



***October 29, 2019***

***The City of Atlanta License Review Board Meeting was called to order at 5:16 P.M.***

***License Review Board Members Present:***

***Ms. Joy Barnes (Chair)***

***Mr. Byron Amos***

***Ms. Drownell Thomas***

***Ms. Mishon Williams***

***Representing the Atlanta Police Department***

***Lt. M. Cotter***

***Sgt. M. Wulf***

***Inv. R. Scandrick***

***Inv. E. Miles***

***Insp. B. Coven***

***Representing the City of Atlanta Law Department***

***Ms. Kimberly Carlisle***

***Ms. Jina Haynes***

***Ms. Krista Morrison***

***Court Reporter***

***Ms. Meghan Elder***

***The meeting was adjourned at 6:54 P.M.***

***The minutes are prepared by B. Coven.***

**CONSENT AGENDA**

**SPECIAL EVENT**

1. Application of Atlanta Beltline Partnership, Inc. d/b/a Beltline 5K, Lorie Smith; agent. License requested to operate a non-profit special event with liquor and beer consumed on premises, Saturday December 7, 2019 from 9:00a.m.-12:00noon, at 112 Krog Street. (non-profit special event) RS

BOARD RECOMMENDS: ( **X** ) Approved ( ) Adverse ( ) Held for \_\_\_\_\_ Weeks

COMMENTS: \_\_\_\_\_  
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2. Application of Children’s Healthcare of Atlanta Foundation, Inc. d/b/a Teddy Bear Crusade, Elizabeth L. Leslie; agent. License requested to operate a non-profit special event with liquor, beer and wine consumed on premises, Friday December 6, 2019 from 8:00p.m.-12:00midnight, at Mercedes Benz Buckhead, 2799 Piedmont Road. (non-profit special event) RS

BOARD RECOMMENDS: ( **X** ) Approved ( ) Adverse ( ) Held for \_\_\_\_\_ Weeks

COMMENTS: \_\_\_\_\_  
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3. Application of For the Kid in All of Us, Inc. d/b/a Toy Party, Jeffrey M. Mayhew; agent. License requested to operate a non-profit special event with liquor, beer and wine consumed on premises, Sunday December 15, 2019 from 5:00p.m.-11:00p.m., at Atlanta Events Center, 1150 B Peachtree Street. (non-profit special event) RS

BOARD RECOMMENDS: ( **X** ) Approved ( ) Adverse ( ) Held for \_\_\_\_\_ Weeks

COMMENTS: \_\_\_\_\_  
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4. Application of Urban League of Greater Atlanta, Inc. d/b/a Equal Opportunity Day Dinner & Gala, Shaundra K. Anderson; agent. License requested to operate a non-profit special event with wine consumed on premises, Saturday November 16, 2019 from 7:00p.m.-11:00p.m., at Hilton Atlanta, 255 Courtland Street NE. (non-profit special event) RS

BOARD RECOMMENDS: ( **X** ) Approved ( ) Adverse ( ) Held for \_\_\_\_\_ Weeks

COMMENTS: \_\_\_\_\_  
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**CONSENT AGENDA**

**SPECIAL EVENT**

5. Application of Atlanta Art Papers, Inc. d/b/a 21<sup>st</sup> Annual Art Papers Art Auction, Saskia Benjamin; agent. License requested to operate a non-profit special event with liquor beer and wine consumed on premises, Saturday February 22, 2020 from 6:00p.m.-11:00p.m., at Southern Exchange, 200 Peachtree Street NW. (non-profit special event) RS

BOARD RECOMMENDS: ( **X** ) Approved ( ) Adverse ( ) Held for \_\_\_\_\_ Weeks

COMMENTS: \_\_\_\_\_  
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6. Application of Georgia Hispanic Chamber of Commerce Business Development Center, Inc. d/b/a Red Bull Music Festival Atlanta, Jesus R. Tapia; agent. License requested to operate a non-profit special event with liquor beer and wine consumed on premises, Friday November 1, 2019 from 8:00p.m.-2:00a.m., Saturday November 2, 2019 from 12:00noon-5:00p.m., and Sunday November 3, 2019 from 12:00noon-6:00p.m., at 874 Joseph E. Lowery Boulevard NW. (non-profit special event) RS

BOARD RECOMMENDS: ( **X** ) Approved ( ) Adverse ( ) Held for \_\_\_\_\_ Weeks

COMMENTS: \_\_\_\_\_  
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7. Application of Georgia Hispanic Chamber of Commerce Business Development Center, Inc. d/b/a Red Bull Music Festival Atlanta, Jesus R. Tapia; agent. License requested to operate a non-profit special event with liquor beer and wine consumed on premises, Monday November 4, 2019 from 2:00p.m.-8:00p.m., Tuesday November 5, 2019 from 2:00p.m.-10:00p.m., and Wednesday November 6, 2019 from 2:00p.m.-5:00p.m., at 874 Joseph E. Lowery Boulevard NW. (non-profit special event) RS

BOARD RECOMMENDS: ( **X** ) Approved ( ) Adverse ( ) Held for \_\_\_\_\_ Weeks

COMMENTS: \_\_\_\_\_  
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8. Application of Georgia Hispanic Chamber of Commerce Business Development Center, Inc. d/b/a Red Bull Music Festival Atlanta, Jesus R. Tapia; agent. License requested to operate a non-profit special event with liquor beer and wine consumed on premises, Sunday November 3, 2019 from 11:00a.m.-12:00midnight, at 787 Windsor Street. (non-profit special event) RS

BOARD RECOMMENDS: ( **X** ) Approved ( ) Adverse ( ) Held for \_\_\_\_\_ Weeks

COMMENTS: \_\_\_\_\_  
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**CONSENT AGENDA**

**SPECIAL EVENT**

9. Application of Georgia Hispanic Chamber of Commerce Business Development Center, Inc. d/b/a Red Bull Music Festival Atlanta, Jesus R. Tapia; agent. License requested to operate a non-profit special event with liquor beer and wine consumed on premises, Thursday November 14, 2019 from 10:00a.m.-2:00a.m., at 713 Ralph David Abernathy Boulevard. (non-profit special event) RS

BOARD RECOMMENDS: (  ) Approved (  ) Adverse (  ) Held for \_\_\_\_\_ Weeks

COMMENTS: \_\_\_\_\_  
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10. Application of Ian's Friends Foundation, Inc. d/b/a 12<sup>th</sup> Annual Evening of Inspiration, Cheryl Yagoda; agent. License requested to operate a non-profit special event with liquor beer and wine consumed on premises, Saturday November 16, 2019 from 9:00a.m.-11:00p.m., at Intercontinental Buckhead, 3315 Peachtree Road. (non-profit special event) RS

BOARD RECOMMENDS: (  ) Approved (  ) Adverse (  ) Held for \_\_\_\_\_ Weeks

COMMENTS: \_\_\_\_\_  
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11. Application of Captain Planet Foundation, Inc. d/b/a Captain Planet Foundation Benefit Gala, Leese Elizabeth Lynn Carter-Jones; agent. License requested to operate a non-profit special event with liquor beer and wine consumed on premises, Saturday November 16, 2019 from 9:00a.m.-11:00p.m., at Flourish, 3143 Maple Drive. (non-profit special event) RS

BOARD RECOMMENDS: (  ) Approved (  ) Adverse (  ) Held for \_\_\_\_\_ Weeks

COMMENTS: \_\_\_\_\_  
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**OUTDOOR FESTIVAL**

12. Application of Lanta Gras Co d/b/a Lanta Gras, John A. Greene; agent. License requested to operate a non-profit outdoor festival with beer consumed on premises, Saturday January 25, 2020 from 11:00a.m.-5:00p.m., in the street at 1976 Hosea L. Williams NE. (non-profit outdoor festival) RS

BOARD RECOMMENDS: (  ) Approved (  ) Adverse (  ) Held for \_\_\_\_\_ Weeks

COMMENTS: \_\_\_\_\_  
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**RESTAURANT / SPIRITUOUS LIQUOR CONSUMED**

13. Application of BFA Production Co., LLC d/b/a Cosmo Restaurant and Lounge, Bryan A. Wynder II; agent. License requested to operate a restaurant with liquor beer and wine consumed on premises, at 523 Whitehall Street. **NPU-V CD#4** (new business) EEM

BOARD RECOMMENDS: ( ) Approved ( ) Adverse ( **X** ) Held for \_\_\_\_\_Weeks

COMMENTS: \_\_\_\_\_  
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14. Application of 224 Cafe, LLC d/b/a 224 Café & Restaurant, Sarangbe Fofana; agent. License requested to operate a restaurant with liquor beer and wine consumed on premises and live entertainment, at 250 Auburn Avenue. (new business) **NPU- CD#** EEM

BOARD RECOMMENDS: ( **X** ) Approved ( ) Adverse ( ) Held for \_\_\_\_\_Weeks

COMMENTS: \_\_\_\_\_  
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15. Application of Alma II, LLC d/b/a Alma Cocina Buckhead, Steven D. Simon; agent. License requested to operate a restaurant with liquor beer and wine consumed on premises, at 3280 Peachtree Road Terminus 100. (new app/old loc) **NPU-B CD#7 GS**

BOARD RECOMMENDS: ( **X** ) Approved ( ) Adverse ( ) Held for \_\_\_\_\_Weeks

COMMENTS: \_\_\_\_\_  
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16. Application of Pasha Atlanta, LLC d/b/a Pasha Restaurant and Bar, Goun Hanna; agent. License requested to operate a restaurant with liquor beer and wine consumed on premises, at 631 Miami Circle Unit #7. (new business) EEM

BOARD RECOMMENDS: ( **X** ) Approved ( ) Adverse ( ) Held for \_\_\_\_\_Weeks

COMMENTS: \_\_\_\_\_  
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**RESTAURANT / SPIRITUOUS LIQUOR CONSUMED**

17. Application of PB&J Eats, LLC d/b/a Ponko, J. Espisito II; agent. License requested to operate a restaurant with liquor beer and wine consumed on premises, at 915 West Peachtree Street Suite 6. (change of ownership) EEM

BOARD RECOMMENDS: ( ) Approved ( ) Adverse ( **X** ) Held for \_\_\_\_\_ Weeks

COMMENTS: \_\_\_\_\_  
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18. Application of Park 27 BBQ, LLC d/b/a Park 27 Korean BBQ & Bar, Doo C. Park; agent. License requested to operate a restaurant with liquor beer and wine consumed on premises, at 950 West Peachtree Street NW Suite 255. (change of ownership) EEM

BOARD RECOMMENDS: ( **X** ) Approved ( ) Adverse ( ) Held for \_\_\_\_\_ Weeks

COMMENTS: \_\_\_\_\_  
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19. Application of Blue Bar Atlanta, Inc. d/b/a Blue Martini, Sal Akturk; agent. License requested to operate a restaurant with liquor beer and wine consumed on premises, customer dancing, and live entertainment, at 3402 Piedmont Road. (new business) **NPU-B CD#6 GS**

BOARD RECOMMENDS: ( **X** ) Approved ( ) Adverse ( ) Held for \_\_\_\_\_ Weeks

COMMENTS: \_\_\_\_\_  
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20. Application of Brewhouse Cafe, Inc. d/b/a Brewhouse Cafe, Saakib Zafrani; agent. License requested to operate a restaurant with liquor beer and wine consumed on premises, at 401 Moreland Avenue. (change of ownership) **NPU-N CD#2 RS**

BOARD RECOMMENDS: ( ) Approved ( ) Adverse ( **X** ) Held for \_\_\_\_\_ Weeks

COMMENTS: \_\_\_\_\_  
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**RESTAURANT / SPIRITUOUS LIQUOR CONSUMED**

21. Application of Brewhouse Cafe, Inc. d/b/a Brewhouse Cafe, Saakib Zafrani; agent. License requested to operate a restaurant with liquor beer and wine consumed on premises, at 401 Moreland Avenue. (change of ownership/patio) **NPU-N CD#2 RS**

BOARD RECOMMENDS: ( ) Approved ( ) Adverse ( **X**) Held for \_\_\_\_\_Weeks

COMMENTS: \_\_\_\_\_  
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22. Application of Coffee & Tea Bar Hospitality, Inc. d/b/a NO 18 Buckhead, Christen N. Pemberton; agent. License requested to operate a restaurant with liquor beer and wine consumed on premises, customer dancing, and live entertainment, at 3017 Bolling Way Floors 1-2. (new business) **NPU-B CD#7 EEM**

BOARD RECOMMENDS: ( **X**) Approved ( ) Adverse ( ) Held for \_\_\_\_\_Weeks

COMMENTS: \_\_\_\_\_  
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23. Application of EMSM, LLC d/b/a Little Bear Restaurant, Jarrett D. Stieber; agent. License requested to operate a restaurant with liquor beer and wine consumed on premises, at 71 Georgia Avenue Unit A. (new business) **EEM**

BOARD RECOMMENDS: ( ) Approved ( ) Adverse ( **X**) Held for \_\_\_\_\_Weeks

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**BREWERY**

24. Application of Hallway Brewing, LLC d/b/a Hallway Brewing, Elliott P. Hall; agent. License requested to operate a brewery with beer, at 975 Chattahoochee Avenue NW. **NPU-D CD#9** (new business) **RS**

BOARD RECOMMENDS: ( **X**) Approved ( ) Adverse ( ) Held for \_\_\_\_\_Weeks

COMMENTS: \_\_\_\_\_  
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**NIGHT CLUB / SPIRITUOUS LIQUOR CONSUMED**

25. Application of Growing Tree, LLC d/b/a The Goat Club, Muhammet Erkek; agent. License requested to operate a restaurant with liquor beer and wine consumed on premises, customer dancing, and live entertainment, at 2200 Cheshire Bridge Road. (new business) **NPU- CD# EEM**

BOARD RECOMMENDS: ( ) Approved ( ) Adverse ( **X**) Held for \_\_\_\_\_Weeks

COMMENTS: \_\_\_\_\_  
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**TRANSFER OF LOCATION**

26. Application of Black Lion Cafe d/b/Black Lion Cafe, Abera T. Gebru; agent. License requested to operate a restaurant with liquor beer and wine consumed on premises, customer dancing, and live entertainment, at 253 Auburn Avenue. (transfer of location) **EEM**

BOARD RECOMMENDS: ( **X**) Approved ( ) Adverse ( ) Held for \_\_\_\_\_Weeks

COMMENTS: \_\_\_\_\_  
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**RESTAURANT / BEER AND WINE CONSUMED**

27. Application of The Kroger Co. d/b/a Kroger #695, Daniel S. Thurman; agent. License requested to operate a restaurant with beer and wine consumed on premises, at 725 Ponce de Leon Avenue NE. (old app/old loc) **NPU-N CD#2 RS**

BOARD RECOMMENDS: ( **X**) Approved ( ) Adverse ( ) Held for \_\_\_\_\_Weeks

COMMENTS: \_\_\_\_\_  
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**RETAIL PACKAGE / BEER AND WINE**

28. Application of The Kroger Co. d/b/a Kroger #695, Daniel S. Thurman; agent. License requested to operate a retail package with beer and wine, at 725 Ponce de Leon Avenue NE. (old app/old loc) **NPU-N CD#2 RS**

BOARD RECOMMENDS: ( **X**) Approved ( ) Adverse ( ) Held for \_\_\_\_\_Weeks

COMMENTS: \_\_\_\_\_  
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**SPECIALTY FOOD SHOP / BEER AND WINE**

29. Application of Chiangs Family, Inc. d/b/a Blue Chip Cafe, James Beggs; agent. License requested to operate a specialty food store retail package with beer and wine, at 3333 Peachtree Road. (new business) EEM

BOARD RECOMMENDS: ( ) Approved ( ) Adverse ( **X** ) Held for \_\_\_\_\_ Weeks

COMMENTS: \_\_\_\_\_  
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**OUTDOOR MARKET / SPIRITUOUS LIQUOR CONSUMED**

30. Application of LVA4 Atlanta Colony Square, LP d/b/a Colony Square, Rebecca Holland; agent. License requested to operate an outdoor market with liquor beer and wine consumed on premises and live entertainment, at 1175-1197 Peachtree Street Suite 780. (new business) **NPU-E CD#6** RS

BOARD RECOMMENDS: ( ) Approved ( ) Adverse ( **X** ) Held for \_\_\_\_\_ Weeks

COMMENTS: \_\_\_\_\_  
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**COURTYARD MARKET / SPIRITUOUS LIQUOR CONSUMED**

31. Application of MDH-Ackerman Lee & White, LLC d/b/a MDH-Ackerman Lee & White, Donald K. Miller; agent. License requested to operate a courtyard market with liquor beer and wine consumed on premises and live entertainment, at 929 Lee Street and 1000-1070 White Street. (new business) EEM

BOARD RECOMMENDS: ( ) Approved ( ) Adverse ( **X** ) Held for \_\_\_\_\_ Weeks

COMMENTS: \_\_\_\_\_  
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**OPEN AIR CAFÉ / SPIRITUOUS LIQUOR CONSUMED**

32. Application of Big Citizen, LLLP d/b/a Wonderkid, Eric Simpkins; agent. License requested to operate an open air cafe with liquor, beer and wine consumed on premises, at 777 Memorial Drive Suite 101-A. (new business) **NPU-N CD#5** GS

BOARD RECOMMENDS: ( **X** ) Approved ( ) Adverse ( ) Held for \_\_\_\_\_ Weeks

COMMENTS: \_\_\_\_\_  
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**HOTEL / SPIRITUOUS LIQUOR CONSUMED**

33. Application of W Atlanta Midtown Beverage, LLC d/b/a W Atlanta Midtown (Banquet Hall), Jonathan K. Teague; agent. License requested to operate a hotel with liquor, beer and wine consumed on premises, customer dancing, and live entertainment, at 188 14<sup>th</sup> Street. (change of agent/main facility) **NPU-E CD#6 GS**

BOARD RECOMMENDS: ( **X** ) Approved ( ) Adverse ( ) Held for \_\_\_\_\_ Weeks

COMMENTS: \_\_\_\_\_  
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34. Application of W Atlanta Midtown Beverage, LLC d/b/a W Atlanta Midtown (Lobby Lounge), Jonathan K. Teague; agent. License requested to operate a hotel with liquor, beer and wine consumed on premises, customer dancing, and live entertainment, at 188 14<sup>th</sup> Street. (change of agent/additional facility) **NPU-E CD#6 GS**

BOARD RECOMMENDS: ( **X** ) Approved ( ) Adverse ( ) Held for \_\_\_\_\_ Weeks

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35. Application of W Atlanta Midtown Beverage, LLC d/b/a W Atlanta Midtown (TRACE), Jonathan K. Teague; agent. License requested to operate a hotel with liquor, beer and wine consumed on premises, customer dancing, and live entertainment, at 188 14<sup>th</sup> Street. (change of agent/additional facility) **NPU-E CD#6 GS**

BOARD RECOMMENDS: ( **X** ) Approved ( ) Adverse ( ) Held for \_\_\_\_\_ Weeks

COMMENTS: \_\_\_\_\_  
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36. Application of W Atlanta Midtown Beverage, LLC d/b/a W Atlanta Midtown (Whiskey Park), Jonathan K. Teague; agent. License requested to operate a hotel with liquor, beer and wine consumed on premises, customer dancing, and live entertainment, at 188 14<sup>th</sup> Street. (change of agent/additional facility) **NPU-E CD#6 GS**

BOARD RECOMMENDS: ( **X** ) Approved ( ) Adverse ( ) Held for \_\_\_\_\_ Weeks

COMMENTS: \_\_\_\_\_  
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**RETAIL PACKAGE / BEER AND WINE**

37. Application of 785 Investment, LLC d/b/a Westend Stop N Shop, Shams Rehman; agent. License requested to operate a retail package with beer and wine at, 785 Lee Street SW. **NPU- CD#** (change of ownership) EEM

BOARD RECOMMENDS: ( ) Approved ( ) Adverse ( **X** ) Held for \_\_\_\_\_ Weeks

COMMENTS: \_\_\_\_\_  
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**FOOD STORE / BEER AND WINE**

38. Application of Diamond Brothers USA, Inc. d/b/a Peach Mart, Zahir Amlani; agent. License requested to operate a food store retail package with beer and wine at, 218 Peachtree Street. **NPU-M CD#** (change of ownership) GS

BOARD RECOMMENDS: ( **X** ) Approved ( ) Adverse ( ) Held for \_\_\_\_\_ Weeks

COMMENTS: \_\_\_\_\_  
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**NPU RECOMMENDATION AS A DENIAL**

39. Application of Bangla Buddys, Inc. d/b/a Food Mart, Fakrul Ahmed; agent. License requested to operate a retail package with beer and wine at, 151 Cleveland Avenue SW. **NPU- CD#8**(change of ownership/npu denial) EEM

BOARD RECOMMENDS: ( ) Approved ( **X** ) Adverse ( ) Held for \_\_\_\_\_ Weeks

COMMENTS: \_\_\_\_\_  
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**DUE CAUSE**

40. Due cause for Déjà vu Sports Bar and Lounge, LLC d/b/a The Voo 2, Jonnika Hart; agent. Location licensed as a restaurant with liquor beer and wine consumed on premises, customer dancing, and live entertainment, at 2997 Campbellton Road. (due cause/failure to supervise/hours of operation/compliance with chapter) QG

BOARD RECOMMENDS: ( **X** ) Approved ( ) Adverse ( ) Held for \_\_\_\_\_ Weeks

COMMENTS: Sixty (60) Day Suspension and \$5,000 Fine  
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