LLC, dba The Four4

Restaurant General (Category No. 2 - Live Entertainment or Recorded Music and Dancing)

45-1117 Kamehameha Hwy., #203, Kaneohe

Violation: Section 281-41(e), HRS [Licensee, a limited liability company, failed to notify the Commission, in writing, of the name, age, and place of residence any members who were withdrawn or admitted, prior to such admission or withdrawal]  
(Note: Charge amended – not within 30 days of admission or withdrawal)

Plea: Admits allegations, with explanation

Disposition: \$500 penalty

Phuong-Xy, Inc., dba Heart Moon

Dispenser General (Categories No. 2, 3, and 4 – Nudity; Live Entertainment or Recorded Music and Dancing; and Hostess)

2334 S. King St.

### Charge 1:

Violation: Rule 3-82-38.9(a) [Failure to have a duly registered manager or assistant manager in active charge of the licensed premises]

Plea: Admits allegations, with explanation

Disposition: \$500 penalty

### Charge 2:

Violation: Rule 3-82-38.4(a) [Failed to have a time card or other adequate record showing in English the month, day, year, and time, indicating a.m. or p.m. and the legal first name and surname of its employee when that employee was on duty]

Plea: Admits allegations, with explanation

Disposition: \$250 penalty

### Charge 3:

Violation: Rule 3-82-38.3 [Licensee permitted within the licensed premises equipped with a bar, the preparation of drinks in such a manner that the same was not on the top surface of the bar and in such a manner that the customer did not have a clear and unobstructed view of the bartender's operations]

Plea: Admits allegations, with explanation

Disposition: \$250 penalty

### Charge 4:

Violation: Rule 3-82-38.2 [Failure to have current copy of Statutes and Rules of Commission on licensed premises]

Plea: Admits allegations, with explanation

Disposition: \$100 penalty

The Ferm LLC, dba Inu Island Ales  
Manufacturer Beer Only  
46-174 Kahuhipa St., #E, Kaneohe

Violation: Section 281-78(b)(2) [Licensee permitted liquor to be consumed on the premises of the licensee or on any premises connected therewith, whether there purchased or not, and consumption in such area is not permitted by the terms of the lease]

Disposition: Dismissed by Corporation Counsel

Joy Luck, Inc., dba Maunakea Liquor & Grocery  
Retail General  
1161 Maunakea Street

Violation: Rule 3-81-17.54(d) [Failed to make available for inspection and/or auditing its books and records for the last four (4) years indicating all income, purchases, expenses, and employee time records]

Plea: No contest with explanation

Disposition: \$500 penalty

Joy Luck, Inc., dba Maunakea Liquor & Grocery  
Retail General  
1161 Maunakea Street

Charge 1

Violation: Section 281-78(b)(1)(A), HRS [Sold, served or furnished intoxicating liquor to a minor, or allowed consumption of intoxicating liquor by a minor at the licensed premises]

Plea: No contest with explanation

Disposition: \$2,000 penalty (prior violation)

Charge 2

Violation: Rule 3-82-36.1 [Failed to display, within the liquor sales area of the licensed premises, a shelf price for each size of each brand of liquor sold]

Plea: No contest with explanation

Disposition: \$100 penalty

Moe & Jed Food and Spirits, LLC, dba Study Hall Sports Bar & Grill  
Dispenser General (Category No. 1 – Standard Bar)  
1019 University Ave., #1A

Violation: Rule 3-82-31.2(a) [Conducted business outside of authorized class or category]

Plea: Admits allegations, with explanation

Disposition: \$500 penalty

### **ADJUDICATION HEARINGS – CONTINUED**

[Comm. Minn moved for continuance; Comm. Ganaban seconded; Vote 5:0]

Silk Lady Lounge, Inc. (nka Misty Blue LLC), dba Silk Lady Lounge (nka Misty Blue)  
Dispenser General (Category No. 4 – Hostess)  
803 Kamehameha Hwy., Pearl City

Violation: Section 281-41(h), HRS [Licensee, without Commission approval, transferred its business to another person, either openly or under any undisclosed arrangement, whereby such other person came into possession or control of the business, or took in any partner or associate]

CONTINUED TO AUGUST 1, 2019

Choi's Café, Ltd., dba Star Sports Bar

Restaurant General (Category No. 2 - Live Entertainment or Recorded Music and Dancing)

98-020 Kamehameha Hwy., Aiea

Charge 1:

Violation: Rule 3-82-38.9(a) [Failure to have a duly registered manager or assistant manager in active charge of the licensed premises]

Charge 2:

Violation: Rule 3-82-38.4(b) [Failure to make time record entries at the time its employee(s) reported on duty and again when the employee(s) went off duty]

Charge 3:

Violation: Rule 3-82-31.4(c) [Sold liquor on the premises, which is prohibited upon the expiration of the license and until that license is renewed and issued by the Commission]

CONTINUED TO AUGUST 22, 2019 (Charges 1, 2, and 3)