

November 14, 2018

9200 Basil Court
Largo, MD 20774

THE BOARD OF LICENSE COMMISSIONERS MET IN REGULAR SESSION:

PRESENT:

Armando Camacho, Vice Chairman
Eric Bowman, Commissioner
ShaRon Grayson Kelsey, Commissioner
Kenneth Miles, Commissioner
Terence Shepherd, Director
Robert Clark, Chief Liquor Inspector
Cristian Mendoza, Deputy Chief Liquor Inspector
Derrick Anthony, Deputy Chief Liquor Inspector
Kelly Markomanolakis, Administrative Assistant
Nikole Bennett, Administrative Aide

Time: 7:01 p.m.

In the matter of Ferhat Yalcin, Owner, Keyia Yalcin, Owner, Fishnet Restaurant, LLC, **t/a Fishnet**, Class B, Beer and Wine, 6124 42nd Avenue, Hyattsville, 20781, is summonsed to show cause for an alleged violation of Section 6-304 of the Alcoholic Beverage Article of the Annotated Code of Maryland and Rule 1 of the Rules and Regulations for Prince George's County, to wit; That on September 20, 2018 at approximately 1:20 p.m., Inspectors Toles and Glenn of the Prince George's County Board of License Commissioners observed an underage operative in possession of a six (6) ounce glass of red wine provided by an agent of the licensee. The licensees failed to accept the Offer in Compromise on October 16, 2018.

Keyia Yalcin stated that they did not accept the Offer in Compromise; that she is here to request that the fine be reduced; that the current fine amount will be a hardship on their business; that the violation is in writing and has clear evidence; that she doesn't dispute it took place, but that she is requesting leniency; that they are a responsible small business and this violation took place as a result of a new employee having a large party prior to the violation and being flustered; that she understands that she came before the Board when they got their license and stated that she understands and accepts the responsibilities of a license holder; that she is responsible for her employees; that she doesn't want this to negatively impact their reputation; that they are not known for this; that she requests a reduction in the fine amount or to be given more than 90 days to pay the fine; that they have been license holders for 6 years and this is their first offense; that they will accept the fine if given additional time to pay.

Ms. Kelsey moved to accept the admission of the violation and acceptance of the fine in the amount of \$1,500.00 to be paid over the next 90 days in 3 equal payments, seconded by Mr. Miles and made unanimous by Mr. Bowman and Mr. Camacho.

Respectfully Submitted,

Nikole Bennett
Administrative Aide

Adjourned 7:11 p.m.