MINUTES LICENSE COMMISSION MEETING DECEMBER 16, 2015

A REGULAR MEETING OF THE Revere License Commission was called to order by Chairman Joseph W. Quarantello, Jr. at 3:00 p.m. on December 16, 2015. Commissioner Linda Guinasso, Commissioner John M. LaCroix, Police Lt. Sean Randall, Liaison with the Revere License Commission, and Maggie Haney, Recording Secretary, present.

HEARING

Taqueria Eucalipto II Corp. d/b/a **Las Vegas Restaurant** 107 Shirley Ave Raul Santos, Manager

<u>Hearing</u>: Hearing regarding Taqueria Eucalipto II Corp. d/b/a Las Vegas Restaurant, Raul Santos, Manager, concerning regular late-night disturbances requiring police intervention, including several reported assaults.

Raul Santos and Sandra Sanchez appeared for the hearing, represented by Attorney Cory Rhoades. He began by detailing the measures his clients proposed to improve matters. These were to include: no admitting patrons after 1 a.m.; last call at 1:15 (rather than 1:30); lights and music off at 1:30 (rather than 1:45); hiring an additional security guard; and having security outside at closing time to aid in dispersing patrons from the area.

The Commission then heard testimony from Revere Police Sgt. Patricia Carey. Patrolling officers frequently see a crowd of patrons milling about the premises after closing, waiting for their Uber or other rides to arrive, which tends to generate a lot of the noise. The police have also observed more signs of intoxicated patrons from this establishment than from neighboring businesses. Despite this, the police feel that the Las Vegas Restaurant is improving. The establishment is working to improve relations with police: they are more apt to call if there are any disturbances, and their security will flag down patrolling officers to let them know if they have a crowd that looks problematical. The restaurant is also doing a better job of denying entry or service to intoxicated people.

Councillor Ira Novoselsky then spoke regarding the establishment. He has received many complaints from neighbors around closing time that people would be arguing outside, urinating on the sidewalk and generally creating a disturbance. There is elderly housing nearby, and the residents have been greatly annoyed. Councillor Novoselsky pointed out that this establishment was originally intended to be a small restaurant, not a bar or nightclub, which is what it seems to have become. He also remarked on the disparity between this establishment and neighboring quieter establishments.

Chairman Quarantello asked Attorney Rhoades how late the establishment was serving food, as the Commission had concerns that the establishment was becoming more a bar than a restaurant. He also asked why such a small establishment is generating so many problems, more than other establishments in the area, noting the many times this establishment had been before the Commission in his tenure. Attorney Rhoades suggested that the establishment was suffering to some degree from their popularity, and observed that many issues seemed to arise from management doing the correct thing, in turning away and/or refusing to serve intoxicated patrons. His clients are eager to prevent future problems, and will develop additional procedures, and suggested hiring a police detail rather than an extra security guard. The kitchen closes at midnight, and there is a full dinner menu.

The Commission held grave concerns, which they discussed. Upon a motion duly made by Chairman Quarantello, and seconded by Commissioner LaCroix, it was VOTED to continue the matter in February, during which time, the establishment would do the following:

- Cease music at 1 a.m.
- Engage a police detail every Saturday and Sunday night from 10:30 p.m. 2:30 a.m.
 - Implement their suggested measures -
 - No patrons admitted after 1 a.m.
 - Last call at 1:15 a.m.
 - Lights on at 1:30 a.m.
 - Three security personnel for closing, who will stay until 2:30 and take an active role in dispersing patrons from the area at closing time, and monitor the Shirley Avenue/Walnut Avenue intersection
- Before the February meeting, provide the Commission with a written letter detailing all measures taken by the establishment

Should there be any incidents in the interim period, the Commission will convene an emergency meeting to make a final judgment on the matter.

LICENSE RENEWALS FOR 2016

Package Store – All Alcohol

Enterprise Liquor Store, Inc. d/b/a **Woody's Liquors**, 266 Broadway **Land of Liquor, Inc.**, 1164 North Shore Road Dairy Mart Liquor, Inc., d/b/a **Dairy Mart Liquor**, 160 Squire Road P & M Liquors, LLC d/b/a **State Road Liquors & Food Market**, 116 State Road Shuban, Inc. d/b/a **Parkway Convenience**, 190A Revere Beach Parkway

Package Store – Wine & Malt

Prezioso Enterprises, Inc. d/b/a **Vinny's Food Market**, 296 Malden Street Vipul Patel d/b/a **7-Eleven**, 1120 North Shore Road A.L. Prime Energy Consultant, Inc., 655 Revere Beach Parkway

<u>Restaurant – All Alcohol</u>

NAI Entertainment Holdings, LLC d/b/a Showcase Cinema Revere Chatter's Bar, 565 Squire Road Boulevard Café Corp. d/b/a Sammy's Patio, 63 Revere Beach Boulevard KST Corporation d/b/a Bill Ash's Lounge, 78 Revere Beach Boulevard Four Partners, Inc. d/b/a Antonia's at the Beach, 492 Revere Beach Boulevard 388 Broadway, LLC d/b/a Volare, 388 Broadway Twin Corp. d/b/a Margaritas & Martinis Food & Spirits, 488-490 Broadway Burbank, Inc. d/b/a Full Rack Smoke House, 297-99 Lee Burbank Highway Casa Lucia, LLC d/b/a Casa Lucia, 61 Lucia Avenue Lobster Cabin, Inc. d/b/a Mirage Restaurant, 220 Lynnway DeMaino's Restaurant, Inc., 14-16 Malden Street Wonderland Entertainment, LLC d/b/a Wonderland, 1290 North Shore Road Uno Restaurants, LLC d/b/a Uno Chicago Grill, 210 Squire Road RK & E Corp. d/b/a BK's Bar & Grill, 264 Ocean Avenue Revere Restaurant Group, Inc. d/b/a Tio Juan's Margaritas Mexican Restaurant, 85 American Legion Highway William J. Chamness d/b/a Chamness Bar & Grill, 113 Shirley Avenue MFRP Corporation d/b/a The Squire, 604 Squire Road 99 West, LLC d/b/a 99 Restaurant & Pub, 151 VFW Parkway The Dining Room, Inc. d/b/a Sebastian's Restaurant, 733 Broadway, Unit 1 Woo Gee, Inc. d/b/a Peter Woo's 374 Broadway David Lightbody d/b/a The Boulevard Bar & Grill, 320 Revere Beach Boulevard Cafeteria Las Delicias Colombianas, Inc., 86 Shirley Avenue Taqueria Eucalipto II Corporation d/b/a Las Vegas Restaurant, 107 Shirley Avenue Off The Boat, Inc. d/b/a D'Amelio's Off The Boat Restaurant, 304-305 Revere Street White Label, LLC d/b/a Easy Pie, 649 Squire Road Eddie Mac's Lounge, Inc. d/b/a Atlantic Lounge, 377 Revere Beach Boulevard

<u>Club – All Alcohol</u>

Revere Lodge Loyal Order of Moose #1272, 470 Broadway **Point of Pines Yacht Club, Inc.**, 28 Rice Avenue **Broad Sound Tuna Club, Inc.**, 567 North Shore Road **Patriot Civic Club, Inc.**, 93 Patriot Parkway

<u>Veterans' Club – All Alcohol</u> Beachmont V.F.W. Post #6712, Inc., 150 Bennington Street American Legion Post #61, 249 Broadway

Restaurant - Wine & Malt

Salomon Ramos Corp. d/b/a **Café Costa del Sol**, 366 Broadway La Fonda Americana, Inc. d/b/a **La Fonda Paisa**, 46 Revere Street Yutaka, Inc. d/b/a **Yutaka Fine Asian Cuisine**, 339 Squire Road RDG Martone, Inc. d/b/a **Figaro's**, 425 Revere Beach Boulevard Maekha Thai, LLC d/b/a **Maekha Thai Restaurant**, 163 Squire Road – with cordials permit

<u>General On-Premises – All Alcohol</u> The Sons of Revere, LLC, 8 Revere Street

<u>Innholder – All Alcohol</u> Bisuteki Japanese Steakhouse d/b/a **Bisuteki Steakhouse**, 407 Squire Road Boston Hospitality SPVEF, LLC d/b/a **Hampton Inn Revere**, 230 Lee Burbank Highway

Automatic Amusement Device

NAI Entertainment Holdings, LLC d/b/a **Showcase Cinemas Revere**, 565 Squire Road – 7 devices **The Sons of Revere, LLC**, 8 Revere Street – 5 devices Twin Corp. d/b/a **Margaritas & Martinis Food & Spirits**, 488 Broadway – 4 devices Boulevard Café Corp. d/b/a **Sammy's Patio**, 63 Revere Beach Boulevard – 5 devices

Pool Table

Boulevard Café Corp. d/b/a Sammy's Patio, 63 Revere Beach Boulevard – 1 table

Hotel/Inn/Motel

Logan Hospitality Associates, LLC d/b/a **Four Points by Sheraton Boston Logan Airport**, 407 Squire Road Bell Circle Assoc. d/b/a **Comfort Inn & Suites**, 85 American Legion Highway

Lodging House

RHouse2, LLC, 675 Beach Street RHouse1, LLC, 72 Dehon Street

Parking Lot

Bell Circle Assoc. d/b/a **Comfort Inn & Suites**, 85 American Legion Highway DTG Operations, Inc. d/b/a **Thrifty Car Rental**, 40 Lee Burbank Highway

Secondhand Dealer

Andrew Sica d/b/a **Suffolk Pawn**, 333 Lee Burbank Highway Nyan Corp. d/b/a **Cash Point**, 7C Everett Street

Pawnbroker

Andrew Sica d/b/a **Suffolk Pawn**, 333 Lee Burbank Highway

Motor Vehicle Sales – Class 2 Espo Enterprises, Inc., 22R Whitin Avenue Extension Sena Motors, Inc., 120 Squire Road Miguel Gonzalez d/b/a La Joya Auto Sales & Service, 1420 North Shore Road John Sica d/b/a Commonwealth Auto Sales, 335 Lee Burbank Highway Circle Associates, Inc. d/b/a Circle Auto & Truck, 440 American Legion Highway Charlie's Auto Exchange, Inc., 655 North Shore Road Bob's Auto Body Services, Ltd., 1456 North Shore Road Avetis John Nakashian d/b/a European Exotic Auto Sales, 787 North Shore Road Touriya Aitelhadj d/b/a Wonderland Auto, 1176 North Shore Road Serop Rob Nakashian d/b/a Beach Motors Auto Sales, 787B North Shore Road 1A Corporate Auto Sales & Leasing II, Inc., 275 Lee Burbank Highway

Common Victualler

NAI Entertainment Holdings, LLC d/b/a Showcase Cinemas Revere, 565 Squire Road Maksim Xhengo d/b/a Mak's Roast Beef & Pizza, 35 Revere Street Dimino Brothers Restaurant d/b/a Dimino's Subs, 190 Revere Beach Parkway DeMaria, Inc. d/b/a Honey Dew Donuts, 304 Squire Road Tori, LLC d/b/a Dunkin Donuts, 477 Beach Street Mustafa Elbach d/b/a El Madina, 148 Squire Road DeMaria, Inc. d/b/a Honey Dew Donuts, 520 Broadway KNC Management, Inc. d/b/a IHOP Revere, 105 Squire Road Trifecta Donuts, LLC d/b/a Dunkin Donuts, 41 Lee Burbank Highway Courtyard Donuts, Inc. d/b/a Dunkin Donuts, 555 North Shore Road Courtyard Donuts, Inc. d/b/a Dunkin Donuts, 90 American Legion Highway Calixto, Inc. d/b/a Bridge Pizzeria, 800 Washington Avenue Lu Jac Corp. d/b/a Dunkin Donuts, 338 Squire Road Northgate Partners, LLC d/b/a Joe's Market, 338 Squire Road Queen Associates, Inc. d/b/a Twist & Shake, 82 Revere Beach Boulevard Justin Donuts, Inc. d/b/a Dunkin Donuts, 345 Bennett Highway Vincent M. Lauretano d/b/a Pizza Kitchen, 76 Revere Beach Boulevard N. Pizza, Inc. d/b/a Nonni's Pizza, 750 Washington Avenue RBJ Donut Co., Inc. d/b/a Dunkin Donuts, 300 Ocean Avenue Bob's Pizza d/b/a Bianchi's Pizza, 322 Revere Beach Boulevard The Stop & Shop Supermarket Company, LLC d/b/a Stop & Shop Supermarket #011, 40 Furlong Drive The Stop & Shop Supermarket Company, LLC d/b/a Stop & Shop Supermarket #043, 540 Squire Road S&S Donuts, LLC d/b/a Dunkin Donuts, 145 Broadway Salvi's Donuts, LLC d/b/a Dunkin Donuts, 35 Squire Road Salvi's Donuts, LLC d/b/a Dunkin Donuts, 30 Squire Road Kell's Kreme, Inc., 437 Revere Beach Boulevard

Bagel Bin, Inc., 207 Shirley Avenue
Bell Circle Associates d/b/a Comfort Inn & Suites, 85 American Legion Highway
RMG Donuts, LLC d/b/a Dunkin Donuts, 1 Bennington Street
The Wendy's Company d/b/a Wendy's, 42 Furlong Drive
Mehrun Islam d/b/a 7-Eleven #34393, 127 Broadway
TFS Newco, LLC d/b/a Tedeschi Food Shops #37401, 191-193 Shirley Avenue
TFS Newco, LLC d/b/a Tedeschi Food Shops #37432, 72 Squire Road
Jing's Revere, Inc. d/b/a Jing's Garden, 163 Squire Road
Diya, LLC d/b/a Subway, 339 Squire Road
Happy Garden Revere, Inc. d/b/a Happy Garden, 80 Revere Beach Boulevard
Dairy Mart Liquor, Inc., 160 Squire Road

Entertainment

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LATE RENEWAL APPLICATIONS:

Package Store – Wine & Malt Gasco Oil, Inc. d/b/a Gasco, 520 Broadway

<u>Restaurant – All Alcohol</u> Patsy, Inc. d/b/a **Renzo Brick Oven Pizzeria**, 381 Revere Beach Boulevard

Common Victualler New Deal Fruit, Inc., 920 Broadway Target Corporation d/b/a Target Store T-1942, 36 Furlong Drive Seak Ly Kong d/b/a Thmor Da Restaurant, 144 Shirley Avenue Marco Aurelio Leal d/b/a Café Necco, 135 American Legion Highway Antonella's, Inc., 744 Broadway

<u>Motor Vehicle Sales – Class 1</u> The Bikers Outfitter, Inc., 1039 Broadway

Motor Vehicle Sales – Class 2 Circle Auto Gallery, Inc., 400 Beach Street Master Auto Sales, Inc., 1027 Broadway Emanuele Gulino d/b/a Gulino's Auto, 1062 Broadway Kevin Auto Sales, LLC, 1087R Broadway

Parking Lot CBW Lending, LLC, 190 VFW Parkway

It was unanimously VOTED to approve the above renewals.

It was unanimously VOTED to schedule the next regular meeting on January 20, 2016, at 3:00 p.m. in the Council Chamber.

Following the foregoing, there being no further business to come before the Board upon Motion duly made and seconded, it was VOTED to adjourn the meeting at 3:45 p.m.

Joseph W. Quarantello, Jr., Chairman

Maggie Haney, Recording Secretary

Minutes of the meeting of December 16, 2015