

February 9, 2023

Licensee(s): Tesfaye Birru and Fikremariam Worku
Jano Ethiopian Restaurant & Lounge, LLC, T/a Jano Ethiopia
34 S. Eutaw Street 21201

Class: "B" Beer, Wine & Liquor License

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(b) **Witnesses Summoned:** Summons issued to Inspector Tudhope, Inspector Jordan, and Chief Inspector Chrissomallis on 1/26/2023.

(c) **Violation History of Current Corporation:** Licensee(s) appeared before the Board on 1/28/2021 in reference to:

- Violation of Rule 4.16 Illegal Conduct
- Violation of Rule 3.12 - General Welfare
- Rule 4.16 – Fined \$150
- Rule 3.12 – Fined \$150
- \$300 + \$125 admin fee
- \$425 total fee

Licensee(s) appeared before the Board on 10/10/2019 in reference to:

- Violation of Rule 4.01(a) - Sales to Minors
- Violation of Rule 4.16 - Illegal Conduct
- Violation of Rule 3.12 - General Welfare
- \$2,500 fine + \$125 admin fee
- \$2,625 total fine

Licensee(s) appeared before the Board on 2/7/2019 in reference to:

- Violation of Rule 3.08(a) - Sanitation and Safety
- Violation of Rule 3.12 - General Welfare
- Violation of Rule 4.16 - Illegal Conduct
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Licensee(s) appeared before the Board on 11/1/2018 in reference to:

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Licensee(s) appeared before the Board on 1/5/2017 in reference to:

- Violation of Rule 4.05 (a) & (b) - Prohibited hours
- Violation of Rule 3.02 - Cooperation
- Violation of Rule 2.13 - Inspections
- Violation of Rule 3.12 - General Welfare
- \$2,000 fine + \$125 admin fee
- \$2,125 total fine + 3-day Suspension

Licensee(s) appeared before the Board on 6/30/2016 in reference to:

- Violation of Rule 4.05 (a) & (b) - Prohibited hours
- \$100 fine + \$125 admin fee
- \$225 total fine

(d) **License Transfer Date:** The license transferred to the above named corporation on 7/9/2015.

Board's Decision:

State of Maryland

Board of Liquor License Commissioners

for Baltimore City
1 N. Charles Street, Suite 1500
Baltimore, Maryland, 21201-3724
Phone: (410) 396-4377

NOTICE

To: Jano Ethiopian Restaurant & Lounge, LLC Date: January 26, 2023
t/a Jano Ethiopia
34 Eutaw Street South 21201

**Licensee may be represented by
Counsel before board**

You are hereby notified to appear before the Board of Liquor License Commissioners for Baltimore City at 10:30 o'clock AM on the 9th day of February 2023, at **City Hall, 100 North Holliday Street, Room 215, Baltimore, MD 21202**, to show cause why your Alcoholic Beverages License and other permits issued by this Board to you under the provisions of the Alcoholic Beverages Article, as amended, should not be suspended or revoked as required by this Board by Section 4-604 of said Article, following your conviction and/or violation of said law, to wit:

Location of Incident: t/a Jano Ethiopia, 34 Eutaw Street South 21201 ("the establishment").

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**BY ORDER OF THE BOARD OF LIQUOR LICENSE
COMMISSIONERS FOR BALTIMORE CITY**

Albert Matricciani, Jr., Chairman

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Board of Liquor License Commissioners

For Baltimore City
1 North Charles Street, 15th Floor
Baltimore, Maryland, 21201

VIOLATION REPORT

Location Address:	34 EUTAW STREET SOUTH 21201
Licensee Information (Trade Name):	JANO ETHIOPIA
Corporation Name	JANO ETHIOPIAN RESTAURANT & LOUNGE, LLC
License Type:	Class "B" Beer, Wine and Liquor
Contact:	FIKREMARIAM WORKU
Bouncer/Security Name (if applicable):	<input type="text"/> D.O.B. <input type="text"/>
Date Violation Issued:	12/2/2022 11:45:00 PM

Violation Reporting Facts:

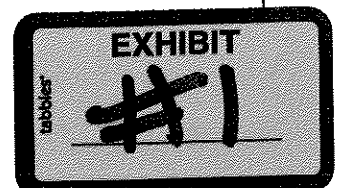
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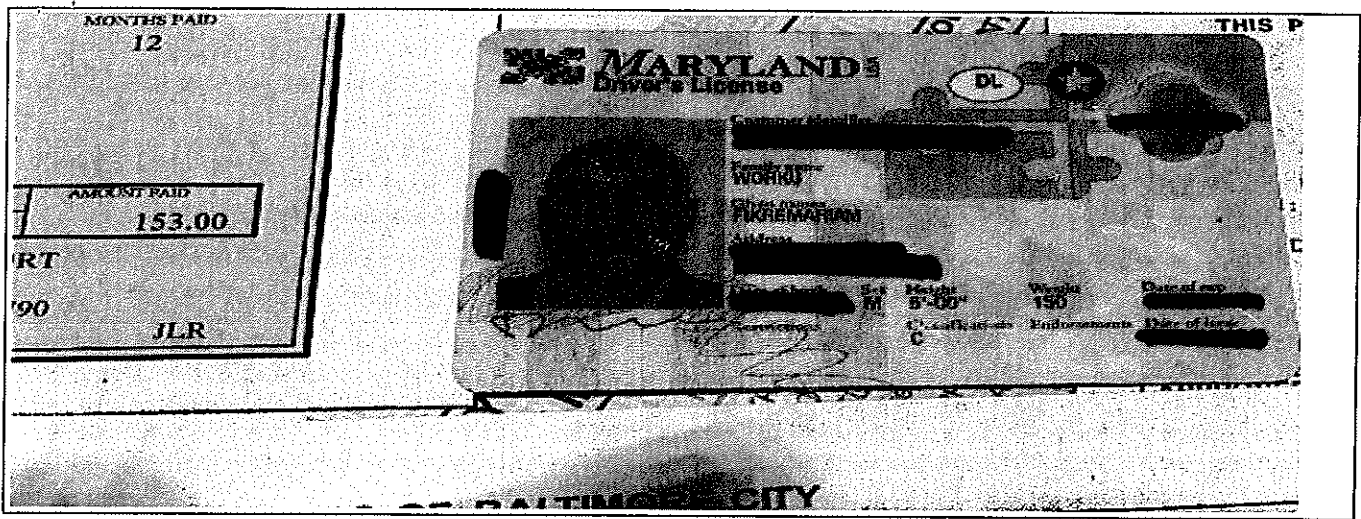
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At the conclusion of the physical inspection, a check of the business records was performed and it was discovered that the establishment did not have a current Liquor License and Health License displayed or available to present. The owner, Mr. Worku, stated that he had renewed his Liquor License but did not pick it up which I was able to later confirm. I, Inspector Jordan, issued violations for not having a current Liquor License on premises and for not operating as a restaurant per their license. The Fire Department also issued numerous code violations. The Health Department ordered the establishment closed for "General unsanitary conditions".

The SCTF left the establishment once it was cleared of all patrons and closed without further incident.

Photos Taken:





Attach Additional Photos

Report Prepared By:

Inspector(s)

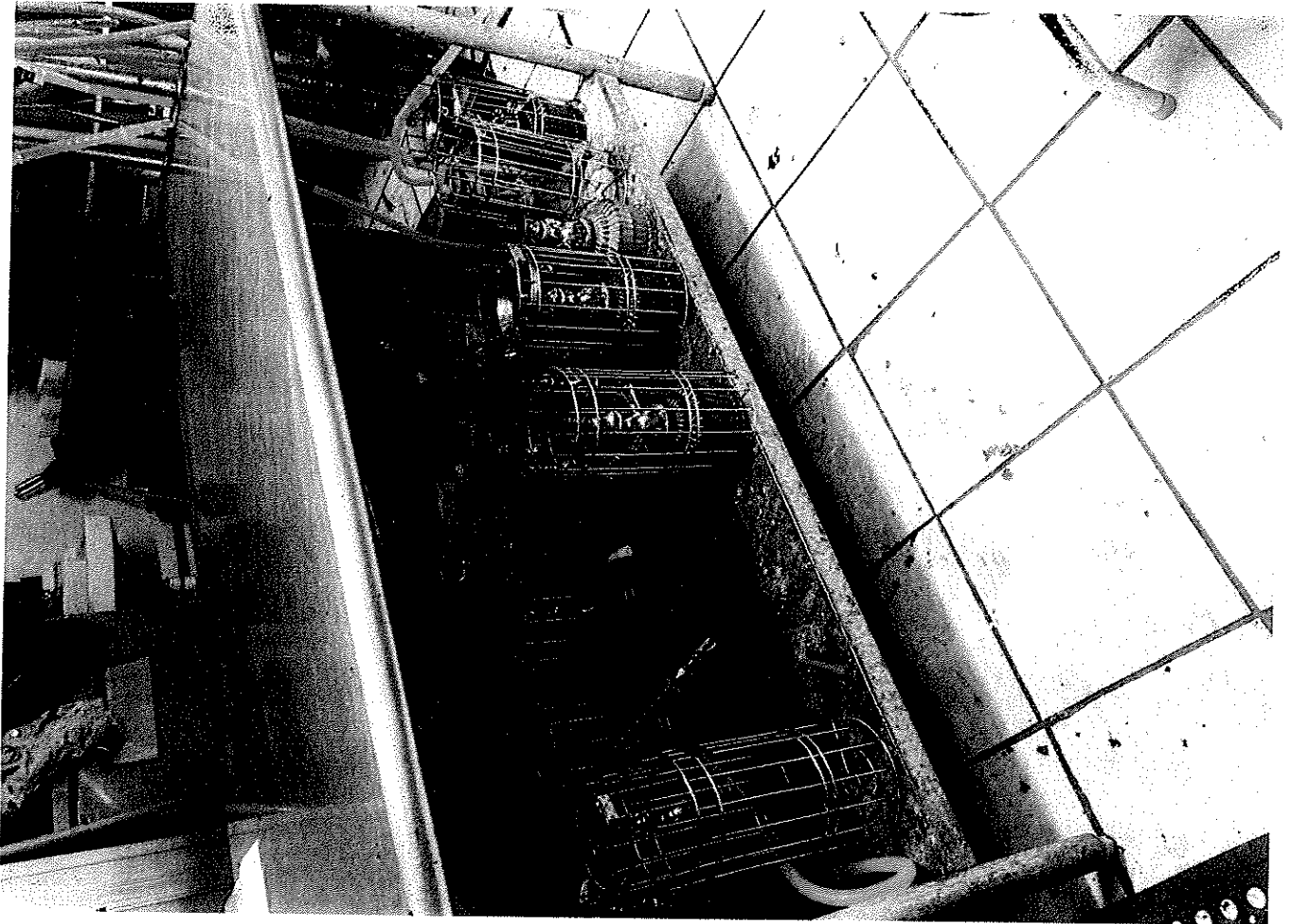
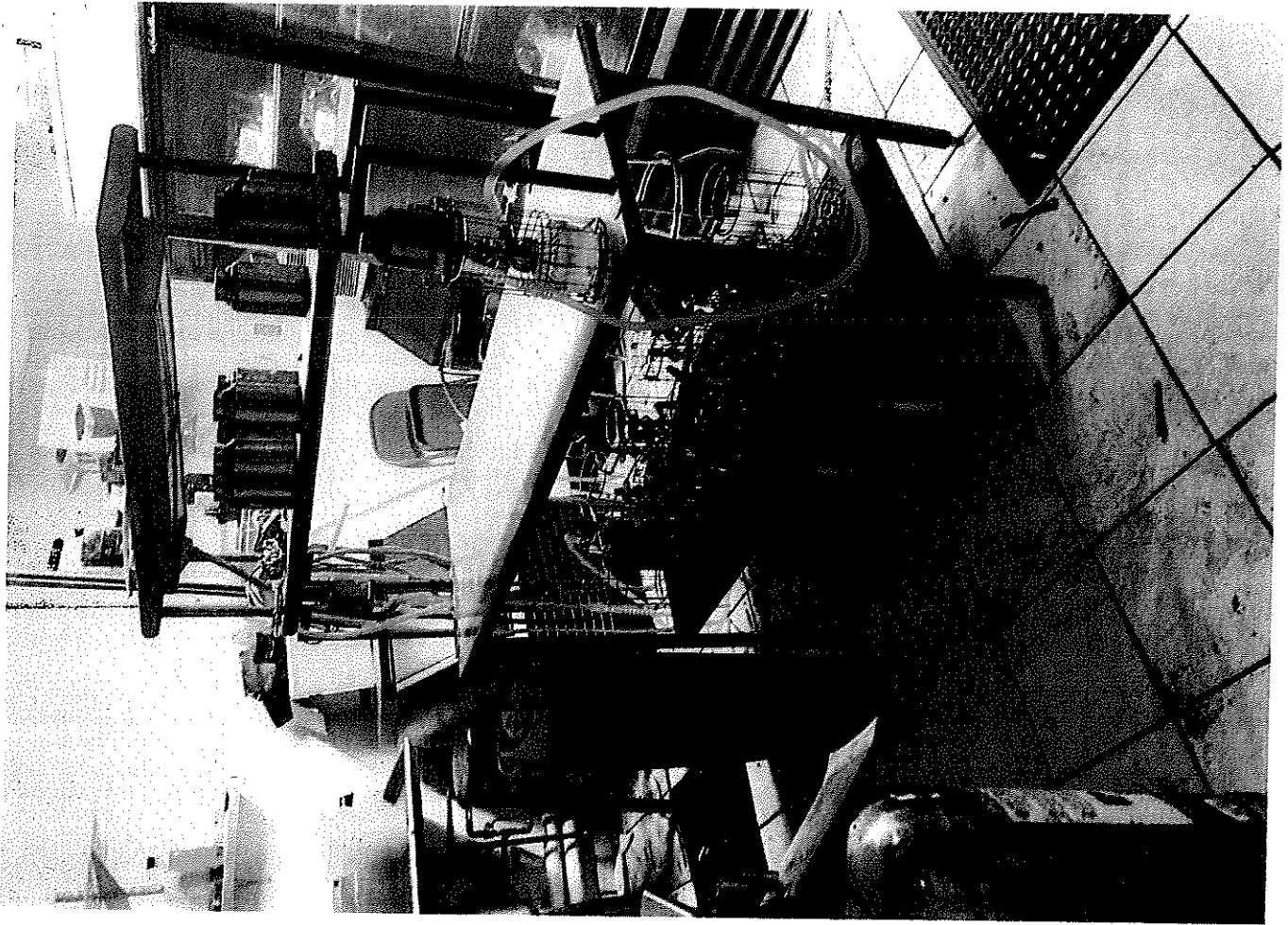
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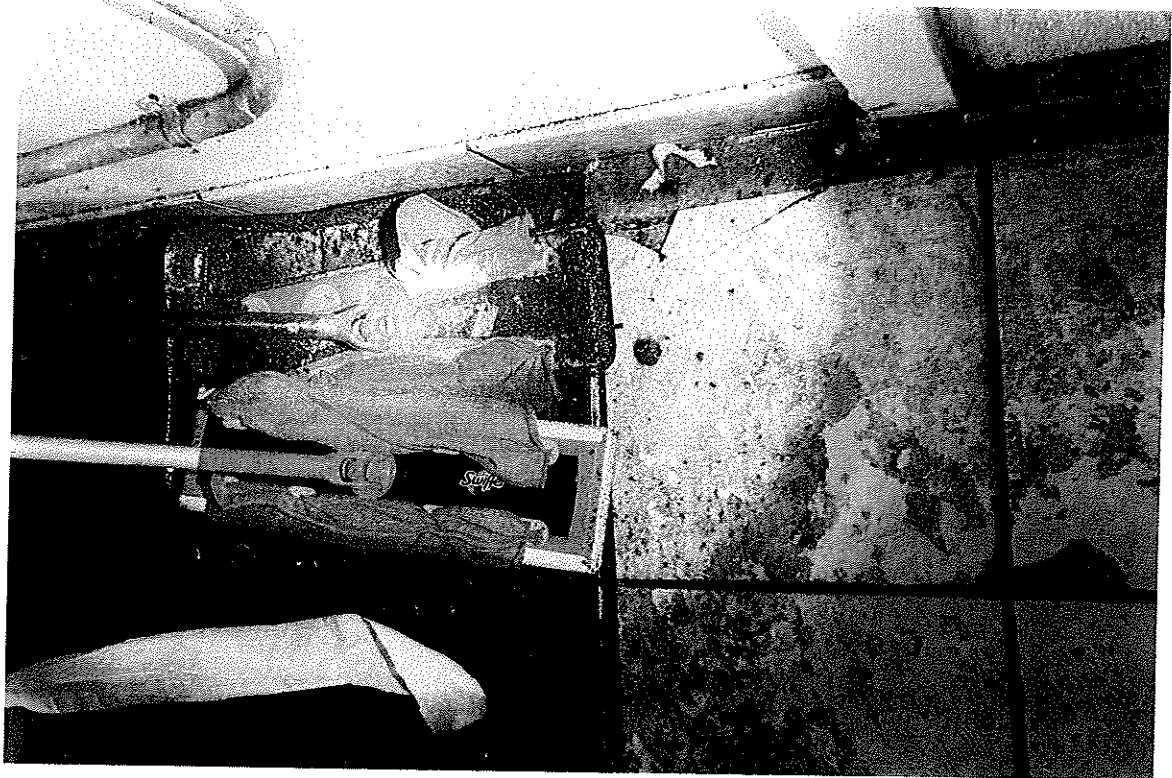
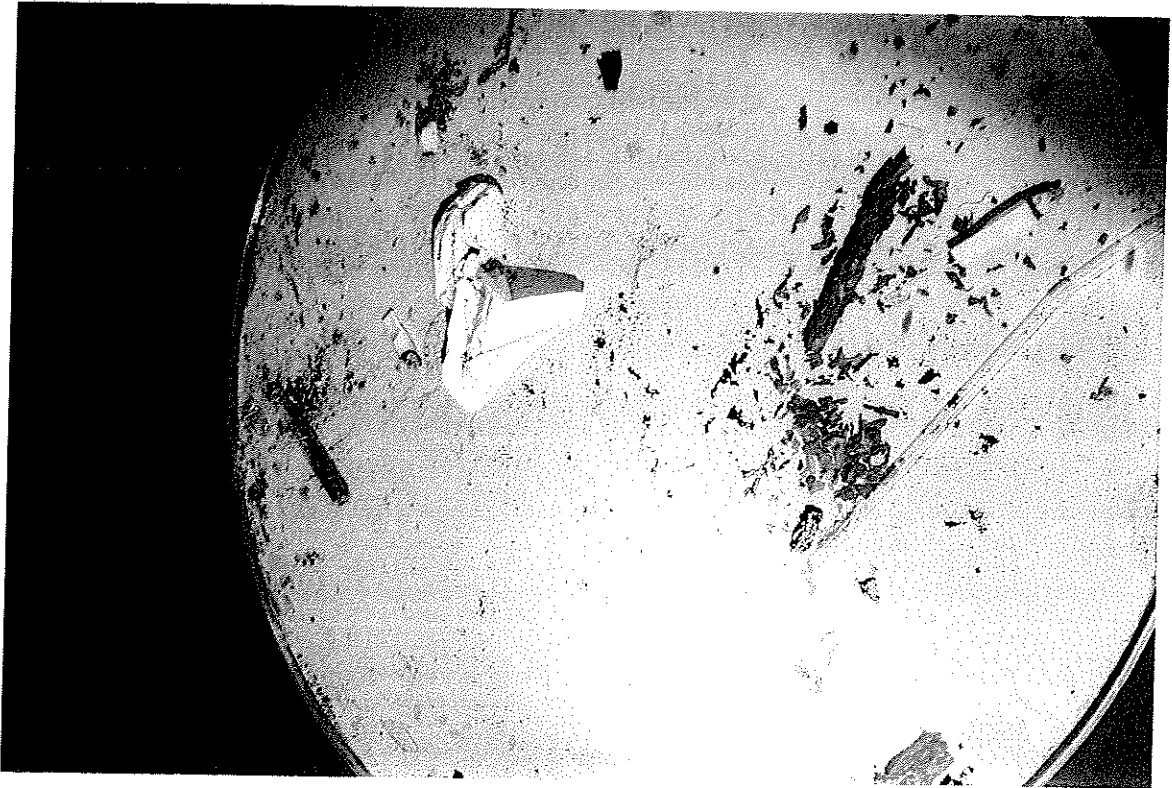
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**CHAPTER 3
GENERAL REQUIREMENTS**

SECTIONS 301 TO 306 *{As in IFC}*

SECTION 307 OPEN BURNING, RECREATIONAL FIRES, AND PORTABLE OUTDOOR FIREPLACES

307.1 to 307.3 *{As in IFC}*

307.4 Location *{As in IFC}*

307.4.1 to 307.4.2 *{As in IFC}*

307.4.3 Portable outdoor fireplaces. Portable outdoor fireplaces must be used in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions and may not be operated within 15 feet (3048 mm) of any structure, combustible material, or property line.

Exception: *{Not Adopted}*

307.5 Attendance. *{As in IFC}*

SECTION 308 OPEN FLAMES

308.1 General *{As in IFC}*

308.1.1 to 308.1.3 *{As in IFC}*

308.1.4 Open-flame cooking devices. Charcoal burners and other open-flame cooking devices may not be operated on combustible balconies or within 10 feet (3048 mm) of any combustible construction or property line.

Exception: A one- or two-family dwelling whose property lines are less than 10 feet from the structure may use an open-flame cooking device as long as:

1. the device is at least 6 feet from any combustible construction; and
2. the following extinguishing agent is available:
 - a. for an LPG burner, a portable fire extinguisher with at least a 2A-10BC rating; and
 - b. for a charcoal or wood burner, either:
 - i. a water fire extinguisher; or
 - ii. a 5-gallon bucket of water.

308.1.5 to 308.1.8 *{As in IFC}*

308.2 Permit required. *{As in IFC}***308.3 Group A Occupancies. *{As in IFC}*****308.3.1 Open-flame decorative devices. *{As in IFC}*****308.3.2 Theatrical performances. *{As in IFC}***

308.3.3 LP gas prohibited in assembly areas. The storage or use of LP-gas containers of any size in any assembly building or in any assembly area of a building is prohibited.

308.3.3.1 Exception. Listed and approved butane-gas commercial food service appliances may be used inside restaurants and in attended commercial food catering operations as long as each of the following conditions is complied with:

1. No appliance has more than two 10-oz. (296 ml) gas containers, with a maximum water capacity of 1.08 lb. (0.049 kg) per container, connected directly to it at any time.
2. The containers are not manifold.
3. All containers are listed and comply with UL 147B, "Standard for Non-Refillable (Disposable) Type Metal Container Assemblies for Butane".
4. Each container is an integral part of the listed and approved commercial food service appliance and is connected to the appliance without the use of a rubber hose.
5. No more than 24 of these containers are stored in the building, with an additional 24 containers permitted to be stored in another storage area in the building if that other storage area is separated or contained by a minimum 2-hour fire wall.
6. The use of LP gas in assembly areas for theatrical performances is subject to the review, evaluation, and approval of the Fire Code Official for each individual event.

308.4 Group R occupancies *{As in IFC}***SECTIONS 309 TO 319 *{As in IFC}***

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SUBTITLE 2
LICENSE REQUIRED

§ 6-201. In general.**(a) Operation without license prohibited.**

Except as otherwise provided in this section, no person may operate a food service facility without a license to do so from the Commissioner of Health.

(b) Exception for certain excluded organizations.

A food service facility may operate without a license issued by the Commissioner of Health if it:

- (i) is operated by an excluded organization; and
- (ii) has, in accordance with COMAR 10.15.03.26A, elected to operate without a license and in compliance with the minimum food safety requirements of COMAR 10.15.03.26B-E.

(c) License not transferable.

A license may not be transferred from place to place or person to person.
(City Code, 1976/83, art. 11, §165(b)(1)(1st sen.) (Ord. 99-548; Ord. 06-185; Ord. 14-308.)

§ 6-202. Applications.**(a) In general.**

An applicant for a license must:

- (1) submit an application on the form that the Commissioner provides; and
- (2) pay the applicable processing fees.

(b) Contents.

In addition to any other information that the Commissioner requires, the application must contain building and installation plans and specifications.
(City Code, 1976/83, art. 11, §165(c)(1st, 2nd, 4th(part) sens.) (Ord. 99-548.)

§ 6-203. Inspection and priority assessment of facility.**(a) Inspection.**

On receipt of an application, the Commissioner must inspect the food service facility to determine compliance with all applicable laws, rules, and regulations.

(b) *Priority assessment.*

To determine the degree of risk that a food service facility poses for a food-borne disease occurrence, the Commissioner must assess each food service facility and classify it in one of the following priority assessment categories, as defined in COMAR 10.15.03.33:

(1) high priority facilities, which are at high risk for a food-borne disease occurrence;

(2) moderate priority facilities, which are at moderate risk for a food-borne disease occurrence; and

(3) low priority facilities, which are at low risk for a food-borne disease occurrence.

(City Code, 1976/83, art. 11, §165(a)5, (c)(3rd sen.) (Ord. 99-548; Ord. 14-308.)

§ 6-204. Issuance of license.

The Commissioner must issue a license to the applicant if:

(1) the requirements of all applicable laws, rules, and regulations have been met; and

(2) the applicant pays the applicable annual fee.

(City Code, 1976/83, art. 11, §165(c)(4th sen.) (Ord. 99-548.)

§ 6-205. Scope of license.

While a license is in effect, it authorizes the operation of the food service facility in accordance with the approved plans and specifications.

(City Code, 1976/83, art. 11, §165(b)(1)(2nd sen.(last cl.)) (Ord. 99-548; Ord. 06-185.)

§ 6-206. Material alterations.(a) *Permit required.*

No person may materially alter a food service facility (e.g., install new or additional equipment, make structural changes, or change the type of operation) without a permit to do so from the Commissioner.

(b) *Application.*

The application for a permit under this section must be:

(1) submitted on the form that the Commissioner provides;

(2) contain the information that the Commissioner requires; and

(3) be accompanied by the applicable permit fee.

(City Code, 1976/83, art. 11, §165(c)(parts.) (Ord. 99-548.)

§ 6-207. Term and renewal of license.**(a) Term of license.**

Unless sooner suspended or revoked, a license expires on the 1st anniversary of its effective date.

(b) Application for renewal.

Before a license expires, the licensee periodically may renew it for an additional 1-year term, if the license holder:

(1) otherwise is entitled to a license;

(2) submits a renewal application to the Commissioner, on the form that the Commissioner provides; and

(3) pays the applicable annual fee.

(City Code, 1976/83, art. 11, §165(b)(1)(2nd sen.(1st cl.)), (d)(5)(part.)) (Ord. 99-548.)

§ 6-208. Provisional licenses.**(a) In general.**

If a licensed food service facility is sold or otherwise transferred to a new owner, the new owner may apply for a short-term, provisional license to permit the continued operation of the facility pending the Commissioner's inspection of the facility.

(b) Term and renewal.

Unless sooner suspended or revoked:

(1) the term of a provisional license is 60 days; and

(2) the license may be renewed for one additional 60-day term.

(Ord. 06-185.)

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TITLE 12
TOBACCO PRODUCTS AND SMOKING DEVICES

SUBTITLE 1
INDOOR SMOKING

Editor's Note: Chapters 501 and 502, Laws of Maryland 2007 (approved May 17, 2007) enacted a statewide "Clean Indoor Air Act", codified at State Health-General Article, Title 24, Subtitle 5. The prohibitions become effective February 1, 2008 {He § 24-504}. The State law expressly states that it does not "preempt a county ... from enacting and enforcing more stringent measures" {He § 24-510}.

§ 12-101. Definitions.

(a) *In general.*

In this subtitle, the following terms have the meanings indicated.

(b) *Electronic smoking device.*

(1) *In general.*

"Electronic smoking device" means an electronic or battery-operated device that delivers vapors for inhalation, whether manufactured, distributed, marketed, or sold:

- (i) as an electronic cigarette, electronic cigar, or electronic pipe; or
- (ii) by any other product name or descriptor.

(2) *Exclusions.*

"Electronic smoking device" does not include an asthma inhaler or similar product that:

- (i) contains no tobacco nor any nicotine; and
- (ii) has been specifically approved by the U.S. Food and Drug Administration for use in mitigating, treating, or preventing disease.

(c) *Enclosed area.*

(1) "Enclosed area" means an area that is bounded on all sides by walls that extend, with or without doors, windows, vents, or like openings, from floor to ceiling.

(2) "Enclosed area" includes the interior of a vehicle.

(d) *Person in charge.*

"Person in charge" means the person who owns, operates, or manages a place subject to this subtitle.

(e) *Smoke*.

“Smoke” means to:

- (1) inhale, burn, or carry any lighted cigarette, cigar, or pipe tobacco, or any other tobacco, weed, or plant product of any kind; or
- (2) to inhale vapors from or otherwise allow vapors to be emitted from an electronic smoking device.

(Ord. 07-392; Ord. 14-310.)

§ 12-102. Scope.

Nothing in this subtitle precludes an employer or other person in charge from prohibiting smoking in open or enclosed areas not covered by this subtitle.

(Ord. 07-392.)

§§ 12-103 to 12-104. {Reserved}

§ 12-105. Where smoking prohibited.

Except as otherwise specified in this subtitle, smoking is prohibited in:

- (1) any enclosed area to or in which the public is invited or permitted; or
- (2) any enclosed area that is part of a place of employment.

(Ord. 07-392.)

§ 12-106. Exceptions – General.

This subtitle does not apply to the following:

- (1) any part of a private residence that is not open to the public for business purposes, except as required by COMAR 13A.14.01.
- (2) a private vehicle.
- (3) a sleeping room in a hotel or motel, as long as that hotel or motel maintains at least 75% of all its sleeping rooms as smoke-free.
- (4) smoking as an integral part of a theatrical performance held in a facility primarily used for theatrical performances.
- (5) smoking as an integral part of a religious ceremony.
- (6) smoking at an analytical or educational laboratory as an integral part of scientific research into the health effects of smoke.

- (7) smoking that is permitted in a hospital, nursing home, or other health care facility under State Health-General Article, § 24-205.

(Ord. 07-392.)

§ 12-107. Exceptions – Retail tobacco establishments; Hookah lounges.

(a) *In general.*

This subtitle does not apply to a retail tobacco establishment or a hookah lounge that qualifies under this section.

(b) *Retail tobacco establishments.*

A retail tobacco establishment qualifies under this section only if it:

- (1) derives at least 75% of its revenues, measured by average daily receipts, from the sale of non-cigarette tobacco products;
- (2) has a ventilation system that prevents smoke from infiltrating into any area where smoking is prohibited under this subtitle; and
- (3) prohibits the entry of minors at all times.

(c) *Hookah lounges.*

(1) *“Hookah lounge” defined.*

In this subsection, “hookah lounge” means an establishment that is primarily devoted to the on-premises use of 1 or more hookahs (also known as a hookah pipe, water pipe, shisha, or narghile) for smoking tobacco or other substances.

(2) *Qualifications.*

A hookah lounge qualifies under this section only if it:

- (i) meets the criteria listed in State law;
- (ii) derives at least 75% of its revenues, measured by average daily receipts, from the sale or use of non-cigarette smoking products and accessories;
- (iii) has a ventilation system that prevents smoke from infiltrating into any area where smoking is prohibited under this subtitle; and
- (iv) prohibits the presence of minors at all times.

(Ord. 07-392; Ord. 18-124.)

§ 12-107.1. Exceptions – Retail sellers of electronic smoking devices.

This subtitle does not apply to the use of electronic smoking devices in a business establishment in which:

- (1) the primary activity is the retail sale of electronic smoking devices, accessories, and related products;
- (2) the sale of other products is incidental; and
- (3) the entry of minors is prohibited at all times.

(Ord. 14-310.)

§ 12-107.2. Exceptions – Electronic smoking devices in certain restaurants and taverns.

(a) *Definitions.*

(1) *In general.*

In this section, the following terms have the meanings indicated.

(2) *Restaurant.*

“Restaurant” means a business establishment that:

- (i) is devoted primarily to serving food and drinks to the public for on-premises consumption by seated patrons; and
- (ii) might or might not also serve alcoholic beverages.

(3) *Tavern.*

“Tavern” means a business establishment that:

- (i) is devoted primarily to serving alcoholic beverages to the public for on-premises consumption; and
- (ii) might or might not also serve food.

(b) *In general.*

This subtitle does not apply to the use of electronic smoking devices in a restaurant or tavern or in 1 or more designated areas of a restaurant or tavern, as the case may be, if the establishment notifies its patrons and potential patrons that the use of electronic smoking devices is allowed on or in designated areas of the premises, as the case may be.

(c) *Method and tenor of notification.*

- (1) The notification required by this section must be provided both:

- (i) by a prominently posted notice, at least 17" x 22", that is clearly readable by all patrons on entry to the establishment; and
- (ii) by a conspicuous notice, in at least 20-pt. font size, printed on each menu provided to patrons.

(2) The tenor of the notices must be substantially as follows:

“This {restaurant / tavern} allows the use of electronic smoking devices {in designated areas / throughout the premises}.”

(Ord. 14-310.)

§ 12-107.3. Exceptions – Electronic smoking devices in video lottery facility.

This subtitle does not apply to the use of electronic smoking devices in a facility that has been awarded a Video Lottery Operation License by the Maryland Video Lottery Location Commission under State Government Article, Title 9, Subtitle 1A.

(Ord. 14-310.)

§ 12-108. Waivers.

(a) *Authority to grant.*

On written application, the Commissioner may grant a waiver from the application of a specific provision of this subtitle, if the applicant for the waiver establishes that:

- (1) compliance with that provision would cause undue financial hardship; or
- (2) other factors exist that would render compliance unreasonable.

(b) *Conditions and restrictions.*

The Commissioner may impose conditions or restrictions on the waiver as necessary or appropriate to:

- (1) minimize the adverse effects of the waiver on individuals involuntarily exposed to second-hand smoke; and
- (2) ensure that the waiver is consistent with the purposes of this subtitle.

(Ord. 07-392.)

§§ 12-109 to 12-110. {Reserved}

§ 12-111. Enforcement by citation.

(a) *In general.*

In addition to any other civil or criminal remedy or enforcement procedure, this subtitle may be enforced by issuance of:

(1) an environmental citation as authorized by City Code Article 1, Subtitle 40 {"Environmental Control Board"}; or

(2) a civil citation as authorized by City Code Article 1, Subtitle 41 {"Civil Citations"}.

(b) *Process not exclusive.*

The issuance of a citation to enforce this subtitle does not preclude pursuing any other civil or criminal remedy or enforcement action authorized by law.

(Ord. 07-392.)

§ 12-112. Penalties: Varied.

(a) *Smoker: \$500.*

Any person who smokes in violation of this subtitle is subject to a civil fine of not more than \$500 for each offense.

(b) *Employer or person in charge: \$750.*

(1) Any employer or other person in charge who violates a provision of this subtitle or who knowingly allows a violation is subject to a civil fine of not more than \$750 for each offense.

(2) It is an affirmative defense that the employer, other person in charge, or an agent of the employer or other person in charge:

(i) posted a "No Smoking" sign at each entrance used by the public; and

(ii) removed all ashtrays and other smoking paraphernalia from all areas where smoking is prohibited; and

(iii) in a bar or restaurant:

(A) refused to seat or serve any person who smoked where smoking is prohibited; and

(B) if the person continued to smoke after an initial warning, asked the person to leave the establishment.

(3) Each day that a violation continues is a separate offense.

(Ord. 07-392; Ord. 10-340.)



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Fee: **\$1,820.00** Status: **Renewed**

License Date: 5/1/2022

License Year: 2022

CR Number: 15901372

Payment Date: 04-30-22

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2022 Trader's License

Update Info

Click to Start License Renewal

Add Adult Entertainment License

Add New Adult Entertainment License

Location

Corp Name: **JANO ETHIOPIAN RESTAURANT & LOUNGE, LLC**

Trade Name: **JANO ETHIOPIA**

Zone Code: 27

Phone: 410-409-5580

Block Num: 34

City: BALTIMORE

Street: EUTAW STREET SOUTH

State: MD

Zip: 21201

CR Number: 15901372

Portion of Business Used:

CONTINUE TO USE THE FIRST AND SECOND FLOOR OF THE PREMISE AS A RESTAURANT,
SPORT BAR WITH LIVE ENTERTAINMENT AND DANCING (CHANGE OR OPERATOR)

Restriction:

Edit the License Location Info

Alternate Mailing Address

License Owners

First Name	Last Name	Street	City	State	Zip	Action	Change Owner
TESFAYE	BIRRU	1 BRIDGEVIEW COURT	NOTTINGHAM	MD	21236	Edit	Remove Owner
FIKREMARIAM	WORKU	1315 ROXBORO ROAD	ROSEDALE	MD	21237	Edit	Remove Owner

Comments

Date	Comment	Action
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02/23/2021	PAID IN FULL \$425.00 for violation hearing 01/28/2021; invoice# 120356....k/r	Delete
02/01/2021	01/28/2021 - Virtual Public Hearing Re: Violation of Rule 4.16 Illegal Conduct; and Violation of Rule 3.12 General Welfare - DENIAL - GUILTY - Rule 4.16-Fined \$150; and Rule 3.12-Fined \$150; \$300 + \$125 admin fee = \$425 total fee, 30 days to pay (3-0 vote)...../jr	Delete
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09/22/2020	Received memo from owner of Jano Lounge stipulating improvements to operations that will take place in the future. This corrective action plan is stated to be in effect 10/1/2020. Copy to file. Copy to Chief Inspector. TRA.	Delete
11/08/2019	*****PAID IN FULL PLEASE CHECK INVOICE # 118289***Public Hearing Re: Violation of Rule 4.01(a) Sales to Minors; Violation of Rule 4.16 Illegal Conduct; and Violation of Rule 3.12 General Welfare - ADMISSION OF GUILT - rule 4.01(a)-Fined \$750; Rule 4.16-Fined \$1,000; and Rule 3.12-Fined \$750; \$2,500 + \$125 admin fee = \$2,625 total fine, 30 days to pay (3-0 vote)...../KR	Delete
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Hold Info



JANO ETHIOPIAN RESTAURANT AND LOUNGE LLC: W16392722

Department ID Number:

W16392722

Business Name:

JANO ETHIOPIAN RESTAURANT AND LOUNGE LLC

Principal Office: ⓘ

34 SOUTH EUTAW ST
BALTIMORE MD 21201

Resident Agent: ⓘ

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34 SOUTH EUTAW ST
BALTIMORE MD 21201

Status:

REVIVED

Good Standing:

THIS BUSINESS IS NOT IN GOOD STANDING

Reason(s) Entity is NOT in Good Standing:

Annual Report Due For 2022

Business Type:

DOMESTIC LLC

Business Code:

20 ENTITIES OTHER THAN CORPORATIONS

Date of Formation/ Registration:

03/12/2015

State of Formation:

MD

Stock Status:

N/A

Close Status:

N/A

February 9, 2023

Licensee(s): Teacon Everage, Derek Smith, and Trevor White
Rymks Bar & Grille, LLC., T/a Rymks Bar & Grille
819 E. Pratt Street 21202

Class: "B" Beer, Wine & Liquor License

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(a) **Service on Licensee(s):** Summons issued to the licensee(s) on 1/26/2023.

(b) **Witnesses Summoned:** Summons issued to Inspector Jordan and Chief Inspector Chrissomallis on 1/26/2023.

(c) **Violation History of Current Licensee:** The current corporation has no history of violations.

(d) **License Transfer Date:** The license transferred to the above named corporation on 5/21/2021.

Board's Decision:

State of Maryland

Board of Liquor License Commissioners

for Baltimore City
1 N. Charles Street, Suite 1500
Baltimore, Maryland, 21201-3724
Phone: (410) 396-4377

NOTICE

To: RYMKS Bar & Grille, LLC
t/a RYMKS Bar & Grille
819 Pratt Street East 21202

Date: January 26, 2023

**Licensee may be represented by
Counsel before board**

You are hereby notified to appear before the Board of Liquor License Commissioners for Baltimore City at 10:30 o'clock AM on the 9th day of February 2023, at **City Hall, 100 North Holliday Street, Room 215, Baltimore, MD 21202**, to show cause why your Alcoholic Beverages License and other permits issued by this Board to you under the provisions of the Alcoholic Beverages Article, as amended, should not be suspended or revoked as required by this Board by Section 4-604 of said Article, following your conviction and/or violation of said law, to wit:

Location of Incident: t/a RYMKS Bar & Grille, 819 Pratt Street East 21202 ("the establishment).

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If you fail to appear at the above location at the date and time as instructed by the agency, the Board will proceed with the hearing and will take such action regarding the suspension or revocation of your license and permits as warranted by evidence. If you have any questions concerning the specific rules or code cited, please refer to Rules and Regulations for the Board of Liquor License Commissioners for Baltimore City or the Alcoholic Beverages Article of the Annotated Code of Maryland for reference purposes. If you have any questions or concerns regarding this matter please contact Deputy Executive Secretary, Nicholas T.R. Blendy, at 410-396-4377.

**BY ORDER OF THE BOARD OF LIQUOR LICENSE
COMMISSIONERS FOR BALTIMORE CITY**

Albert Matricciani, Jr., Chairman

**BOARD OF LIQUOR LICENSE
COMMISSIONERS
FOR BALTIMORE CITY**

Board of Liquor License Commissioners

For Baltimore City
1 North Charles Street, 15th Floor
Baltimore, Maryland, 21201

VIOLATION REPORT

Location Address:	819 PRATT STREET EAST 21202	
Licensee Information (Trade Name):	RYMKS BAR & GRILLE	
Corporation Name	RYMKS BAR & GRILLE, LLC	
License Type:	Class "B" Beer, Wine and Liquor	
Contact:		
Bouncer/Security Name (if applicable):		D.O.B. <input type="text"/>
Date Violation Issued:	12/18/2022	12:00:00 AM

Violation Reporting Facts:

On December 18, 2022, I, Inspector Jordan, responded to Rymks Bar and Grill located at 819 East Pratt Street 21202 as a response to Liquor License Complaint (22-00977992) received at 9:37pm for "Disturbing the peace/noise/loud music/front door open". At approximately 10:15PM, I arrived and parked on Albemarle St. where I could hear music playing through outdoor speakers at a high volume. I entered the establishment and spoke to the bartender. I explained that I was responding from the Liquor Board for a complaint pertaining to loud music. The bartender proceeded to turn the outdoor speakers off using a tablet however when I went to my car I noticed they were still on. I assumed there was some type error so I went back inside to inform her the music was still on.

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I made several attempts to defuse the tense situation by explaining why I was there and offering a solution. Finally, I felt it was time for me to leave the establishment for my safety when Mr. Teacon began pointing his finger at me while disregarding my personal space. I left the establishment and contacted Chief Chrissomallis who stated he would arrive shortly to speak to the owner. As I waited, Inspector Tudhope arrived as she was in the area. Upon his arrival, Chief Chrissomallis approached the owner in a polite and calm manner but despite this approach the owner was not cooperative. At one point, his employees attempted to intervene but Mr. Teacon ordered that they stay out of it. A man who identified himself as the general manager stated that Mr. Teacon was not in the condition to speak to us but he did not explain further. As the situation was not improving and Mr. Teacon was not cooperating, Chief Chrissomallis directed us to leave the establishment. Shortly after we got outside, the music was turned off.



Photos Taken:



No picture inserted

Report Prepared By:

Inspector(s)

Submission Date

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1/18/2023

Service Request Summary Report
22-00977992
 Printed Date: Jan 26, 2023 - 2:26:00 PM

Type: BCLB-Liquor License Complaint
Created By:
Service Request Owner: BCLB
Method Received: API
SLA Detail: 2 Calendar Days

SR #: 22-00977992
Priority: Standard
Status: Closed
Status Date: Dec 18, 2022 11:50:42 PM
Created Date: Dec 18, 2022 9:37:17 PM
Overdue on: Dec 20, 2022 9:37:17 PM
Closed on: Dec 18, 2022 11:50:42 PM

Location: 209 ALBEMARLE ST, Baltimore City, 21202

Location Details:
Description:

Service Questions

Questions	Answers
Is this issue concerning a private residence or a commercial and/or licensed business?	Business
Name of business:	Rymks bar and grill
What is the issue?	Disturbing the peace/noise/loud music/front door open

Contact Information

Name	Address	Email	Phone/Extensions
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Service Activities

Activity Name	Status	Assigned To	Outcome	Outcome Reason	Finish Date
Service Response	Not Started				

Resolution Questions

Service Activity	Resolution Question	Resolution Answer
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Comments

Comment	Comment By	Created Date
Arrived at approximately 10:30pm and found outdoor speakers to be playing at a high volume . Spoke to the bartender who attempted to lower the music using an I-pad. As I was exiting the establishment I noticed the music was still on so I returned to ensure it was lowered. The music was turned off by the time of my departure at approximately 10:50 pm. Complaint abated. Badge 012 005	Balt311 Admin	12/18/2022 11:50 PM

Related Child Service Requests

Related Parent Service Requests





Liquor Board System

Version 1.0

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License Detail

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Print Renewal Letter

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License Info

License Num: **LB 163**

Cert Num: **0775**

Fee: **\$1,520.00** Status: **Renewed**

License Date: 5/1/2022

License Year: 2022

CR Number: 18493634

Payment Date: 05-03-22

2021 - 2022 TPP Paid

2022 Trader's License

Update Info

Click to Start License Renewal

Add Adult Entertainment License

Add New Adult Entertainment License

Location

Corp Name: **RYMKS BAR & GRILLE, LLC**

Trade Name: **RYMKS BAR & GRILLE**

Zone Code: 0

Phone: 410-878-2067

Block Num: 819

City: BALTIMORE

Street: PRATT STREET EAST

State: MD

Zip: 21202

CR Number: 18493634

Portion of Business Used:

CONTINUE TO USE FIRST FLOOR SPACE (TENANT SPACE FRONT E. PRATT ST. WHOSE ADDRESS IS KNOWN AS 819 E. PRATT ST.) AS A RESTAURANT WITH OUTDOOR TABLE SERVICE WITH DELIVERY OF ALCOHOL

Restriction:

THE MOU DATED OCTOBER 27, 2020 BETWEEN LITTLE ITALY COMMUNITY ORGANIZATION INCORPORATED INTO THE LICENSE.

Edit the License Location Info

Alternate Mailing Address

License Owners

First Name	Last Name	Street	City	State	Zip	Action	Change Owner
TEAON	EVERAGE	17130 OLD FREDERICK RD	MOUNT AIRY	MD	21771	Edit	Remove Owner
DEREK	SMITH	1125 CAROLINE STREET	BALTIMORE	MD	21213	Edit	Remove Owner
TREVOR	WHITE	1318 LAKESIDE AVENUE	BALTIMORE	MD	21218	Edit	Remove Owner

Comments

Date	Comment	Action
05/21/2021	New Class "B" license with outdoor table service and delivery of alcohol issued to RYMKS BAR&GRILLE T/A RYMKS BAR & GRILLE, TEAON EVERAGE, DEREK SMITH AND TEVOR WHITE on 05/5/21/2021; invoice#122008...k/r	<input type="button" value="Delete"/>

License num: LB 163

Address: 819 PRATT STREET EAST

Trade Name: RYMKS BAR & GRILLE

Comment:

Hold Info

Powered by:



RYMKS BAR & GRILLE, LLC: W21075122

Department ID Number:

W21075122

Business Name:

RYMKS BAR & GRILLE, LLC

Principal Office: ⓘ

1318 LAKESIDE AVENUE

BALTIMORE MD 21218

Resident Agent: ⓘ

TREVOR WHITE

1318 LAKESIDE AVENUE

BALTIMORE MD 21218

Status:

ACTIVE

Good Standing:

THIS BUSINESS IS IN GOOD STANDING

Business Type:

DOMESTIC LLC

Business Code:

20 ENTITIES OTHER THAN CORPORATIONS

Date of Formation/ Registration:

10/29/2020

State of Formation:

MD

Stock Status:

N/A

Close Status:

N/A

February 9, 2023

Licensee(s): Ronnie Player
New Club Thunderbird, Inc., T/a Club Thunderbird
2201 E. Chase Street 21213

Class: "BD7" Beer, Wine & Liquor License

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At approximately 1:00am on November 5, 2022, Inspectors returned and parked directly in front of the establishment and heard voices and music emanating from inside. At this time, Inspectors decided to enter the establishment and found the front door leading into the packaged goods side to be open. Inspector Tudhope continued through and reach to open the door leading to the tavern and heard the door being locked from the inside. Inspector Tudhope proceeded to knock on the door loudly and identified herself as a BLLC Inspector. After several minutes of knocking, the door was opened, where Inspector Tudhope observed there to be approximately 10-14 people sitting and standing inside the bar. At this time, Inspector Tudhope made contact with the owner, Ms. Rodnaya Shanelle Williams, identified by her Maryland Driver's License. Ms. Williams stated that they were having a private party. Inspector Tudhope informed Ms. Williams that the establishment was not permitted to stay open and operating past 10:00pm, as it states on the establishment's liquor license. Inspector Tudhope informed Ms. Williams that she would be issued a violation for operating past 10:00pm and was instructed to close the establishment for the night. Inspectors left without further incident.

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Board's Decision:

State of Maryland

Board of Liquor License Commissioners

for Baltimore City
1 N. Charles Street, Suite 1500
Baltimore, Maryland, 21201-3724
Phone: (410) 396-4377

NOTICE

To: New Club Thunderbird, Inc.
t/a Club Thunderbird
2201 Chase Street East, 21213

Date: January 26, 2023

**Licensee may be represented by
Counsel before board**

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**BY ORDER OF THE BOARD OF LIQUOR LICENSE
COMMISSIONERS FOR BALTIMORE CITY**

Albert Matricciani, Jr., Chairman

**BOARD OF LIQUOR LICENSE
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For Baltimore City
1 North Charles Street, 15th Floor
Baltimore, Maryland, 21201

VIOLATION REPORT

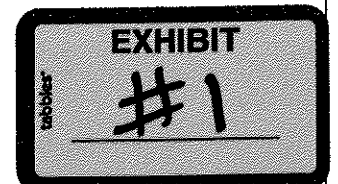
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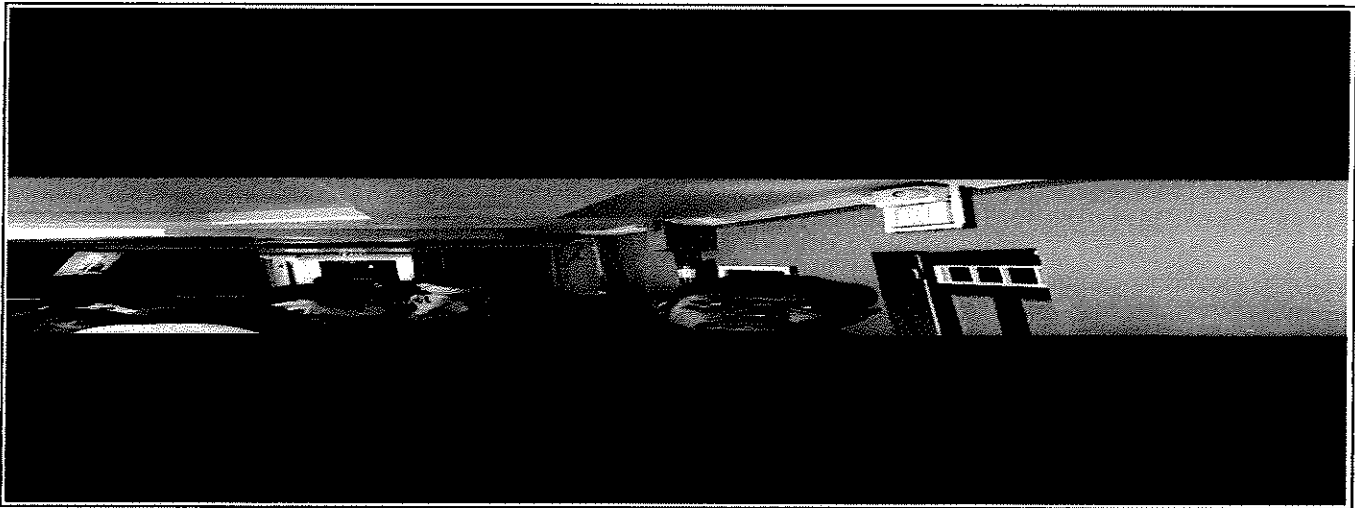
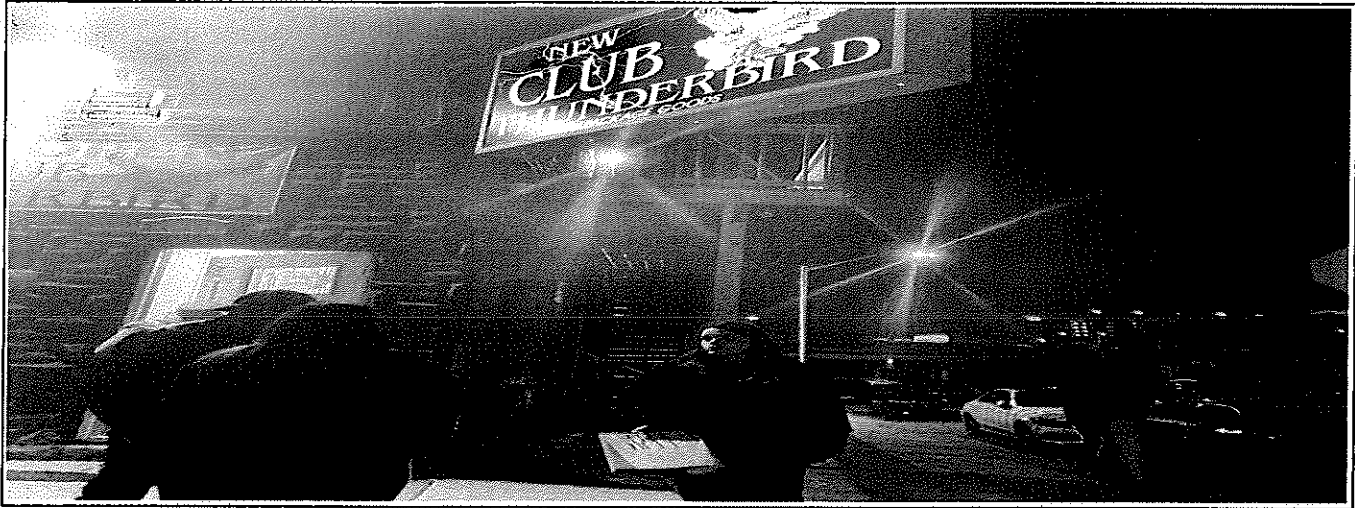
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Photos Taken:





 Attach Additional Photos

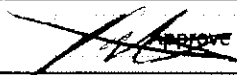
Report Prepared By:

Inspector(s)

Submission Date

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11/17/2022

 Approve

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1 North Charles Street, 15th Floor
Baltimore, Maryland, 21201

VIOLATION REPORT

Location Address:	2201 CHASE STREET EAST 21213	▼
Licensee Information (Trade Name):	CLUB THUNDERBIRD	
Corporation Name	NEW CLUB THUNDERBIRD, INC	
License Type:	Class "BD7" Beer, Wine and Liquor	▼
Contact:		
Bouncer/Security Name (if applicable):		D.O.B. <input type="text"/>
Date Violation Issued:		

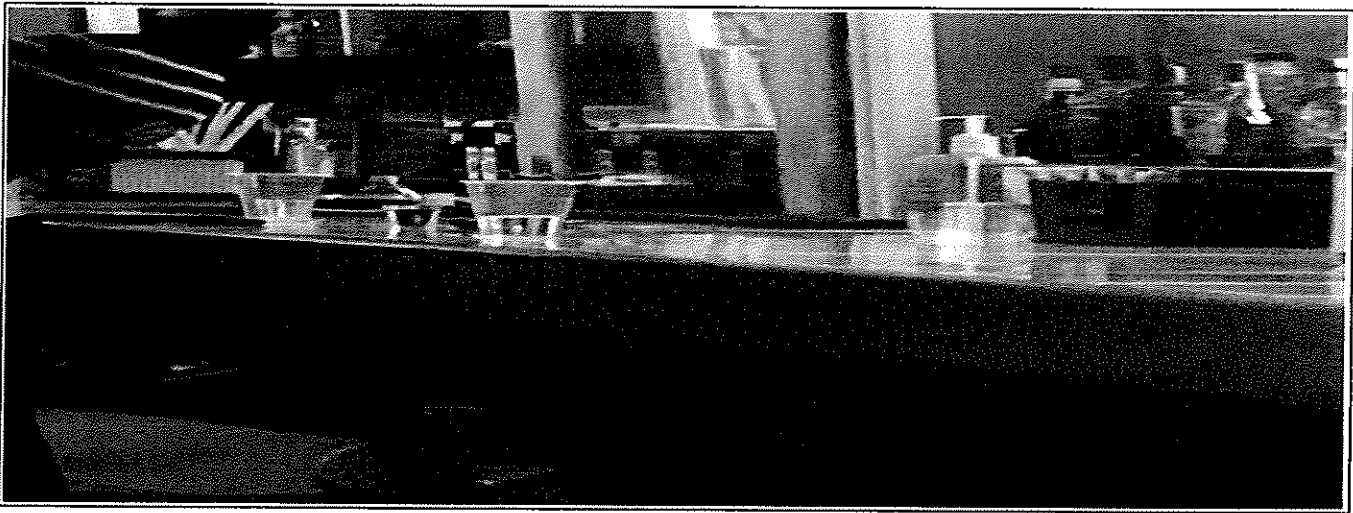
Violation Reporting Facts:

On November 18, 2022, at approximately 10:50pm. Board of Liquor License Commissioners (BLLC) Inspector Cindy Tudhope and Rosalba Jordan along with the social club task force consisting of Baltimore Police Department Vice Unit (BPD Vice) Baltimore City Fire Marshal, Baltimore City Housing inspectors and Baltimore City Health department conducted an inspection at 2201 Chase Street at the establishment known as Club Thunderbird. Upon entering the establishment, BLLC Inspectors and members of the Task force observed the business open and operating with approximately 5 customers seated at the bar drinking. I, made contact with the Bar Tender Ms. Chanel Denise Cooley as identified by her Maryland driver's license. I, Inspector Tudhope informed her that the establishment was not permitted to be open and operating past 10:00pm as stated on their liquor license. At this time a male seated at the bar stated they were all employees of the establishment, Upon hearing this information I requested Ms. Cooley provide me with employee records to verify that, at which time the same individual that stated they were all employees instructed Ms. Cooley that she did not have to provide inspectors with any employee records and they will give them once the courts made them and we did not have a right to ask as we were harassing them. I, Inspector Tudhope informed Ms. Cooley and the individual instructing her that failure to provide employee records for my inspection would result in another violation. Ms. Cooley stated the individual instructing her was the bar manager and in charge and she did not know where they were kept as she was just the bar tender. At this time, I issued the violation and instructed the establishment to close. During the time of inspection, it was observed that numerous customers where attempting to enter the establishment. Task force left without further incident

Upon further investigation the manager that night was identified as Mr. Darnell Lessane from previous violations.

Photos Taken:





Attach Additional Photos

Report Prepared By:

Inspector(s)

Submission Date

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11/23/2022

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Disapprove

Board of Liquor License Commissioners

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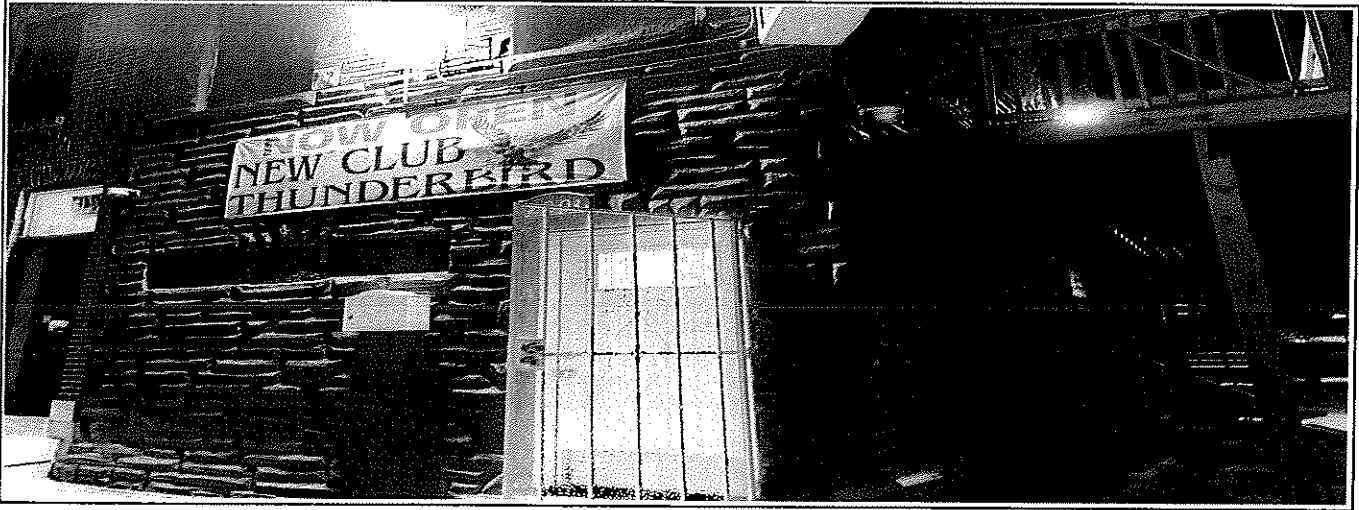
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Violation Reporting Facts:

On December 9, 2022 at approximately 10:10pm BLLC Inspectors Jordan and Tudhope began to make observations of the exterior of Club Thunderbird located at 2201 E. Chase St. to determine if they were operating within the scope of the limited hours of 9am to 10pm under the prohibitions set by HB954. Inspectors Jordan and Tudhope reported observing a couple walk into the establishment but never saw them leave the establishment during their observations. I arrived at the establishment at approximately 10:30pm and clearly could hear music playing at a low volume level. In addition to music playing, the interior and exterior lights were on and we could clearly hear people chatting. We attempted to gain entry to the establishment at approximately 10:35pm but were unsuccessful to gain entry to the establishment. We departed the establishment at approximately 10:40 pm with nothing further to report.

Photos Taken:





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12/31/2022



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License Info

License Num: **LBD7 406**

Cert Num: **1146**

Fee: **\$1,320.00** Status: **Renewed**

License Date: 5/1/2022

License Year: 2022

CR Number: 12827017

Payment Date: 08-11-22

2021 - 2022 TPP Paid

2022 Trader's License

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Location

Corp Name: **NEW CLUB THUNDERBIRD, INC**

Trade Name: **CLUB THUNDERBIRD**

Zone Code: 15

Phone: 443-835-1670

Block Num: 2201

City: BALTIMORE

Street: CHASE STREET EAST

State: MD

Zip: 21213

CR Number: 12827017

Portion of Business Used:

FIRST FLOOR FOR BUSINESS & BASEMENT FOR STORAGE

Restriction:

FRANCIS LITTLE, ROBERT MAURICE HORNE, MEMMIE WALKER, PHIL POWELL, CARL L. STEWART, ROBYN BYRD & DEIVRE MEREDITH BARRED FROM PREMISES. EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2020 HOURS OF OPERATION AND SALES ARE LIMITED TO 9AM TO 10PM UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF HB954 PASSED IN THE 2020 LEGISLATIVE SESSION. THIS RESTRICTION

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License Owners

First Name	Last Name	Street	City	State	Zip	Action	Change Owner
RONNIE	PLAYER	2128 CLIFTWOOD AVENUE	BALTIMORE	MD	21213	Edit	Remove Owner

Comments

Date	Comment	Action
01/13/2023	1/12/2023-Public Hearing Re:Violation of Alc. Bev. Art. 12-2004(c)(4); Violation of Rule 4.05 – Prohibited Hours :Violation of Alc. Bev. Art. 12-2004(c)(4): Violation of Rule 4.05 – Prohibited Hours :Violation of Rule 3.03(c) – Records (Employees) : Violation of Rule 3.02 – Cooperation *****Attorney requested a continuation of this matter until February 2023. Manager agrees to speak with the Chief Inspector regarding management operations. GRANTED (3-0 vote) -S.R	Delete
12/13/2022	11/21/2022 - PAID IN FULL \$625.00 for Violation Hearing dated October 20, 2022; Invoice #127503..../mb	Delete
11/16/2022	11/09/22 - Given an Invoice to Chief Inspector John Chrissomallis for Violation Hearing fee dated on Oct. 20, 2022; Fine Fee to be paid \$625.00.... /mb	Delete
10/25/2022	10/20/2022 - Public Hearing Re: Violation of Alc. Bev. Art. 12-2004(c)(4); and Violation of Rule 4.05 Prohibited Hours - ADMISSION OF GUILT - Alc. Bev. Art 12-2004(c)(4)-Fined \$250; Rule 4.05-Fined \$250; \$500 + \$125 admin fee = \$625 total fine, 30 days to pay (3-0 vote)..../jr	Delete
07/19/2022	Received & Processed 2021 Renewal Application; Invoice #126841..../sb	Delete
02/02/2022	****STATE OF MD TAX HOLD, letter sent to the Business address on January 27, 2022.****/mb	Delete
12/15/2020	****RELEASED STATE OF MD TAX HOLD CR NO. 17443742 AND CR. NO. 12827017*****.... /mb	Delete
12/15/2020	****RELEASED STATE OF MD TAX HOLD*****.... /mb	Delete
12/02/2020	Alcohol Awareness expires on 11/22/24 Rodnaya Williams (certified by John S. Murray)..../sb	Delete
10/28/2020	Mailed 2020 Renewal Application, the Release dated March 23, 2020; and New Office Hours statement on March 21, 2020 to establishment..../sb	Delete
07/09/2020	06/3020 Establishment was closed per Inspector who went to deliver re-issuance letter & license..../sb	Delete
06/29/2020	Gave letter and license to Chief Inspector Chrissomallis in reference of re-issuance of HB954 which restricts the hours of operation within the 45th Legislative District..../sb	Delete
06/25/2020	Letter regarding the hours of operation and change in restrictions due to HB954 will be delivered to the establishment along with revised license by an Inspector on 7/1/20. This letter allows the establishment to open daily from 9AM-10PM - . /kr	Delete
04/28/2020	04/17/20 - COVID-19 Letter was Returned..../sb	Delete
01/28/2020	****STATE OF MD TAX HOLD, letter sent to the Business address on January 28, 2020.****/sb	Delete
10/18/2019	Personal Property Tax Owed to City of Baltimore was cleared and received a certificate of Good standing on October 18, 2019..../mb.	Delete
09/26/2019	***PERSONAL PROPERTY TAX OWED TO CITY OF BALTIMORE Letter sent to Licensee/s Home Address on September 26, 2019.*** /mb	Delete
07/11/2019	Submitted 2018 Trader's License.... /sb	Delete
07/11/2019	****RELEASED STATE OF MD TAX HOLD on May 09, 2019*****.... /sb	Delete
01/25/2019	***STATE OF MD TAX HOLD, letter sent to Licensee on January 25, 2019.***/sb	Delete
02/12/2018	****RELEASED STATE OF MD TAX HOLD*****.... /sb	Delete
01/24/2018	***STATE OF MD TAX HOLD, letter sent to Licensee on January 23, 2018.***/mb	Delete
11/22/2016	Alcohol Awareness expires 11/03/20 (James Player).... /sb	Delete
06/07/2016	Ms. Player came in to make a payment for license fee (check invoice #103593,103592,103591)...K/R	Delete
05/06/2016	Mr. Player called and stated he will pick up license and pay for license on or about May 20th. Mr. Player has been advised if he is open and operating he will be in violation of the law. TRA.	Delete
04/27/2016	***** RELEASED STATE TAX HOLD ***** /sb	Delete
01/19/2016	State of MD Tax Hold, letter sent... /sb	Delete
06/10/2015	Merchant called and told him that he still owes for 2015 License Fee.... /sb	Delete
05/21/2015	Merchant called and he will pick license up around the 1st of June. I told him that he cannot sell any alcohol until he comes in pay annual fee and pick up the license. He say ok.... /sb	Delete
05/14/2015	RELEASED STATE OF MD TAX HOLD.... /sb	Delete
05/14/2015	Merchant came in and paid \$1,320.00 2014 Annual License Fee. Still have Tax Hold, asked merchant to call the State again.... /sb	Delete
02/03/2015	State of MD Tax Hold, letter sent to merchant on January 23, 2015.	Delete

01/23/2015	01/23/15 - Sent letter stating that 2014 annual renewal license fee was not paid.	Delete
11/10/2014	11/06/2014 Public Hearing re: Request to reopen after being closed for more than 90 days. APPROVED (180 day extension) \$100 PAID	Delete
11/21/2008	08/01/08 \$625 FINE PAID IN FULL #64566	Delete
11/21/2008	07/31/08 Public Hearing re: Violation of rule 4.01(a) DECISION: 3/27/08 DISMISSED & 6/5/08 GUILTY \$500 + \$125 ADM.FEE=\$625	Delete

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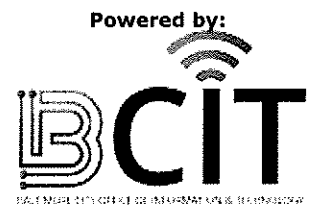
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Comment:

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Hold Info



NEW CLUB THUNDERBIRD, INC.: D11456993

Department ID Number:

D11456993

Business Name:

NEW CLUB THUNDERBIRD, INC.

Principal Office: ⓘ

2201 EAST CHASE STREET

BALTIMORE MD 21213

Resident Agent: ⓘ

VERNICE TORAIN

1644 PENTWOOD ROAD

BALTIMORE MD 21239

Status:

FORFEITED

Good Standing:

THIS BUSINESS IS NOT IN GOOD STANDING

Business Type:

CORPORATION

Business Code:

04 ORDINARY BUSINESS - NON-STOCK

Date of Formation/ Registration:

08/17/2006

State of Formation:

MD

Stock Status:

NONSTOCK

Close Status:

NO