

August 22, 2023

9200 Basil Court
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THE BOARD OF LICENSE COMMISSIONERS MET IN ADMINISTRATIVE VOTING SESSION:

PRESENT:

Oretha Bridgwaters-Simms, Chair
Armando Camacho, Vice Chairman
Tammy Sparkman, Commissioner
Tammie Norman, Commissioner
Dennis Smith Commissioner
James Cleaver, Esquire, Counsel
Terence Sheppard, Director
Robert Clark, Chief Liquor Inspector
Johnny Toles, Deputy Chief Liquor Inspector Deputy
Cristian Mendoza, Deputy Chief Liquor Inspector
Patricia Bell, Administrative Manager
Leonard Vauss, Administrative Assistant
Keyanna Little, Administrative Aide
Katrice James, Administrative Aide
Alecia Hughes, Administrative Aide

In the matter of **t/a El Mexireno Restaurant**, the Board reviewed an alleged Sale to a minor. The Commissioners voted by unanimous consent to show cause the establishment.

In the matter of **t/a, Aroma Ultra Lounge**, nonpayment of violation issued by the Board on April 12, 2023. The second payment plan of \$4,375 was due on June 12, 2023, and the third payment plan of \$4,375 was due on July 12, 2023. A \$500 late fee has been added to both payments, since then increasing the violation payment to \$9,750.

The Commissioners voted by unanimous consent to show cause the establishment.

Payment Plan	Violation Amount	Late Fee	Total Payment Amount	Amount Paid
First Payment	\$4375	\$500	\$4875	Paid
Second Payment	\$4375	\$500	\$4875	Not Paid
Third Payment	\$4375	\$500	\$4875	Not Paid

Rules and Regulations

- a. Review of R.R. No. 61 – BLX
- b. Review of R.R. No. 62 – Hotel Licenses
- c. Review of R.R. No. 63 – Class B-BCE-BWL, Catering License (On Sale Only)
- d. Review of R.R. No. 87 - Fines

The Commissioners will review Rule and Regulations 61, 62, 63, and 87 for the next hearing.

In the matter of Discussion of Entertainment Renewal Extension.

The director will wait a least a week or so to see if we will need additional time need to an Entertainment Renewal Extension is needed.

In the matter of Standard Operating Procedure (SOP) – Fine Review.

The Commissioners will review the SOP for the next hearing.

In the matter of **t/a PartyHQ**, discussion if the establishment still needs to appear before the Board regarding the violation payment and late fee. The violation payment and late fee was received by the office on August 16, 2023.

The Commissioners voted by unanimous consent to dismiss the show cause.

In the matter of **t/a Acapulco Spirit Restaurant**, see letter dated August 14, 2023, regarding a request to expand the premises to cover the new addition space. Additionally, the establishment plans to complete the renovations needed for the new addition space and is expected to be completed by September 5, 2023. An updated copy of the Use & Occupancy permit will be provided once it is issued. The Commissioners voted by unanimous consent to allow the expansion.

The Commissioners voted by unanimous consent to approve the minutes from Regular Session August 9, 2023, and Administrative Voting Session August 9, 2023.

Scheduled Meetings

- a. September 6, 2023 @ 7:00 p.m.
- b. September 26, 2023 @ 10:00 a.m.
- c. October 4, 2023 @ 7:00 p.m.
- d. October 11, 2023 @ 7:00 p.m.
- e. October 24, 2023 @ 10:00 a.m.