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**Jo Ann's Lounge, Sizzler, Planet Hollywood and Just Tacos Mexican Grill & Cantina
fined for selling liquor to minors**

- Club Festival, Leslie's Place and Planet Hollywood also fined for other violations -

HONOLULU (Oct. 3, 2008) – The Honolulu Liquor Commission (HLC) took the following action at its 12th meeting of the fiscal year on Oct. 2, 2008.

- **Club Festival** (no contest) was fined \$750 for a repeat violation of Rule 3-84-78.01(b) (employee consumption of liquor while on duty) and fined \$500 for a repeat violation of Rule 3-84-78.1(c)(employee solicited or accepted food or beverage as a gift from or at the expense of a customer while on duty at the licensed premises).
- **Leslie's Place** (no contest) was fined \$500 for a repeat violation of Rule 3-84-78.01(b) (employee consumption of liquor while on duty) and fined \$100 for violation of Rule 3-84-78.1(c)(employee solicited or accepted food or beverage as a gift from or at the expense of a customer while on duty at the licensed premises).
- **Jo Ann's Lounge** (no contest) was fined \$1,000 for violation of Section 281-78(b)(1)(A), HRS (selling, serving or furnishing liquor to a minor).
- **Sizzler** (no contest) was fined \$1,000 for violation of Section 281-78(b)(1)(A), HRS (selling, serving or furnishing liquor to a minor). In addition, the Commission suspended \$500 of the fine provided that the licensee did not have similar violations within the next year.
- **Planet Hollywood** (no contest) was fined \$1,000 for violation of Section 281-78(b)(1)(A), HRS (selling, serving or furnishing liquor to a minor) and fined \$250 for violation of Rule 3-82-38.3(permitted the preparation of drinks 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).

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- **Just Tacos Mexican Grill & Cantina** (no contest) was fined \$1,000 for violation of Section 281-78(b)(1)(A), HRS (selling, serving or furnishing liquor to a minor). The Commission will waive collection of the \$1,000 penalty if the licensee applies it to the purchase of an ID scanner and submits a receipt proving purchase.

During the public hearings portion of the meeting, the Commission:

- Approved the application from **GDFT LLC** for the transfer of the business and Restaurant General license (Cat. No. 2 – Live entertainment or Recorded Music and Dancing) of **Tio's Garage & Taco LLC** (dba **Tio's – Garage and Taco Station**) at 404 Ward Ave. and for a change of trade name to **Kanpai Bar & Grill**.
- Approved the application from **H. F. Hawaii Enterprises, Inc.** (dba **Crouching Lion Inn**) for a Restaurant General license (Cat. No. 2 – Live entertainment or Recorded Music and Dancing) at 51-666 Kamehameha Hwy.).

During the license and request portion of the meeting, the Commission:

- Approved the application, subject to the licensee meeting with HLC enforcement staff regarding security, from **1128 Building, LLC** (dba **L G W**) for a Special General license on Oct. 31, 2008, Nov. 7, 2008 and Dec. 5, 2008 at 1128 Nuuanu Ave., Suite 103 (**Hawaii Institute of Hair Design**). In a related matter, the Commission continued until Nov. 13, 2008 a similar application for a Special General license on Feb. 6, 2009, Feb. 24, 2009 and March 6, 2009 until after completion of the Nov. 7, 2008 event.
- Approved the application from **QSI, Inc.** (dba **Times Super Market**) for a Temporary Retail General license at 41-1606 Kalaniana'ole Hwy., the current site of **Shimas Market Inc.**
- Approved the application from **L.Y.S. Investments, Inc.** (dba **Red Carnation**) for approval of the transfer of capital stock and notification of new officers, directors and stockholders.
- Approved the application from **William Gladstone International Marketing, Inc.** (dba **William Gladstone Imports**) for approval of the transfer of capital stock and notification of new officer and stockholder.
- Approved the request from **Jeff and Howard LLC** (dba **Cheers Station**) to make permanent deletions and alterations to the licensed premises.

During the Other Business portion of the meeting, the Commission:

- Denied a Motion from **Keith M. Kiuchi, Esq.**, on behalf of **Boulevard Bar, LLC** at 1007 Dillingham Blvd., suite 7101 and 7102, for a waiver of Rule 3-82-45.2 to allow filing of an application for a Class 11 (Cabaret) liquor license within 500 feet of an existing Class 11 licensed premises.

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- Conferred with the Liquor Administrator in executive session regarding personnel and employment matters, in accordance with HRS 92-5(a)(2).

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