



City of Memphis

Alcohol Commission Meeting Minutes

January 4, 2023

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- I. **Call to Order** – The regularly scheduled meeting of the Alcohol Commission was called to order at approximately 9:08 a.m. by Sergeant-at-Arms Officer Gerald Lake.
- II. **Roll Call** – The following Commissioners were present: Claudette Boyd, Chad Hampton, Jared Johnson, Brian Harris, Barry Chase, and Johnsie Wallace Gault. The following Commissioners were not present: Charles Monger II, Renee Poe and Anna Vergos Blair.
- III. **Approval of the minutes from the previous meeting (December 21, 2022)** – The minutes from the previous meeting were distributed electronically prior to today’s meeting. *Commissioner Chase moved to approve the minutes from the previous meeting. Commissioner Hampton seconded. The motion passed.*
- IV. **Special Beer Applicant(s)**
1. Jared Bulluck – 3050 Central Avenue – “Science of Beer”
Date(s): January 13, 2023
Time: 6:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.
Rain Date: N/A
Sponsoring Organization: MoSH Memphis
Purpose of funds: Charitable; 25 booth(s)
Mr. Bulluck was present. Upon routine questioning by the commissioners about the alcoholic beverage laws, *Commissioner Chase moved to approve the special beer application. Commissioner Harris seconded. The motion passed.* The special beer permit was issued to the applicant.
(Account #T11926)
- V. **Violations:**
- The following location(s) is in violation of A C Rule C4x2, C5, D4 (WITH) priors:**
2. Moriom Khatun, Mahfuza Khatun, Rubina Akther, Mohammed Khalilullah & MD Masude Hasan – 2785 Park Avenue – BD Express, LLC – dba – “BD Express” – Citation(s) #920583, OS413695, OS413694
Date of Violation(s): August 15, 2022
Date Permit Approved: August 16, 2017
Prior Violation(s): March 01, 2019 (C5)
Officer(s): Scott #11978, Murden #12150
No one appeared. *Commissioner Chase moved to indefinitely suspend the beer permit. Commissioner Harris seconded. The motion passed.*
(Account #T14360)

The following location(s) is in violation of A C Rule C5, D4 (WITH) priors:

3. Sohel Rana, MD Nazrul Alam, MD Masud Alam & Mofazzal Hossain – 4544 Stage Road – Food N Fuel Market, LLC– dba – “Food N Fuel Mart” – Citation(s) #920517
Date of Violation(s): August 8, 2022
Date Permit Approved: September 18, 2019
Prior Violation(s): September 8, 2021 (C4, C5, D4)
Officer(s): Grandberry #1978, Murden #12150
Mr. MD Nazrul Alam was present and stipulated to the charge. *Commissioner Boyd moved to fine the location \$750.00 along with 60 days probation or a 30 day suspension of their beer permit. Commissioner Chase seconded. The motion passed.* Mr. Nazrul Alam agreed to the fine and probation.
(Account #T21622)

The following location(s) is in violation of A C Rule C4 (WITH) priors:

4. Hazem Shoman & Peter Shehata – 1369 Sycamore View Road – EGY Management III, Inc. – dba – “Exxon” – Citation(s) #OS419470
Date of Violation(s): September 8, 2021
Date Permit Approved: June 30, 2012
**Prior Violation(s): September 8, 2021 (C4, C5)
January 26, 2019 (C4, C5, D4)**
Officer(s): Harvell #12125, Ward #0502, Martin #0410
Mr. Ramy Samy (POA) was present and stipulated to the charge. *Commissioner Boyd moved to fine the location \$300.00 along with 60 days probation or a 30 day suspension of their beer permit. Commissioner Hampton seconded. The motion passed.* Mr. Ramy Samy agreed to the fine and probation.
(Account #BR4396)

The following location(s) is in violation of A C Rule C4, C1 (WITH) priors:

5. Asmaul Alam, Fatima Howlader, Khairun Hira, Kohimoor Begum & Mohammad Islam – 2115 Sycamore View Road – Fairy Enterprise, Inc. – dba – “Shell Food Mart” – Citation(s) #OS419474
Date of Violation(s): August 11, 2022
Date Permit Approved: September 18, 2013
Prior Violation(s): January 26, 2019 (C5, D4)
Officer(s): Ward #0502, Wiley #14519
Ms. Khairun Hira was present and stipulated to the charge. *Commissioner Boyd moved to fine the location \$400.00 along 60 days probation or a 30 day suspension of their beer permit. Commissioner Hampton seconded. The motion passed.* Ms. Hira agreed to the fine and probation.
(Account #T9147)

The following location(s) is in violation of A C Rule D4, C15 (WITH) priors:

6. Mulu Ayele – 3118 Chelsea Avenue – dba – “Sally Grocery” – Citation(s) #969372, 207754
Date of Violation(s): April 27, 2022
Date Permit Approved: November 19, 2014
Prior Violation(s): July 9, 2021 (C4, C5, D4)
Officer(s): Ward #0502, Houston #2877

Ms. Mulu Ayele was present and stipulated to the charge. *Commissioner Boyd moved to fine the location \$1,000.00 along 60 days probation or a 30 day suspension of their beer permit. Commissioner Wallace Gault seconded. The motion passed.*
(Account #T3120)

The following location(s) is in violation of A C Rule C4 x2, C5, D4 (NO) priors:

7. Hazem M. Shoman – 2338 Appling Road – EGY Management VI, Inc. – dba – “Shell Star 24” – Citation(s) #920516, OS413692
Date of Violation(s): August 11, 2022
Date Permit Approved: December 21, 2016
Officer(s): Scott #11978, Murden #12150
Mr. Ramy Samy (POA) was present and stipulated to the charge. *Commissioner Boyd moved to fine the location \$700.00 along with 60 days probation or a 30 day suspension of their beer permit. Commissioner Wallace Gault seconded. The motion passed.* Mr. Ramy Samy agreed to the fine and probation.
(Account #T1746)

The following location(s) is in violation of A C Rule C4, C5, D4 (NO) priors:

8. Noorallah Dharani & Zohra Ali – 3950 Raleigh Millington – Kash & Cash Enterprise, LLC– dba – “Kash Express” – Citation(s) #919925, OS419472
Date of Violation(s): August 8, 2022
Date Permit Approved: December 28, 2016
Officer(s): Martin #0410, Wiley #14519, Ward #0502
Mr. Korime Harani was present. *Commissioner Chase moved to continue the location to the January 18, 2023 A C meeting. Commissioner Wallace Gault seconded. The motion passed.*
(Account #T4682)

The following location(s) is in violation of A C Rule C5, D4 (NO) priors:

9. Wael Moustafa – 4103 Egypt Central Road – Raleigh Quick Stop Inc. – dba – “Raleigh Quick Stop 1” – Citation(s) #919924
Date of Violation(s): August 8, 2022
Date Permit Approved: December 1, 2021
Officer(s): Martin #0410, Wiley #14519, #Ward 0502
Mr. Wael Moustafa was present and stipulated to the charge. *Commissioner Boyd moved to fine the location \$500.00 along with 60 days probation or a 30 day suspension of their beer permit. Commissioner Wallace Gault seconded. The motion passed.* Mr. Moustafa agreed to the fine and probation.
(Account #T26709)

The following location(s) is in violation of A C Rule C5 (NO) priors:

10. Mohammad Kalim, Phani Atluri, Mohammad Howlader & Hari Vankadara – 3210 Hickory Hill Road – HPRK Enterprise, LLC – dba – “Hickory Food Mart” – Citation(s) #969101
Indefinitely Suspended/Lift Indefinite Suspension
Date of Violation(s): August 2, 2022
Date Permit Approved: February 2, 2021
Officer(s): Wiley #14519, Grandberry #1978
Continued from December 21, 2022 A C meeting

Mr. Mohammad Kalim and Attorney Jim Curry were present. *Commissioner Hampton moved to lift the indefinite suspension. Commissioner Wallace Gault seconded. The motion passed.* Mr. Kalim stipulated to the charge. *Commissioner Boyd moved to fine the location \$500.00 along with 60 days probation or a 30 day suspension of their beer permit. Commissioner Wallace Gault seconded. The motion passed.* Mr. Kalim agreed to the fine and probation.
(Account #T24633)

The following location(s) is in violation of A C Rule C4x2(NO) priors:

11. MD Ullaha, Muhammad Waheduzzaman & Amanullah Sajwani – 1974 Whitten Road – Reliable Food and Fuel, Inc. – dba – “Kangaroo Express” – Citation(s) #OS419476
Date of Violation(s): August 11, 2022
Date Permit Approved: August 19, 2020
Officer(s): Wiley #14519, Ward #0502
Mr. Kalem was present. *Commissioner Chase moved to continue the location to the January 18, 2023 A C meeting. Commissioner Hampton seconded. The motion passed.*
(Account #T24424)

The following location(s) is in violation of A C Rule C4 (NO) priors:

12. Aamran Jaber – 3501 Ramill Road – Jaber, Inc. – dba – “Raleigh Discount Tobacco” – Citation(s) # OS-419471
Date of Violation(s): August 8, 2022
Date Permit Approved: December 19, 2007
Officer(s): Wiley #14519, Ward #0502
Attorney Jim Curry was present and stipulated to the charge. *Commissioner Boyd moved to fine the location \$100.00 along with 60 days probation or a 30 day suspension of their beer permit. Commissioner Wallace Gault seconded. The motion passed.* Attorney Jim Curry agreed to the fine and probation.
(Account #BR3428)
13. Abdi Umar & Fadl Al-Thaibani – 1559 Sycamore View Road – Abdi Fadl, LLC – dba – “Stop & Shop Mini Mart” – Citation(s) #OS-419469
Date of Violation(s): August 4, 2022
Date Permit Approved: May 15, 2019
Officer(s): Wiley #14519, Harvell #12125
Continued from December 21, 2022 A C meeting
No one appeared. *Commissioner Hampton moved to indefinitely suspend the beer permit. Commissioner Wallace Gault seconded. The motion passed.*
(Account #T21201)

The following location(s) is in violation of A C Rule C1 (NO) priors:

14. Amin Meghani & Suthakar Mahalingam – 2100 Sycamore View Road – Sycamore View, Inc. – dba – “Sycamore View, Inc.” – Citation(s) #OS413690
Date of Violation(s): August 11, 2022
Date Permit Approved: March 2, 2022
Officer(s): Murden #12150, Scott #11978
General Manager Mr. Sajwani and Attorney Jim Curry were present and stipulated to the charge. *Commissioner Boyd moved to fine the location \$100.00 along with 60 days probation*

or a 30 day suspension of their beer permit. Commissioner Wallace Gault seconded. The motion passed. Mr. Sajwani agreed to the fine and probation.
(Account #T26725)

The following location(s) is in violation of A C Rule C1 (NO) priors:

15. Ghasan Jaber – 3546 Ridgemont Road – dba – “Raleigh Quick Stop” – Citation(s) #919924
Date of Violation(s): August 8, 2022
Date Permit Approved: January 5, 2022
Officer(s): Wiley #14519, Ward #0502
Mr. Jaber was present and stipulated to the charge. *Commissioner Boyd moved to fine the location \$100.00 along with 60 days probation or a 30 day suspension of their beer permit. Commissioner Wallace Gault seconded. The motion passed.* Mr. Jaber agreed to the fine and probation.
(Account #T26853)

VI. The Following Person(s) has Applied to Sell Beer for “ON” Premise Consumption:

16. Dharam Rampersad (District Manager) – 1260 North Germantown Parkway – Brinker OpCo, LLC – dba – “Chili’s Grill & Bar #0889”
Mr. Rampersad was present. Upon routine questioning by the commissioners about the alcoholic beverage laws, *Commissioner Chase moved to approve the beer permit application. Commissioner Wallace Gault seconded. The motion passed.*
(Account #T28505)
17. Shai Simpson (General Manager) – 995 Early Maxwell Blvd. – Ovations Food Services, LP – dba – “OVG Hospitality”
Mr. Simpson was present. Upon routine questioning by the commissioners about the alcoholic beverage laws, *Commissioner Chase moved to approve the beer permit application. Commissioner Wallace Gault seconded. The motion passed.*
(Account #T29148)
18. Tyler Stewart (General Manager) – 2800 New Brunswick Road – AHTRST Concessions, LLC – dba – “Springhill Suites Memphis East”
Mr. Stewart was present. Upon routine questioning by the commissioners about the alcoholic beverage laws, *Commissioner Harris moved to approve the beer permit application. Commissioner Wallace Gault seconded. The motion passed.*
(Account #T29002)

VII. The Following Person(s) has Applied to Sell Beer for “OFF” Premise Consumption:

19. Rafat Morshid & Hannah Majed – 1473 Corning Street – Malcolm X, LLC – dba – “Malcolm X”
Mr. Morshid was present. Upon routine questioning by the commissioners about the alcoholic beverage laws, *Commissioner Harris moved to approve the beer permit application. Commissioner Wallace Gault seconded. The motion passed.*
(Account #T27242)
20. Stacia Evans – 2830 Old Austin Peay Highway, Suite 9 – Raleigh Community Market, LLC – dba – “Raleigh Community Market”

Ms. Evans was present. Upon routine questioning by the commissioners about the alcoholic beverage laws, *Commissioner Harris moved to approve the beer permit application. Commissioner Wallace Gault seconded. The motion passed.*
(Account #T29142)

VIII. Brewery /w Tasting Room:

21. Michael Sadler & Robert Simms – 715 West Brookhaven Circle – Hook Point Brewing, LLC – dba – “Hook Point Brewing Company”

Michael Sadler was present. Upon routine questioning by the commissioners about the alcoholic beverage laws, *Commissioner Harris moved to approve the beer permit application. Commissioner Wallace Gault seconded. The motion passed.*
(Account #T29149)


22. Andrew Barton & Andrew Ashby – 435 Madison Avenue – Memphis Made Brewery Company, LLC – dba – “Memphis Made Brewery Company”

Andrew Ashby was present. Upon routine questioning by the commissioners about the alcoholic beverage laws, *Commissioner Harris moved to approve the beer permit application. Commissioner Wallace Gault seconded. The motion passed.*
(Account #T29145)

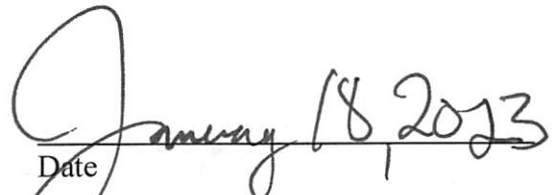
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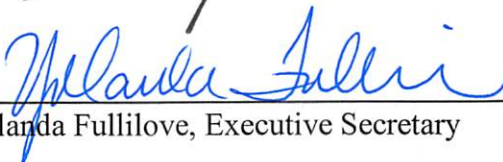
XI. Adjournment – There being no further business to come before the commission, *Commissioner Hampton moved for adjournment at approximately 10:22 a.m. Commissioner Wallace Gault seconded. The motion passed.*



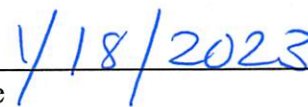
Jared Johnson, Chairman



Date



Yolanda Fullilove, Executive Secretary



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