

**BALTIMORE CITY BOARD OF LIQUOR LICENSE COMMISSIONERS**

**HEARING DISPOSITIONS**

**THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 2020  
WEBEX VIRTUAL HEARING  
BALTIMORE, MARYLAND**

**Albert Matricciani, Jr., Chairperson  
Aaron Greenfield, Commissioner  
Robert E. Guye, Commissioner**

**Violations Docket – Violation of Rule 3.12, Rule 4.16,  
Rule 4.05(a) and Rule 4.05(b) 11:00 AM**

Amigos Bar, Inc., t/a Amigos Bar  
400 S. Eaton Street, Baltimore MD 21224

License # LD 041  
2<sup>nd</sup> Councilmanic District (McCray)

**Attorney for Applicant:** Peter Prevas

**Alleged violation of Rule 3.12 (General Welfare) when at approximately 1:55 a.m. on August 13, 2020 members of the BLLC responded to a 311 call regarding loud music emanating from the establishment. Upon arrival, the inspectors proceeded to the interior of the establishment and observed approximately 15 individuals at the bar, some were consuming beer out of 12-ounce bottles. The inspectors made contact with the manager, informing them that the license issued was only allowed to operate from 6:00 a.m. to 1:00 a.m. Monday through Saturday. Along with operating after hours, the inspector informed the manager that they were in violation of the Mayor’s Executive Order issued on August 7, 2020, which received its authorization from the Governor’s Executive order issued on August 3, 2020, specifically the Mayor’s Executive Order prohibited indoor on premise consumption of food and/or beverages after 10:00 p.m.**

**Alleged violation of Rule 4.16 (Illegal Conduct) when at approximately 1:55 a.m. on August 13, 2020 members of the BLLC responded to a 311 call regarding loud music emanating from the establishment. Upon arrival, the inspectors proceeded to the interior of the establishment and observed approximately 15 individuals at the bar, some were consuming beer out of 12-ounce bottles. The inspectors made contact with the manager, informing them that the license issued was only allowed to operate from 6:00 a.m. to 1:00 a.m. Monday through Saturday. Along with operating after hours, the inspector informed the manager that they were in violation of the Mayor’s Executive Order issued on August 7, 2020, which received its authorization from the Governor’s Executive order issued on August 3, 2020, specifically the Mayor’s Executive Order prohibited indoor on premise consumption of food and/or beverages after 10:00 p.m.**

**Alleged violation of Rule 4.05(a) (Prohibited Hours) when at approximately 1:55 a.m. on August 13, 2020 members of the BLLC responded to a 311 call regarding loud music emanating from the establishment. Upon arrival, the inspectors proceeded to the interior of**

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Alleged violation of Rule 4.05(b) (Prohibited Hours) when at approximately 1:55 a.m. on August 13, 2020 members of the BLLC responded to a 311 call regarding loud music emanating from the establishment. Upon arrival, the inspectors proceeded to the interior of the establishment and observed approximately 15 individuals at the bar, some were consuming beer out of 12-ounce bottles. The inspectors made contact with the manager, informing them that the license issued was only allowed to operate from 6:00 a.m. to 1:00 a.m. Monday through Saturday. Along with operating after hours, the inspector informed the manager that they were in violation of the Mayor's Executive Order issued on August 7, 2020, which received its authorization from the Governor's Executive order issued on August 3, 2020, specifically the Mayor's Executive Order prohibited indoor on premise consumption of food and/or beverages after 10:00 p.m.

**Corporate Standing:** Amigos Bar, Inc. is an active Maryland corporation not in good standing as of September 8, 2020.

**Location Violation History:** None since 2016.

**Witnesses:** Javier Navarro Setlo – Licensee's Brother, Andy Perez – BLLC Agent Inspector, Walter Farley-Robinson – BLLC Inspector

**Disposition:** The Board has found that the licensee violated Rule 3.12, Rule 4.16, Rule 4.05(a), and Rule 4.05(b) on August 13, 2020 and imposed a fine of \$200 and an administrative fee of \$125, both payable within 30 days.

**Violations Docket – Violation of Rule 4.16 and Rule 3.08(a)**

**11:00 AM**

Summers & Associates Management, LLC, t/a Red Door Lounge

1000 N. Payson Street, Baltimore MD 21217

License # LBD7 044

9<sup>th</sup> Councilmanic District (Bullock)

**Attorney for Applicant:**

Alleged violation of Rule 4.16 (Illegal Conduct) when at approximately 9:20 p.m. on July 31, 2020 members of the BLLC along with members of the task force, which included the Baltimore City Fire Department, Baltimore City Police Department, Baltimore City's Department of Community and Housing Development, and Baltimore City Health Department, to conduct an inspection to ensure the establishment is within compliance of the Mayor's Executive Order issued on July 22, 2020, which received its authorization from the Governor's Executive Order issued on June 10, 2020, specifically the Mayor's

**Executive Order prohibited indoor on premises consumption of food and/or beverages and only allowed outdoor consumption of food and beverages to patrons seated at tables. Upon arrival, the inspectors discovered that the 200 block of Mosher Street had been closed with barriers and tents, that housed tables and chairs, had been set up and were being used to provide outdoor seating to patrons of the establishment. Inspectors reviewed the liquor license of the establishment and noticed that the establishment did not have outdoor seating and then inquired of management if a temporary use permit from the Department of Housing and Community Development allowing outdoor consumption with accompanying BLLC temporary license permit extension had been issued obtained to provide this service. Management provided that they had obtained a temporary Fire Permit, but the DHCD temporary Outdoor Seating permit and BLLC temporary outdoor extension had not yet been issued.**

**Alleged violation of Rule 3.08(a) (Sanitation and Safety) when at approximately 9:20 p.m. on July 31, 2020 members of the BLLC along with members of the task force, which included the Baltimore City Fire Department, Baltimore City Police Department, Baltimore City's Department of Community and Housing Development, and Baltimore City Health Department, to conduct an inspection to ensure the establishment is within compliance of the Mayor's Executive Order issued on July 22, 2020, which received its authorization from the Governor's Executive Order issued on June 10, 2020, specifically the Mayor's Executive Order prohibited indoor on premises consumption of food and/or beverages and only allowed outdoor consumption of food and beverages to patrons seated at tables. Upon arrival, the inspectors discovered that the 200 block of Mosher Street had been closed with barriers and tents, that housed tables and chairs, had been set up and were being used to provide outdoor seating to patrons of the establishment. Inspectors reviewed the liquor license of the establishment and noticed that the establishment did not have outdoor seating and then inquired of management if a temporary use permit from the Department of Housing and Community Development allowing outdoor consumption with accompanying BLLC temporary license permit extension had been issued obtained to provide this service. Management provided that they had obtained a temporary Fire Permit, but the DHCD temporary Outdoor Seating permit and BLLC temporary outdoor extension had not yet been issued.**

**Corporate Standing:** Summers & Associates Management, LLC is an not active Maryland corporation in good standing as of September 8, 2020.

**Location Violation History:** November 21, 2019 – Violation of Rule 4.01(a) (Sales to Minors) – Fined \$1,125

**Witnesses:** Dante Summers – Licensee, Andy Perez – BLLC Agent Inspector, Cindy-Leigh Tudhope – BLLC Inspector

**Disposition:** The Board has found that the licensee violated Rule 4.16 and Rule 3.08(a) on July 31, 2020 and imposed a fine of \$100 and an administrative fee of \$125, both payable within 30 days.

**Violations Docket – Violation of Rule 3.12 and Rule 3.12**

**11:00 AM**

Carolina Tex-Mex Restaurant, LLC, t/a Carolina Tex-Mex Restaurant  
500 S. Wolfe Street, Baltimore MD 21231

License # LB 244  
1<sup>st</sup> Councilmanic District (Cohen)

**Attorney for Applicant:** Peter Prevas

**Alleged violation of Rule 3.12 (General Welfare) when at approximately 11:20 p.m. on August 16, 2020 members of the BLLC responded to a 311 call for service regarding loud music emanating from the establishment. Upon arrival, the inspectors observed a loud speaker set up next to the front door of the establishment, which was open, thereby allowing unreasonably loud music to emanate from the speaker over a block away, which was causing a nuisance to the surrounding neighborhood. At that time, the inspectors entered the establishment and made contact with the manager and informed them that a violation would be issued.**

**Alleged violation of Rule 3.12 (General Welfare) when at approximately 10:45 p.m. on August 31, 2020 members of the BLLC responded to a 311 call for service regarding loud music emanating from the establishment. Upon arrival, the inspectors observed a loud speaker set up next to the front door of the establishment, which was open, thereby allowing unreasonably loud music to emanate from the speaker over a block away, which was causing a nuisance to the surrounding neighborhood. At that time, the inspectors entered the establishment and made contact with the manager and instructed them to lower the music. In addition, the manager removed the loud speaker from the entrance of the establishment.**

**Corporate Standing:** Carolina Tex-Mex Restaurant, LLC is an active Maryland corporation not in good standing as of October 19, 2020.

**Location Violation History:** None; License moved location 4/3/2019.

**Witnesses:** Pedro Silva – Licensee’s Husband/Co-Operator, Rosalba Jordan – BLLC Inspector, Terri Chase – BLLC Agent Inspector, Darryl Clark – BLLC Agent Inspector

**Disposition:** The Board has found that the licensee violated Rule 3.12 on August 16, 2020 and Rule 3.12 on August 31, 2020 and imposed a fine of \$100 and an administrative fee of \$125, both payable within 30 days.

**Violations Docket – Violation of Alc. Bev. Art. 12-905(d)(2) and Rule 4.05(b) 11:00 AM**

Harimaya, LLC, t/a Bexx Liquor  
600-04 N. Chester Street, Baltimore MD 21205

License # LA 032  
13<sup>th</sup> Councilmanic District (Sneed)

**Attorney for Applicant:** Frank Boozer

**Alleged violation of Alc. Bev. Art. 12-905(d)(2) when at approximately 8:40 a.m. on August 20, 2020 members of the BLLC visited the location to conduct a business check to determine if the establishment was in compliance with the limited hours of operation proscribed by HB954 that went into effect July 1, 2020 (9:00 a.m. – 10:00 p.m.). Upon arrival, the BLLC staff observed that the location was open and operating before 9:00 a.m.**

**Alleged violation of Rule 4.05(b) (Prohibited Hours) when at approximately 8:40 a.m. on August 20, 2020 members of the BLLC visited the location to conduct a business check to determine if the establishment was in compliance with the limited hours of operation proscribed by HB954 that went into effect July 1, 2020 (9:00 a.m. – 10:00 p.m.). Upon arrival, the BLLC staff observed that the location was open and operating before 9:00 a.m.**  
**Corporate Standing:** Harimaya, LLC is an active Maryland corporation in good standing as of October 19, 2020.

**Location Violation History:** March 14, 2019 – Violation of Rule 4.01(a) (Sales to Minors) – \ Fined \$625

**Witnesses:** Darryl Clark – BLLC Agent Inspector, Steven Han – BLLC Agent Inspector

**Disposition:** The Board has found that the licensee violated Alc. Bev. Art. 12-905(d)(2) and Rule 4.05(b) on August 20, 2020 and imposed a fine of \$100 and an administrative fee of \$125, both payable within 30 days.

**Violations Docket – Violation of Alc. Bev. Art. 12-905(d)2) and Rule 4.05(b) 11:00 AM**

2250 Group, LLC, t/a Robbie's Nest

License # LBD7 356

2250 E. North Avenue, Baltimore MD 21213

12<sup>th</sup> Councilmanic District (Stokes)

**Attorney for Applicant:** Jay Yoo

**Alleged violation of Alc. Bev. Art. 12-905(d)(2) when at approximately 8:10 a.m. on August 20, 2020 members of the BLLC visited the location to conduct a business check to determine if the establishment was in compliance with the limited hours of operation proscribed by HB954 that went into effect July 1, 2020 (9:00 a.m. – 10:00 p.m.). Upon arrival, the BLLC staff observed that the location was open and operating before 9:00 a.m.**

**Alleged violation of Rule 4.05(b) (Prohibited Hours) when at approximately 8:10 a.m. on August 20, 2020 members of the BLLC visited the location to conduct a business check to determine if the establishment was in compliance with the limited hours of operation proscribed by HB954 that went into effect July 1, 2020 (9:00 a.m. – 10:00 p.m.). Upon arrival, the BLLC staff observed that the location was open and operating before 9:00 a.m.**

**Corporate Standing:** 2250 Group, LLC is an active Maryland corporation not in good standing as of October 19, 2020.

**Location Violation History:** March 14, 2019 – Violation of Rule 4.01(a) (Sales to Minors) – Fined \$1,325

May 3, 2018 – Violation of Rule 4.01(a) (Sales to Minors) – Fined \$625

**Witnesses:** Un Taek Sim – Licensee, Darryl Clark – BLLC Agent Inspector, Steven Han – BLLC Agent Inspector

**Disposition:** The Board has found that the licensee violated Alc. Bev. Art. 12-905(d)(2) and Rule 4.05(b) on August 20, 2020 and imposed a fine of \$100 and an administrative fee of \$125, both payable within 30 days.