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HEARING SYNOPSIS

June 8, 2017 Agenda

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

PUBLIC HEARINGS – LICENSES GRANTED

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

Harmony 4 You, LLC, dba Harmony 4 You, LLC

Retail General

Transfer from A. T. Polynesian Market, LLC, dba A. T. Polynesian Market, LLC
87-1784 Farrington Highway, Suite 3, Waianae

CSH Waikiki Owner, LLC, dba CSH Waikiki Owner, LLC

2058 Kuhio Avenue

Retail General

International Restaurant Group Inc., dba Yellow Cab Pizza Co.

801 Dillingham Boulevard

Restaurant Beer and Wine (Category No. 1 – Standard Bar)

OTHER LICENSE/APPLICATION/REQUEST GRANTED

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

Free Spirits LLC, dba Free Spirits LLC

685 Auahi Street

Special General license on Saturday, June 17, 2017, from 4:30 p.m. to 10:30 p.m.

(Night Market event)

Approved renewal of applications for liquor licenses for fiscal year 2017-2018; except those licensees who/which are brought before the Commission in accordance with HRS Section 281-61, for good cause, will not have their licenses renewed

Travel Traders Hotel Stores, Inc., dba Travel Traders Hotel Stores, Inc.

92-161 Waipaha Place, Kapolei

Approved renewal of its Temporary Retail General license, extension of 120 days

Sodexo America, LLC, dba Sodexo America, LLC
Restaurant General (Category No. 2 - Live entertainment or Recorded Music and Dancing)
777 Ward Avenue
Caterer General license
Catering to 2805 Monsarrat Avenue (Waikiki Shell)
Friday, Saturday, and Sunday, June 9, 10, and 11, 2017, respectively, from 2:00 p.m. to 11:00 p.m.
(Revive the Live Music Festival)

Cotti Foods Pizza Hawaii, Inc., dba Pieology Pizzeria
Restaurant Beer and Wine (Category No. 1 – Standard Bar)
820 West Hind Drive, Space 106
Caterer General license
Catering to 151 Hekili Street, #140, Kailua
23 days from Saturday, June 10, 2017 to Monday, July 3, 2017
(New restaurant location)

Pantastico, Inc., dba Silva's Grocery & Liquor
Retail General
91-455 Ewa Beach Road, Ewa Beach
Approval for the transfer of 51 shares (51%) of capital stock from Ivy Pantastico to existing 49% stockholder Duane Pantastico

Asian Restaurant Group, Inc., dba Max's of Manila
Restaurant Beer & Wine (Category No. 1 – Standard Bar)
801 Dillingham Boulevard, Suites 1-C/D
Extension of long-term caterer license for 9 additional days, June 14, 2017 to June 22, 2017, from 10:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m.
[Catering to 801 Dillingham Boulevard]

Lanikai Brewing Company LLC, dba Lanikai Brewing Company LLC
Manufacturer Beer Only
175-C Hamakua Drive, Kailua
Approval to use specified documents, currently on file with the Commission for its Class 1 Manufacturer license, to be used in connection with:

- 1) Application for a change of class to a Class 18, Small Craft Producer Pub license; and*
- 2) Applications for Special Licenses*

Mid Pac CS, LLC, Retail Beer and Wine
dba Mako's Mart
966 California Avenue; and

dba Sand Island 76
165 Sand Island Access Road
Approval of merger

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 South King Street
Approval to renew its liquor license for fiscal year 2017-2018 (license in safekeeping)

Taylor Investment, Inc., dba Stadium Foods
Retail General
4510 Salt Lake Boulevard
Approval to renew its liquor license for fiscal year 2017-2018 (license in safekeeping)

Palate Eatery LLC, dba Palate Craft & Eatery
Restaurant General (Category No. 2 - Live Entertainment or Recorded Music and Dancing)
1121 Bethel Street
Approval to renew its liquor license for fiscal year 2017-2018 (license in safekeeping)

K & J Ventures, Inc., dba Hush Bar & Grill
Dispenser General (Category No. 4 – Hostess)
747 Queen Street
Approval to renew its liquor license for fiscal year 2017-2018 (license in safekeeping)

Keith M. Kiuchi, Esq., on behalf of Pai HNL LLC, dba Pai at Harbor Court
Approval of the following:
1) *Issuance of liquor license after a partial final inspection of its premises; and*
2) *Service of alcohol in the outdoor dining area, with the use of temporary barrier of stanchions*
(for its Restaurant General (Category No. 2 - Live entertainment or Recorded Music and Dancing) premises
at 55 Merchant Street, Suite 110 (Harbor Court, ground level)

Mr. Devon Nekoba, on behalf of Ellie's Playground Limited Liability Company, dba Scratch Kitchen and Meatery
Approval to use State and IRS Pre-tax Clearances currently on file with the Commission for License
No. R1082, Scratch Kitchen & Bake Shop
(for its Restaurant General (Category No. 2) premises at 1170 Auahi Street, Space 175 (South Shore Market)
[Comm. Ganaban. moved for approval; Comm. Minn seconded; Comm. Lee recused; Vote 4:0:1]

OTHER REQUEST - WITHDRAWN

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

Hair of the Dog LLC, dba Tropics Tap House
Dispenser General (Category No. 1 – Standard Bar)
1019 University Avenue, #1A
Requesting approval to renew its liquor license for fiscal year 2017-2018 (license in safekeeping)

ADJUDICATION HEARINGS

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

DRW, Inc., dba Treetops at Paradise Park Restaurant
Dispenser General (Category No. 1 – Standard Bar)
3737 Manoa Road
Violation: Rule 3-82-38.8 [Failure to submit employee registration list]
Plea: No Contest, with explanation
Disposition: \$350 penalty + \$250 previous suspended amount

Anheuser-Busch Sales of Hawaii, Inc., dba Anheuser-Busch Sales of Hawaii
Wholesale General
99-877 Iwaena Street, Aiea

Violation: Rule 3-82-41.2(b) [Failure to properly notify of change in officers or directors]
Plea: Written No Contest
Disposition: \$500 penalty

A & H Restaurant LLC, dba Maru-Hi Restaurant

Violation: Rule 3-83-62(a) [Physical alterations without prior written approval]
Plea: No Contest, with explanation
Disposition: \$500 penalty

D & S Enterprises LLC, dba The Mixx Bar and Grill

Dispenser General (Category No. 3 - Live entertainment or Recorded Music and Dancing)
434 Piikoi Street

Violation: Rule 3-82-38.8 [Failure to submit employee registration list]
Plea: No Contest, with explanation
Disposition: \$250 penalty

D & S Enterprises LLC, dba The Mixx Bar and Grill

Dispenser General (Category No. 3 - Live entertainment or Recorded Music and Dancing)
434 Piikoi Street

Violation: Rule 3-82-41.2(b) [Failure to properly notify of change in officers or directors]
Plea: No Contest, with explanation
Disposition: \$500 penalty (\$250 suspended; no similar violations within one year)

Ssang Liquor, Inc., dba Club Chance

Dispenser General (Category No. 4 – Hostess)
98-199 Kamehameha Highway, Aiea

Violation: Rule 3-82-38.8 [Failure to submit employee registration list]
Plea: No Contest, with explanation
Disposition: \$250 penalty

[Comm. Ganaban moved to accept penalty; Comm. Lee seconded; Comm. O'Donnell recused; Vote 4:0:1]

Ssang Liquor, Inc., dba Club Chance

Dispenser General (Category No. 4 – Hostess)
98-199 Kamehameha Highway, Aiea

Violation: Rule 3-82-47.1(a) [Some form of music, dancing, and/or entertainment without prior authorization or approval]

Plea: No Contest, with explanation
Disposition: \$250 penalty

[Comm. Ganaban moved to accept penalty; Comm. Lee seconded; Comm. O'Donnell recused; Vote 4:0:1]

Ssang Liquor, Inc., dba Club Chance

Dispenser General (Category No. 4 – Hostess)
98-199 Kamehameha Highway, Aiea

Violation: Section 281-71, HRS [Failure to conspicuously post and expose to view, convenient for inspection, its license on the licensed premises]

Plea: No Contest, with explanation
Disposition: \$100 penalty

[Comm. Ganaban moved to accept penalty; Comm. Lee seconded; Comm. O'Donnell recused; Vote 4:0:1]

Gara, Inc., dba Hawaiian Brian's Billiards

Dispenser General (Category No. 3 - Live entertainment or Recorded Music and Dancing)
1687 Kalaokalana Way

Violation: Rule 3-82-38.8 [Failure to submit employee registration list]
Plea: No Contest, with explanation
Disposition: \$250 penalty

Gara, Inc., dba Hawaiian Brian's Billiards

Dispenser General (Category No. 3 - Live entertainment or Recorded Music and Dancing)

1687 Kalaauokalana Way

Violation: Rule 3-84-78.01(b) [Employee consumed liquor while on duty on licensed premises]

Plea: No Contest, with explanation

Disposition: \$300 penalty

Gara, Inc., dba Hawaiian Brian's Billiards

Dispenser General (Category No. 3 - Live entertainment or Recorded Music and Dancing)

1687 Kalaauokalana Way

Violation: Rule 3-82-38.8 [Failure to submit employee registration list]

Plea: No Contest, with explanation

Disposition: \$250 penalty

Gara, Inc., dba Hawaiian Brian's Billiards

Dispenser General (Category No. 3 - Live entertainment or Recorded Music and Dancing)

1687 Kalaauokalana Way

Violation: Rule 3-83-62(a) [Physical alterations without prior written approval]

Plea: No Contest, with explanation

Disposition: \$500 penalty

Creekside Lounge, Inc., dba Creekside Lounge

Dispenser General (Category No. 1 – Standard Bar)

153-A Hamakua Drive, Kailua

Violation: Rule 3-82-38.8 [Failure to submit employee registration list]

Disposition: DISMISSED BY DEPUTY CORPORATION COUNSEL