

LIQUOR COMMISSION
CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU
PACIFIC PARK PLAZA
711 KAPIOLANI BOULEVARD, SUITE 600
HONOLULU, HAWAII 96813

AGENDA –THIRTY-FIRST MEETING

THURSDAY, MARCH 1, 2018
4:00 P.M.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

The regular and executive session minutes of the 35th meeting (4/6/17), as previously circulated, to be approved by the Commission.

PUBLIC HEARINGS:

1. Trans. Appl. No. 18-13044 from RCSH Operations, Inc. For the transfer of the business and Restaurant General license (Category No. 1 – Standard Bar) of Honolulu Steak House, LLC, dba Ruth's Chris Steak House, 500 Ala Moana Boulevard, Suite 6C (R1277) (Prelim. Hrg. 2/8/18)
2. Appl. No. 18-13097 from The Elephant Shack LLC, dba The Elephant Shack, 66-145 Kamehameha Highway, Unit 3-1, Haleiwa For a Dispenser General license (Category No. 3 - Live Entertainment or Recorded Music and Dancing) (Prelim. Hrg. 1/4/18)

PUBLIC HEARINGS: (CONT.)

3. Appl. No. 18-13133 from Blind Ox LLC, dba Blind Ox LLC,
3464 Waialae Avenue For a Restaurant General license
(Category No. 2 - Live Entertainment or Recorded Music and Dancing) (Prelim. Hrg. 1/4/18)
4. Appl. No. 18-13257 from Bar Services Hawaii LLC, dba Speakeasy Productions,
1154 Fort Street Mall, #206 For a Retail General license
(Prelim. Hrg. 1/4/18)

PRELIMINARY HEARINGS:

5. Trans. Appl. No. 18-13061 from HK Lucky Inc. For the transfer of the business and Dispenser General license
(Category No. 4 – Hostess) of Joyce Incorporated, dba Lucky Honu, 1414 Dillingham Boulevard, #110 / #111 (E0694)
6. Appl. No. 18-13169 from Dondoll LLC, dba Koko Chicken Plus,
75 South Kamehameha Highway, Wahiawa For a Restaurant General license
(Category No. 1 – Standard Bar)
7. Appl. No. 18-13381 from Mokupuni Restaurant & Catering LLC, dba Mokupuni Restaurant & Catering LLC,
94-1211 Kunia Road, Waipahu For a Restaurant General license
(Category No. 2 – Live Entertainment or Recorded Music and Dancing)

LICENSE APPLICATIONS:

Stock Transfer Application:

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| 8. Appl. No. 17-11818 from Peninsula Corp., dba Akasaka Restaurant, Dispenser Beer and Wine license (Category No. 1 – Standard Bar), 1646 Kona Street (E0002) | For approval of the transfer of capital stock and notification of new officer, director, and stockholder |
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REQUESTS:

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| 9. Request No. 18-13686 from Kailua Lodge No. 2230, Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks of the United States, dba Kailua Lodge No. 2230, Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks of the United States, Club General license (Category No. 1 – Standard Bar) 48 Maluniu Avenue, Kailua (F0022) | Requesting approval to conduct non-gambling Bingo events at its licensed premises |
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REQUESTS: (CONT.)

10. Request No. 18-13711
from Apple Pearl Ridge
LLC, dba Applebee's,
Special General license,
98-1005 Moanalua
Road, Unit A884, Aiea
(Pearlridge Center)

Requesting approval to extend its
Special General license for 10
additional days, from April 9,
2018 to April 18, 2018, subject to
payment of additional fees
(H1153)

(Original series of 20 applications
approved on November 2, 2017,
for a total of 60 days from
November 10, 2017 to
January 8, 2018; License
No. H1139 issued)

(Sixty additional dates, from
January 9, 2018 to March 9, 2018,
approved on January 4, 2018;
License No. H1153 issued)

(Thirty additional dates, from
March 10, 2018 to April 8, 2018,
approved on February 8, 2018;
License No. H1153 extended)

OTHER BUSINESS:

11. Liquor Commission

Re: RY-4, Inc., dba Roy's Beach
House, Restaurant General license
(Category No. 2 – Live
Entertainment or Recorded Music
and Dancing),
57-091 Kamehameha Highway,
Kahuku (R1173) -- Six-month
review of permanent extension

(Request for extension approved
on August 31, 2017, subject to a
6-month probation period)

ADOPTION OF DECISION AND ORDER:

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| 12. | 7-Eleven Stores (LCV 17-0107) (D1155) | For adoption of Decision and Order |
| 13. | A & G's Bar and Grill (LCV 17-0146) (R1146) | do. |
| 14. | Back Alley Café (LCV 17-0072) (R1028) | do. |
| 15. | Cuckoos Restaurant & Lounge (LCV 17-0145) (R0944) | do. |
| 16. | Livestock Tavern (LCV 17-0150) (R1085) | do. |
| 17. | Livestock Tavern (LCV 17-0244) (R1085) | do. |
| 18. | Livestock Tavern (LCV 17-0314) (R1085) | do. |
| 19. | Side Street Inn on Da Strip (LCV 17-0142) (R0923) | do. |
| 20. | Side Street Inn (LCV 17-0144) (E1196) | do. |

ADOPTION OF DECISION AND ORDER: (CONT.)

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| 21. Silva's Grocery & Liquor (LCV 17-0154) (D0395) | For adoption of Decision and Order |
| 22. The Skyblue Restaurant & Lounge (LCV 17-0139) (R1218) | do. |

ADJUDICATION HEARINGS:

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| 23. The Ground Floor Restaurant (LCV 17-0152) (R0729) | Licensee 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 (Violation of Rule 3-82-31.4(c)) (Date of violation: On or about July 7, 2017) |
| 24. Club You & I (nka Aqua Lounge) (LCV 17-0132) (E0374) | (1) Licensee had some form of music, dancing, and/or entertainment, including but not limited to electronic gaming devices, card playing and table games on the licensed premises, without prior authorization or approval from the Commission (Violation of Rule 3- 82-47.1(a)) (Date of violation: On or about June 15, 2017) |

ADJUDICATION HEARINGS: (CONT.)

- Club You & I
(nka Aqua Lounge)
(LCV 17-0132)
(E0374)
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- (2) Licensee employed a person in that section of the licensed premises where liquor is sold, served or consumed without said employee being properly registered with the Commission (Violation of Rule 3-82-38.5(a)) (Date of violation: On or about June 15, 2017)
25. Club 939
(LCV 17-0288)
(E0270)
- (1) Licensee permitted and/or allowed employee(s) and an unidentified male customer to engage in “lap dancing” within the licensed premises (Violation of Rule 3-82-47.1(c)) (Date of violation: On or about September 30, 2017)
- (2) Licensee employed a dancer in that section of the licensed premises where liquor is sold, served or consumed without said dancer being properly registered with the Commission (Violation of Rule 3-82-38.6(a)) (Date of violation: On or about September 30, 2017)
- (3) Licensee failed to have a current copy of the statutes relating to intoxicating liquor and the Rules of the Commission in English available on the licensed premises (Violation of Rule 3-82-38.2) (Date of violation: On or about September 30, 2017)

ADJUDICATION HEARINGS: (CONT.)

26. Genki Sushi
(LCV 17-0135)
(R0910)
- Licensee failed to have a duly registered manager in active charge of the licensed premises during the time the establishment is licensed to sell or serve liquor (Violation of Rule 3-82-38.9(a)) (Date of violation: On or about June 17, 2017)
27. Buffalo Wild Wings
(LCV 17-0157)
(R1034)
- Licensee failed to have a duly registered manager in active charge of the licensed premises during the time the establishment is licensed to sell or serve liquor (Violation of Rule 3-82-38.9(a)) (Date of violation: On or about July 15, 2017)
28. Kaneohe Yacht Club
(LCV 17-0133)
(F0008)
- Licensee failed to notify the Commission, in writing, within thirty days of any change of officers or directors and submit a personal history of the new officer or director, on forms prescribed by the Commission (Violation of Rule 3-82-41.2(b)) (Date of violation: On or prior to February 1, 2017)
29. Pinky's Pupu Bar & Grill
at Kailua
(nka Nicos LLC)
(LCV 17-0134)
(R0606)
- Licensee made physical alterations within its licensed premises without the prior written approval of the Commission (Violation of Rule 3-83-62(a)) (Date of violation: On or about March 21, 2017)

ADJUDICATION HEARINGS: (CONT.)

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| 30. Boujie (LCV 17-0153) (E1520) | Licensee failed to immediately surrender its license to the Commission upon suspension or revocation thereof, or within five (5) days after permanent closing of the business or loss of lease or bona fide premises (Violation of Rule 3-85-91.11) (Date of violation: On or about June 8, 2017) |
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OTHER BUSINESS: (CONT.)

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| 31. Liquor Commission | Administrative Actions Report for January 2018 |
| 32. Liquor Administrator | Legislative Update |
| 33. Liquor Administrator | Administrative matters – Weekly report to the Commission, 90-day event schedule and work plan coordination |

If you require special assistance, auxiliary aid and/or service to participate in this meeting (i.e., sign language interpreter; interpreter for language other than English, or wheelchair accessibility), please email your detailed request to liquor@honolulu.gov, at least five (5) business days prior to the meeting.