

August 12, 2020

9200 Basil Court
Largo, MD 20774

THE BOARD OF LICENSE COMMISSIONERS MET IN ADMINISTRATIVE
VOTING SESSION:

PRESENT:

Daphne Turpin Forbes, Chairman
Armando Camacho, Vice Chairman
Kenneth Miles, Commissioner
Tammie Norman, Commissioner
Tammy Sparkman, Commissioner
Jason Deloach, Esquire, Counsel
Terence Sheppard, Director
Patricia Bell, Administrative Manager
Robert Clark, Chief Liquor Inspector
Cristian Mendoza, Deputy Chief Liquor Inspector
Johnny Toles, Deputy Chief Liquor Inspector
Leonard Vauss, Administrative Assistant
Keyanna Little, Administrative Aide
Katrice James, Administrative Aide

Time: 7:00 p.m.

In the matter of **t/a Hideaway**, the Board reviewed an alleged Sale to a Minor. Mr. Camacho moved to offer a fine of \$1,500 and have an employee from the establishment attend Alcohol Awareness training in lieu of a show cause hearing, seconded by Mr. Miles and made unanimous by Ms. Sparkman, Mr. Camacho, Mr. Miles, Ms. Norman and Ms. Turpin Forbes.

In the matter of **t/a House of Cheng III**, the Board reviewed an alleged Sale to a Minor. Mr. Camacho moved to offer a fine of \$1,500 and have an employee from the establishment attend Alcohol Awareness training in lieu of a show cause hearing, seconded by Mr. Miles and made unanimous by Ms. Sparkman, Mr. Camacho, Mr. Miles, Ms. Norman and Ms. Turpin Forbes.

In the matter of **t/a T.G.I. Fridays (Capitol Center)**, the Board reviewed an alleged Sale to a Minor. Mr. Camacho moved to offer a fine of \$1,500 and have an employee from the establishment attend Alcohol Awareness training in lieu of a show cause hearing, seconded by Mr. Miles and made unanimous by Ms. Sparkman, Mr. Camacho, Mr. Miles, Ms. Norman and Ms. Turpin Forbes.

In the matter of **t/a Grace's (Bowie)**, the Board reviewed an alleged Sale to a Minor. Mr. Camacho moved to offer a fine of \$1,500 and have an employee from the establishment attend Alcohol Awareness training in lieu of a show cause hearing, seconded by Mr. Miles and made unanimous by Ms. Sparkman, Mr. Camacho, Mr. Miles, Ms. Norman and Ms. Turpin Forbes.

In the matter of **t/a Ledo's Pizza Bowie**, the Board reviewed an alleged Sale to a Minor. Mr. Camacho moved to offer a fine of \$1,500 and have an employee from the establishment attend Alcohol Awareness training in lieu of a show cause hearing, seconded by Mr. Miles and made unanimous by Ms. Sparkman, Mr. Camacho, Mr. Miles, Ms. Norman and Ms. Turpin Forbes.

In the matter of **t/a De Ranch Restaurant**, the Board reviewed an alleged Sale to a Minor. Mr. Camacho moved to schedule a show cause hearing, seconded by Mr. Miles and made unanimous by Ms. Norman, Mr. Miles, Mr. Camacho, Ms. Sparkman and Ms. Turpin Forbes.

In the matter of **t/a Mexico Lindo Restaurant of Maryland**, the Board reviewed an alleged Sale to a Minor. Mr. Camacho moved to offer a fine of \$1,500 and have an employee from the establishment attend Alcohol Awareness training in lieu of a show cause hearing, seconded by Mr. Miles and made unanimous by Ms. Sparkman, Mr. Camacho, Mr. Miles, Ms. Norman and Ms. Turpin Forbes.

In the matter of **t/a La Sirenita Restaurant**, the Board reviewed an alleged Sale to a Minor. Mr. Camacho moved to offer a fine of \$1,500 and have an employee from the establishment attend Alcohol Awareness training in lieu of a show cause hearing, seconded by Mr. Miles and made unanimous by Ms. Sparkman, Mr. Camacho, Mr. Miles, Ms. Norman and Ms. Turpin Forbes.

In the matter of **t/a Sapphires Restaurant**, the Board reviewed an alleged Sale to a Minor. Mr. Camacho moved to offer a fine of \$1,500 and have an employee from the establishment attend Alcohol Awareness training in lieu of a show cause hearing, seconded by Mr. Miles and made unanimous by Ms. Sparkman, Mr. Camacho, Mr. Miles, Ms. Norman and Ms. Turpin Forbes.

In the matter of **t/a Nuzback's Lounge and Bar**, the Board reviewed an alleged Sale to a Minor. Mr. Camacho moved to offer a fine of \$1,500 and have an employee from the establishment attend Alcohol Awareness training in lieu of a show cause hearing, seconded by Mr. Miles and

made unanimous by Ms. Sparkman, Mr. Camacho, Mr. Miles, Ms. Norman and Ms. Turpin Forbes.

In the matter of **t/a Jody's Good Mood Café**, the Board reviewed an alleged violation of having an Entertainment with no Entertainment Permit.

Mr. Camacho moved to offer a fine of \$1,500 and have an employee from the establishment attend Alcohol Awareness training in lieu of a show cause hearing, seconded by Mr. Miles and made unanimous by Ms. Sparkman, Mr. Camacho, Mr. Miles, Ms. Norman and Ms. Turpin Forbes.

In the matter of **t/a Spectrum Lounge**, the Board reviewed an alleged Entertainment violation.

Mr. Camacho moved to offer a fine of \$1,500 and have an employee from the establishment attend Alcohol Awareness training in lieu of a show cause hearing, seconded by Mr. Miles and made unanimous by Ms. Sparkman, Mr. Camacho, Mr. Miles, Ms. Norman and Ms. Turpin Forbes.

In the matter of **t/a Base Lounge & Restaurant**, the Board reviewed an alleged Entertainment violation.

Mr. Camacho moved to schedule a show cause hearing, seconded by Mr. Miles and made unanimous by Ms. Norman, Mr. Miles, Mr. Camacho, Ms. Sparkman and Ms. Turpin Forbes.

In the matter of **t/a Lax Wine Spirits & Bistro**, see letter dated May 11, 2020 and July 15, 2020 regarding a request to remove Hui Sun Chon from the license and transfer her 50% interest, to Laxmi Narendra Babu Vinnakota, increasing Mr. Vinnakota's financial interest to 100%.

Mr. Camacho moved to approve the change and financial interest, seconded by Mr. Miles and made unanimous by Ms. Sparkman, Mr. Camacho, Mr. Miles, Ms. Norman and Ms. Turpin Forbes.

In the matter of **t/a Gus's World Famous Fried Chicken**, see letter dated July 14, 2020 regarding a request to change the trade name of the business to Miss Mabel's.

Mr. Camacho moved to deny the change of the tradename, seconded by Ms. Norman and made unanimous by Ms. Sparkman, Mr. Camacho, Mr. Miles, Ms. Norman and Ms. Turpin Forbes.

In the matter of **t/a MGM National Harbor**, see letter dated July 29, 2020 regarding a request to remove Melonie Johnson as a licensee.

Mr. Camacho moved to approve to remove Melonie Johnson as a licensee, seconded by Mr. Miles and made unanimous by Ms. Sparkman, Mr. Camacho, Mr. Miles, Ms. Norman and Ms. Turpin Forbes.

In the matter of **t/a Cluckster's**, see letter date stamped July 30, 2020 regarding a request to expire the license and notification that the license will not be renewed for the 2020-2021 Renewal Period.

Mr. Camacho moved to expire the license, seconded by Mr. Miles and made unanimous by Ms. Sparkman, Mr. Camacho, Mr. Miles, Ms. Norman and Ms. Turpin Forbes.

In the matter of **t/a Fish Market**, see letter dated July 30, 2020 regarding a request to temporarily close the establishment due to a public protest.

Mr. Camacho moved to approve the temporary close the establishment, seconded by Mr. Miles and made unanimous by Ms. Sparkman, Mr. Camacho, Mr. Miles, Ms. Norman and Ms. Turpin Forbes.

In the matter of **t/a Crab & Turtle**, see letter dated August 4, 2020 regarding a request to continue the application to the September 22, 2020 Hearing.

Mr. Camacho moved to approve the to continue the application to the September 22, 2020, seconded by Mr. Miles and made unanimous by Mr. Miles, Mr. Camacho, Ms. Sparkman, Ms. Norman and Ms. Turpin Forbes.

The Board took note of the Monthly Reconciliation Report for July 2020.

The Board took note of the following scheduled meetings:

- a. August 25, 2020 @ 10:00 a.m.
- b. September 2, 2020 @ 7:00 p.m.
- c. September 9, 2020 @ 7:00 p.m.
- d. September 22, 2020 @ 10:00 a.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

Keyanna Little
Administrative Aide

Adjourned 7:40 p.m.