

REGULAR SESSION

December 7, 2022

1. **t/a Charlie's Restaurant & Liquor**, Class B+, Beer, Wine and Liquor, Charlie's One, LLC, 5711 Silver Hill Road, District Heights, 20747 – Request for a Special Sunday Sales Permit. Represented by Robert Kim, Esquire.
2. Laxmi Narendra Babu Vinnakota, Member/Authorized Person, **t/a LAX Wine & Spirits**, 11011 Baltimore Avenue Beltsville, Maryland 20705. Class B+, Beer, Wine and Liquor, is summonsed to show cause for an alleged violation of Maryland Annotated Code 2-315. Interaction between wholesaling entities and retailers, to wit; On Monday, December 20, 2021, at approximately 9:45am Agent Vince Allen of the Maryland Alcohol and Tobacco Commission witnessed Murray Kyle Francis from Republic National Distributing Company rotating wine bottles inside of the cooler in a licensed establishment. A wholesaler may not provide things of value, make a gift, or offer a gratuity to a retail dealer. Represented by Linda Carter, Esquire.
3. Jose Lazo, President, **t/a Eastern Beer, Wine & Azteca Restaurant**, 15101 Baltimore Avenue, Laurel, Maryland 20707 Class D(R), Beer and Wine, is summonsed to show cause for an alleged violation of 26-1903 a licensed holder may not provide entertainment unless authorized to do so, of the Maryland Annotated Code 26-1903 and R.R. No. 37 (E) Change in mode of operation (Having entertainment without a permit), of the Rules and Regulations for Prince George's County. To wit: that on Saturday, September 10, 2022, at approximately 10:29PM, Inspectors North, Bowden and Hamilton entered Eastern Beer, Wine & Azteca Restaurant located at 15101 Baltimore Avenue, Laurel MD 20707, and observed music being played by a disc jockey. At that time, the establishment did not possess an entertainment permit.
4. Sil Mudsi, Member-Manager, **t/a Balkonie**, 6323 Greenbelt Road, Berwyn Heights, Maryland 20740 Class B(BLX), Beer, Wine, and Liquor, is summonsed to show cause for an alleged violation of 26-1903 a licensed holder may not provide entertainment unless authorized to do so, of the Alcoholic Beverage Article of the Annotated Code of Maryland and R.R. No 37 (E) Change in mode of operation (Having entertainment without a permit), of the Rules and Regulations for Prince George's County. To wit; that on Saturday, March 4, 2022, at approximately 10:00 p.m. Inspector's North and Caraway entered, Balkonie Restaurant located at 6323 Greenbelt Road Berwyn Heights, Maryland 20740, in an undercover capacity and noticed a live band playing music and singing. At that time, the establishment did not possess an entertainment permit. As of October 26, 2022, the licensee has not paid the 3rd and 4th installments of the assessed fine, due on September 14, 2022, and October 14, 2022, totaling \$7,000 (\$6,000 plus \$1,000 late fee}.

5. German Escobar, President, Secretary, Treasurer, **t/a Chi'Bal Tequila Bar & Mexican Kitchen**, 14933 Baltimore Avenue, Laurel, Maryland 20707 Class B(BLX), Beer, Wine, and Liquor, is summonsed to show cause for an alleged violation of Section 6-311, Purchase Alcoholic Beverages from other than a Wholesaler, of the Annotated Code of Maryland, and R.R. No. 11 of the Rules and Regulations for Prince George's County. To wit; that on Tuesday, October 11, 2022, at approximately 8:50 p.m., Inspector's Clinskale and Tredway entered the Chi'Bal Tequila Bar & Mexican Kitchen, located at 14933 Baltimore Avenue, Laurel, MD 20707 to conduct an inspection. While checking the inventory, 2 cases of 750ml Stella Rosa Pink Moscato were found addressed to Laurel Wine and Spirits, inspectors requested invoices to compare against alcoholic beverages located in the establishment. Alcohol that could support the violation was confiscated as evidence.

6. Tajadeen Adubakar, Owner, **t/a Tempoo Restaurant**, 9424 Annapolis Road, Lanham, Maryland 20706 Class B, Beer, Wine, and Liquor, is summonsed to show cause for an alleged violation of Section 6-311, Purchase Alcoholic Beverages from other than a Wholesaler, of the Annotated Code of Maryland, and R.R. No. 11 of the Rules and Regulations for Prince George's County. To wit; that on Tuesday, October 11, 2022, at approximately 7:30 p.m., Inspector's Bagby, Johnson and Price entered the Tempoo Restaurant & Lounge, located at 9424 Annapolis Road, Suite B Lanham, MD 20706 to conduct an inspection. While checking the inventory, inspectors requested invoices to compare against alcoholic beverages located in the establishment. Licensee Tajudeen Abubakar provided one invoice, but it did not have any alcoholic beverages on it. Alcohol that could support the violation was confiscated as evidence. Some invoices were provided later that included some of the alcohol. Represented by Linda Carter, Esquire.

A virtual hearing will be held via Zoom at 7:00 p.m. on Wednesday, December 7, 2022. If you would like to attend, the link to the virtual hearing will be available one week prior on the BOLC's website at <http://bolc.mypgc.us> or you may email BLC@co.pg.md.us to request the link. Additional information may be obtained by contacting the Board's Office at 301-583-9980.

BOARD OF LICENSE COMMISSIONERS

Attest:
Terence Sheppard
Director
December 2, 2022