

**November 12, 2025
9200 Basil Court
Largo, MD 20774
Virtual Hearing**

Present:

Oretha Bridgwaters-Simms, Chair
Armando Camacho, Vice Chair
Tammie Norman, Commissioner
Tammy Sparkman, Commissioner
Dennis Smith, Commissioner
Jason DeLoach, Esquire, Counsel
Terence Sheppard, Director
Robert Clark, Chief Liquor Inspector
Leonard Vauss, Deputy Chief Liquor Inspector
Christian Mendoza, Deputy Chief Liquor Inspector
Patricia Bell, Administrative Manager
Katrice James, Administrative Aide
Keyanna Little, Administrative Aide
Ariana Posada-Mejia, Administrative Aide
Alecia Hughes, Assistant to the Director

Start Time: 7:01 p.m.

Commissioner Bridgwaters-Simms: At the Board of License Commissioners, we endeavor to be as efficient as possible in our virtual environment. Thank you for your patience. This is a public meeting subject to the Maryland Open Meetings Act so a truthful, transparent, open, and honest dialogue and record is required. As such, there are some formalities that will take place that may appear redundant but nonetheless are important and required to ensure compliance with the law.

Director Sheppard: During a typical hearing, there would be an exchange between the Board and the attorneys to exchange information as exhibits. Because this hearing is now virtual, we have implemented a 10-day rule to give those individuals here today, 10-days from today's date to add to the official record. I would ask that you email myself or the administrative staff of the BOLC. You may add information to the record long as it is information that has been discussed in this hearing.

REGULAR SESSION

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1. **t/a Live K Karaoke National Harbor**, Chris Zhu, Managing Member/Authorized Person. Located at 137 National Plaza #200, Oxon Hill, 20745. – Request for a Special Entertainment Permit. Represented by **Linda Carter, Esquire**.
Corporal Hunt of the PGPD conducted a site inspection and went over the Board's Rules and Regulations with the applicant. The security plan is adequate. The security plan will be monitored for the next three months. **There was one concern about the individual rooms and the volume of people compared to security personnel not being adequate.** **Ms. Carter** states that if more security personnel is needed, they will happily add more. **There are no changes to the application.** **Ms. Carter** states the entertainment that will be taking place is karaoke. They are set to open in about a week.
Commissioner Camacho motions to grant the Special Entertainment Permit to t/a Live K Karaoke National Harbor, seconded by **Commissioner Norman**.
After Board vote, the motion carries.
2. **t/a Collington Wine & Spirits**, Ashuta Tandon, Member-Manager. Located at 3400 Crain Highway, Bowie, 20716. – Request for a Special Sunday Sales Permit. Represented by **Kelly Kylis, Esquire**.
Ms. Kylis stated pictures, and a list have been sent to the Board to reflect the changes that were going to be made in the store. A lot of the renovations are decorative not structural.
Commissioner Camacho motions to grant the Special Sunday Sales Permit to t/a Collington Wine & Spirits, seconded by **Commissioner Norman**.
After Board vote, the motion carries.
3. **t/a Strick's Restaurant**, Giles Fletcher II, President/Vice President/Secretary/Treasurer. Located at 3211 Branch Avenue, Silver Hill, 20748. – Request for a Special Sunday Sales Permit. Represented by **Kelly Kylis, Esquire**.
Ms. Kylis informs the Board that a package has been submitted to them describing the renovations to be made.
Commissioner Camacho motions to grant the Special Sunday Sales Permit, seconded by **Commissioner Norman**.
After Board vote, the motion carries.
4. **t/a Caribe Express**, Randolph Williams, President. Located at 338 Main Street, Laurel, 20707, for non-payment of the fines related to violation of R.R. No. 75 – Special Entertainment Permit of the Rules and Regulations of Prince George's County.
Licensee does not have an attorney, acknowledges his right to an attorney and agrees to move forward without an attorney.
Inspector Larman of the BOLC testified about the incident that occurred on August 22, 2025.
Mr. Williams stated that he was not aware that he had to get a permit from the city and the county. He thought he was in the clear with just the permit from the city.

Commissioner Camacho explained that the city had a conversation with **Mr. Williams** about the permit needed from the Board of License Commissioners.

Ms. Williams spoke regarding the conversations with the city. Her goal is to ensure that the rules are followed. She explains that they are having trouble paying the mortgage and have family in Jamaica who are dependent on them. They are requesting that the fee be waived.

Commissioner Camacho motions to find t/a Caribe Express in violation of R.R. 75 assessing a fine of \$1, 500, payable in three (3) monthly installments of \$500, seconded by **Commissioner Norman**.

After Board vote, the motion carries.

5. **t/a Caribe Express**, Randolph Williams, President. Located at 338 Main Street, Laurel, 20707. – Request for a Special Entertainment Permit.

Corporal Hunt of the PGPD conducted a site inspection and went over the Board's Rules and Regulations with the applicant. The security plan is adequate.

Mr. Williams informs the Board that Entertainment is a big part of their culture. It's also an opportunity for more jobs in the city and it will boost revenue.

Commissioner Camacho motions to grant the Special Entertainment Permit to t/a Caribe Express, seconded by **Commissioner Norman**.

After Board vote, the motion carries.

6. **t/a Miss Toya's Southern Kitchen**, Shatorya Owens, CEO. Located at 14700 Baltimore Avenue, Suite 110, Laurel, 20708, for an alleged violation of Section 6-311, Purchase Alcoholic Beverage 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.

Licensee does not have an attorney, acknowledges her right to an attorney and agrees to move forward without an attorney.

Inspector Glenn of the BOLC testified about the incident that occurred on September 16, 2025.

Ms. Owens explains that there was a turnover in managers within the establishment during the time of the violation. The manager who committed the violation was terminated.

Commissioner Camacho motions to find t/a Miss Toya's Southern Kitchen in violation of R.R. 11 assessing a fine of \$3,000, seconded by **Commissioner Norman**.

After Board vote, the motion carries.

7. **t/a Orbit Beer & Shop**, Monir Hossain, President. Located at 9900 Greenbelt Road, Suite J, Lanham, 20706, for an alleged violation of Section 6-311, Purchase Alcoholic Beverage 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.

Licensee does not have an attorney, acknowledges his right to an attorney and agrees to move forward without an attorney.

Inspector Tredway of the BOLC testified about the incident that occurred on August 28, 2025.

Mr. Hossain takes full responsibility of incident. The details in Inspector Tredway's report are true and correct.

Commissioner Camacho motions to find t/a Orbit Beer & Shop in violation of R.R. 11 assessing a fine of \$1, 500, seconded by **Commissioner Norman**.

Adjourned: 8:06 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

Ariana Posada-Mejia
Administrative Aide BOLC