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HEARING SYNOPSIS

November 21, 2019 Agenda (18th Meeting)

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

PUBLIC HEARING – LICENSE GRANTED

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

MAS Trading Inc., dba MAS Liquor & Tobacco
Retail General license
Transfer from Daum Hawaii, Inc., dba MAS Liquor and Tobacco
1726 Kapiolani Boulevard, Suite 103

APPROVED AT PRELIMINARY HEARING

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

Raintree Bakery Coffeehouse Inc., dba Raintree Bakery Coffeehouse Inc.
1110 Pensacola Street
Restaurant General license (Category No. 2 - Live Entertainment or Recorded Music and Dancing)

Krave LLC, dba Billion Pocha 1201
1683 Kalakaua Avenue
Dispenser General license (Category No. 3 - Live Entertainment or Recorded Music and Dancing)

OTHER LICENSE/APPLICATION/REQUEST GRANTED

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

Surfin Mermaid Tavern, LLC, dba Surfin Mermaid Tavern
66-197D Kamehameha Highway, Haleiwa, the current site of Kawailoa Tavern
[Stand-Alone] Temporary Restaurant General license (Category No. 1 – Standard Bar)

Food & Beverage Associates, Inc., dba Chef Mavro Restaurant
Dispenser General license (Category No. 1 – Standard Bar)
1969 South King Street
Approval of the transfer of capital stock and notification of new officer, director, and stockholder

Siam Restaurants LLC, dba Siam Paradise Restaurant and Sports Pub
Dispenser General license (Categories No. 3 and 4 - Live Entertainment or Recorded Music and Dancing;
and Hostess)
1336 Dillingham Boulevard
Approval of deletion of a member and transfer of membership interests

OTHER LICENSE/APPLICATION/REQUEST – NO ACTION BY COMMISSION REQUIRED

Liquor Commission

Re: Kawailoa Tavern LLC, dba Kawailoa Tavern, Restaurant General license (Category No. 1 – Standard Bar), 66-197 Kamehameha Highway, Haleiwa (R1345) – Six-month review of probationary period (Request to permanently increase its licensed premises was approved on May 16, 2018, with conditions; licensee placed on six-month probationary period (5/16/19 to 11/16/19))

ADJUDICATION HEARINGS

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

DDH 2 Inc., dba Dean & Deluca
Retail General
383 Kalaimoku Street

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)

KC Prime Enterprise, LLC (nka Y.U. Grocery & Liquor, Inc.), dba Tony's Liquor & Deli
Retail General

111 Sand Island Access Road, Bay 5
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]
Disposition: Default judgment; \$1,000 penalty

FEC Kaimuki Partners, LLC, dba Champs (nka Champs Hawaii Sports Bar & Restaurant)
Restaurant General (Category No. 1 – Standard Bar)
3457 Waiialae Avenue

Violation: Rule 3-83-62(a) [Physical alterations without prior written approval]
Plea: No contest with explanation
Disposition: \$750 penalty (prior)

[Comm. Minn moved to accept or amend recommended penalty; Comm. Ganaban seconded;
Vote 4:0:1, Comm. Lee recused]

FEC Kaimuki Partners, LLC, dba Champs (nka Hawaii Sports Bar & Restaurant)
Restaurant General (Category No. 1 – Standard Bar)
3457 Waialae Avenue

Charge 1

Violation: Rule 3-82-38.22(a) [Licensee was observed to not be in compliance with minimum requirements of a restaurant (class 2) license establishment]

Plea: No contest with explanation

Disposition: \$500 penalty (prior)

Charge 2

Violation: Rule 3-82-38.22(b) [Failure to meet requirement that 30 percent of its gross revenue come from food sales]

Plea: No contest with explanation

Disposition: \$500 penalty (prior)

Charge 3

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

Plea: No contest with explanation

Disposition: \$1,000 penalty (prior)

Charge 4

Violation: Section 281-91, HRS [Failure to comply with Commission Order]

Plea: No contest with explanation

Disposition: \$500 penalty

[Comm. Minn moved to accept or amend recommended penalty; Comm. Ganaban seconded;
Vote 4:0:1, Comm. Lee recused]

FEC Kaimuki Partners, LLC, dba Champs Hawaii Sports Bar & Restaurant
Restaurant General (Category No. 1 – Standard Bar)
3457 Waialae Avenue

Violation: Rule 3-82-44.2 [Licensee did display or store liquor on other than the licensed premises, other than a display at a fair, product show or similar exhibition, and other than an approved outside warehouse or storage]

Plea: No contest with explanation

Disposition: \$500 penalty

BBB LLC, dba Bacchus Waikiki

Dispenser General (Category No. 3 – Live Entertainment or Recorded Music and Dancing)

408 Lewers Street, 2nd Floor

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

Plea: denied allegations; subsequently changed plea to no contest with explanation

Disposition: \$1,000 penalty (prior)