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# ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE CONTROL COMMISSION

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# **Commission Meeting Summary**

March 16, 2022

ABC Commission Office Complex Hearing Room 101 – 10:00 AM

#### **SECTION I**

## **CONTINUED CASES**

## Suspension:

1. T/A Yummy Crab

New Crazy Crab Fourth, Inc. 516 Tyvola Road Charlotte, NC 28217 00279374AJ-999 AJ AL AY ALE District VI

Offer in compromise: 20-day suspension, avoided upon payment of \$2,000.00 on charges of (1) failing to destroy unconsumed alcoholic beverages, (2) failing to purchase from a wholesaler, (3) failing to maintain invoices regarding alcoholic beverages purchases, and (4) failing to superintend.

#### **SECTION II**

#### **OFFERS IN COMPROMISE**

## Suspension:

2. T/A Bond Brothers Beer Company

Bond Brothers Beer Company, LLC 202 East Cedar Street Cary, NC 27511 00237310AJ-999 AJ AL

#### ALE District IV

Offer in Compromise: 11-day suspension, avoided upon payment of \$1,100.00 on charges of (1) employee selling alcoholic beverages from a draught faucet without proper brand name label (2) employee wearing uniform while consuming alcoholic beverages, and (3) employee performing services after having consumed alcoholic beverages.

## 3. T/A Circle K 2720925

Circle K Stores, Inc. 1818 North Berkley Blvd. Goldsboro, NC 27534 Q11434-557 AK AM AO ALE District II

Offer in Compromise: 15-day suspension, avoided upon payment of \$1,500.00 on the charge of selling an alcoholic beverage to an underage person.

#### 4. T/A Dale's Pub

Dale's Pub, Inc. 775 East Ocean Road Holly Ridge, NC 28445 00116567AJ-999 AJ AL DZ ALE District I

Offer in Compromise: 5-day suspension, avoided upon payment of \$500.00 on the charge of failing to cooperate with law enforcement officer.

## 5. T/A Dollar General Store 13820

Dolgencorp, LLC 601 Oakwood Avenue Sanford, NC 27330 Q11589-482 AK AM ALE District III

Offer in Compromise: 10-day suspension, avoided upon payment of \$1,000.00 on charges of (1) failing to maintain, on the premises and available for inspection or audit for three years, all records including original invoices related to alcoholic beverages. (2) failing to post permit.

## 6. T/A Dollar General Store 203

Dolgencorp, LLC 1431 John Small Avenue Washington, NC 27889 Q11589-793 AK AM ALE District II

Offer in Compromise: 10-day suspension, avoided upon payment of \$1,000.00 on the charge of selling alcoholic beverage to an underage person.

## 7. T/A Dreamchasers Brewery

Dreamweavers Brewery, LLC 115 East North Main Street Waxhaw, NC 28173 00240420AJ-999 AJ AL ALE District IV

Offer in Compromise: 15-day suspension, avoided upon payment of \$1,500.00 on the charge of selling an alcoholic beverage to an underage person.

## 8. T/A Dugout

Ryan Thomas Killinger Walter Richard Killinger, III 674-676 Stratford Blvd. Kinston, NC 28501 00180570AJ-999 AJ AL DZ ALE District II

Offer in Compromise: 8-day suspension, avoided upon payment of \$800.00 on the charge of not having a tax stamp on spirituous liquor bottle.

#### 9. T/A Dunavant

Glarb, LLC 2322 Dunavant Street, Suite 200 Charlotte, NC 28203 00274135AJ-999 AJ AL AY BX ALE District VI

Offer in Compromise: 7-day suspension, avoided upon payment of \$700.00 on charges of (1) selling, allowing to possess or consume alcohol not authorized by permits and (2) allowing ineligible employee, to sell and distribute alcoholic beverages.

#### 10. T/A El Tucanazo

Mark W. Blackman Consulting, LLC 2400 Paula Street Raleigh, NC 27608

00275308AJ-999 AJ AL DZ ALE District IV

Offer in Compromise: 15-day suspension, avoided upon payment of \$1,500.00 on charges of (1) having prohibited exterior advertising, (2) failing to comply with private club membership requirements [3 counts].

#### 11. T/A Farmers Grill 1

Lucky Ray, LLC 39365 US Hwy 264 East Belhaven, NC 27810 00248287AJ-999 AJ ALE District II

Offer in Compromise: 5-day suspension, avoided upon payment of \$500.00 on charge of (1) employee possessing a controlled substance and (2) possessing spirituous liquor where possession or consumption is not authorized.

#### 12. T/A Fiesta Mexican Cuisine

Fiesta Group Corp. 11329 East Independence Blvd. Matthews, NC 28105 00288162AJ-999 AJ AL AY ALE District VI

Offer in Compromise: 17-day suspension, avoided upon payment of \$1,700.00 on charges of (1) failing to recycle beverage containers [2 counts], (2) failing to have food available at all times alcoholic beverages served and (3) failing to have a tax stamp on spirituous liquor bottle.

## 13. T/A In and Out 2

In and Out Mini Mart of NC, Inc. 5320 Hwy 101 Newport, NC 28570 00277649AK-999 AK ALE District I

Offer in Compromise: 17-day suspension, avoided upon payment of \$1,700.00 on the charge of selling an alcoholic beverage to an underage person.

#### 14. T/A JB's Food Mart

Sunny and Nancy, Inc.

4815-A Old Rural Hall Road Winston-Salem, NC 27105 00225828AK-999 AK AM AO ALE District V

Offer in Compromise: 25-day suspension, avoided upon payment of \$2,500.00 on charges of (1) possessing spirituous liquor where possession or consumption is not authorized, (2) dispensing prescription medication without being a licensed pharmacist and (3) selling glass tube or splitter without maintaining proper records.

## 15. T/A Lenny Boy

Lenny Boy, LLC 3000 South Tryon Street Charlotte, NC 28217 00211627AJ-998 AJ AL ALE District VI

Offer in Compromise: 15-day suspension, avoided upon payment of \$1,500.00 on charges of (1) exceeding the authorized amount of alcohol that may be sold, (2) selling or possessing for sale an alcoholic beverage product that had not first been approved by the ABC Commission for sale in this State.

## 16. T/A M and M Market and Tobacco Vapor

Muliki Corp. 2909 Trent Road New Bern, NC 28562 00229792AK-998 AK AM ALE District I

Offer in Compromise: 35-day suspension, avoided upon payment of \$3,500.00 on charges of (1) failing to keep premises clean and well-lit to avoid undue hazards, (2) failing to maintain, on the premises and available for inspection or audit for three years, all records including original invoices related to alcoholic beverages, (3) failing to have entire premises open for inspection and (4) employee possessing a controlled substance.

## 17. T/A Oakboro Express Mart

Shivdev Corp. 1533 North Main Street Oakboro, NC 28219 00239239AK-999 AK ALE District VI Offer in Compromise: 20-day suspension, avoided upon payment of \$2,000.00 on the charge of selling an alcoholic beverage to an underage person.

#### 18. **T/A Oasis 15**

Daughtridge Gas and Oil Company 512 US Hwy 301 North Lucama, NC 27581 Q11549-992 AK ALE District II

Offer in Compromise: 10-day suspension, avoided upon payment of \$1,000.00 on the charge of selling an alcoholic beverage to an underage person.

#### 19. T/A Osteria Del Monte Italian Restaurant

Osteria Del Monte, LLC 19131 Rosman Hwy. Sapphire, NC 28774 00142699AQ-999 AJ AL AN BT ALE District VIII

Offer in Compromise: 6-day suspension, avoided upon payment of \$600.00 on charges of (1) failing to qualify as a sports club, by not having a minimum number of two of functioning sport services required to maintain a Mixed Beverage Sport Club permit and (2) failing to have a tax stamp on spirituous liquor bottle.

## 20. T/A Smith's Corner Store

Bahipa, Inc. 10971 US Hwy. 158 West Ruffin, NC 27326 00230321AK-999 AK AM AO ALE District V

Offer in Compromise: 20-day suspension, avoided upon payment of \$2,000.00 on charges of (1) possessing a video gaming machine [2 counts], and (2) employee did payout cash in exchange for prizes, merchandise, credits, tokens, tickets, or replays received from the operation of a video gaming machine [2 counts]

## 21. T/A Star Gallery

Star Gallery, LLC 2303 Neuse Blvd., Units 1 and 2 New Bern, NC 28560 00280359AJ-999 AJ AL DZ

#### ALE District I

Offer in Compromise: 40-day suspension, the last 35 days avoided upon payment of \$3,500.00 on charges of (1) failing to deface tax stamp once bottle was empty and (2) refilling spirituous liquor container having a mixed beverage tax stamp.

## 22. T/A Sunshine Xpress

Veer Brothers, LLC 1828 North Charlotte Avenue Monroe, NC 28110 00278479AK-999 AK AM AO ALE District VI

Offer in Compromise: 20-day suspension, avoided upon payment of \$2,000.00 on the charge of selling an alcoholic beverage to an underage person.

## 23. T/A Twin Ravens Tavern

Twin Ravens Tavern, Inc. 127 Wilmington Hwy., Units 4-5 Jacksonville, NC 28540 00263322AJ-999 AJ AL AN DZ ALE District I

Offer in Compromise: 10-day suspension, avoided upon payment of \$1,000.00 on charges of violating of Executive Order restrictions [3 counts].

## 24. T/A Wings, Etc.

Cajara, LLC 1910 East Dixon Blvd. Shelby, NC 28152 00203525AJ-999 AJ AL AY ALE District VI

Offer in Compromise: 20-day suspension, avoided upon payment of \$2,000.00 on the charge of selling an alcoholic beverage to an underage person.

## 25. T/A Citgo Food Mart

SRI OM, LLC 1022 Burkemont Avenue Morganton, NC 28655 00153133AK-999 AK ALE District VII Offer in Compromise: 2-day suspension, avoided upon payment of \$200.00 on the charge of employee performing services after having consumed alcoholic beverages.

#### 26. T/A Don Betos Tacos

Taquitos Food Corporation, Inc. 720 Ricks Road Selma, NC 27603 00240302AJ-999 AJ AY ALE District IV

Offer in Compromise: 2-day suspension, avoided upon payment of \$200.00 on the charge of allowing the possession of spirituous liquor where not authorized.

## 27. T/A Postal Fish Company

Walnut Ridge Food Group, LLC 75 West Salisbury Street Pittsboro, NC 27312 00258042AJ-999 AJ AL AN AY ALE District IV

Offer in Compromise: 10-day suspension, avoided upon payment of \$1,000.00 on charges of (1) transferring alcohol between commonly owned establishments without prior ABC Commission approval, (2) failing to deface tax stamp once bottle empty and (3) employee possessing a spirituous liquor bottle that did not have a tax stamp.

## 28. T/A 98 Asian Bistro

98 Asian Bistro, Inc. 1800 North Main Street, Suite 106 High Point, NC 27262 00223522AJ-999 AJ AL AY ALE District V

Offer in Compromise: 10-day suspension, avoided upon payment of \$1,000.00 on the charge of employee performing services after having consumed alcoholic beverages.

## 29. T/A AC Hotel by Marriott Chapel Hill Downtown

Chapel Hill Hotels, LLC 214 West Rosemary Street Chapel Hill, NC 27516 00259691AJ-999 AJ AL AN CY ALE District IV Offer in Compromise: 30-day suspension, avoided upon payment of \$3,000.00 on the charge of selling an alcoholic beverage to an underage person.

## 30. T/A Applebee's Grill and Bar

Applebee's Restaurants Mid-Atlantic, LLC 71 Plaza Parkway Lexington, NC 27292 Q11653-972 AJ AL AN AY ALE District V

Offer in Compromise: 15-day suspension, avoided upon payment of \$1,500.00 on the charge of failing to superintend.

## 31. T/A Beer Study

Go Britton Go, LLC 2501 University Drive, Space 9-A Durham, NC 27707 00248235AJ-999 AJ AL ALE District IV

Offer in Compromise: 7-day suspension, avoided upon payment of \$700.00 on the charge of allowing possession or consumption of alcohol not authorized by permits.

## 32. T/A Big Mikes Food Mart

Yazan Munther Bayyari 807 Cokey Road Rocky Mount, NC 27801 00228704AK-999 AK AO ALE District II

Offer in Compromise: 5-day suspension, avoided upon payment of \$500.00 on the charge of selling or transferring glass tubes or splitters without proper records.

#### 33. T/A Breeden Mart

Breeden Mart, Inc. 22900 Aberdeen Road Laurinburg, NC 28352 00291375AK-999 AK AM AO ALE District III Offer in Compromise: 15-day suspension, avoided upon payment of \$1,500.00 on charges of (1) failing to have entire premises open for inspection and (2) selling or transferring glass tubes or splitters without proper records.

#### 34. T/A Cork and Ale

Craft Beer and Fine Wine Waxhaw, LLC 113 East North Main Street Waxhaw, NC 28173 00280696AJ-999 AJ DB ALE District VI

Offer in Compromise: 20-day suspension, avoided upon payment of \$2,000.00 on charges of (1) failing to superintend and (2) employee performing services after having consumed alcoholic beverages.

#### 35. **T/AEP Mart 10**

Eastern Petroleum Corp. 7604 Knightdale Blvd. Knightdale, NC 27545 Q11656-993 AK AM ALE District IV

Offer in Compromise: 40-day suspension, avoided upon payment of \$4,000.00 on charges of (1) employee possessing a controlled substance and (2) consuming an alcoholic beverage on the premises of a business with only an off-premises permit.

#### 36. T/A Franks Food Center

Enthalpy Petrochemicals, LLC 1002 McReynolds Street Carthage, NC 28327 00229015AK-999 AK AM ALE District III

Offer in Compromise: 13-day suspension, avoided upon payment of \$1,300.00 on the charge of selling an alcoholic beverage to an underage person.

## 37. T/A Hoppy Endings

919 Brewing, LLC 8320 Litchford Road, Suite 106 Raleigh, NC 27615 00247181AJ-999 AJ AL DZ ALE District IV Offer in Compromise: 15-day suspension, avoided upon payment of \$1,500.00 on charges of (1) employee possessing a spirituous liquor bottle that did not have a tax stamp, and (2) employee failing to deface tax stamp once bottle empty.

## 38. T/A Jack Browns Beer and Burger Joint

BP4455, LLC 800 South Virginia Dare Trail Kill Devil Hills, NC 27948 00265483AJ-999 AJ AL ALE District II

Offer in Compromise: 8-day suspension, avoided upon payment of \$800.00 on the charge of employee wearing uniform while consuming alcoholic beverages.

#### 39. T/A Jax Battle Axe

Aberdeen Fear Factory, LLC 10570 NC Hwy 211 East, Suite E Aberdeen, NC 28315 00212063AJ-998 AJ ALE District III

Offer in Compromise: 15-day suspension, avoided upon payment of \$1,500.00 on charges of (1) failing to maintain, on the premises and available for inspection or audit for three years, all records including original invoices related to alcoholic beverages and (2) employee performing services after having consumed alcoholic beverages.

#### 40. T/A Jimmys

Alwadai, LLC 122 Roanoke Avenue Roanoke Rapids, NC 27870 00273954AK-999 AK AM AO ALE District II

Offer in Compromise: 8-day suspension, avoided upon payment of \$800.00 on the charge of consuming an alcoholic beverage on the premises of a business with only an off-premises permit.

#### 41. T/A Mi Rancho Mexican Restaurant

Rinconada, Inc. 2549 South Saunders Street Raleigh, NC 27603 00233119AJ-999 AJ AL AY ALE District IV

Offer in Compromise: 19-day suspension, avoided upon payment of \$1,900.00 on charges of (1) employee possessing a spirituous liquor bottle that did not have a tax stamp, (2) employee premixing mixed beverages without prior authorization from the NC ABC Commission, and (3) failing to maintain, on the premises and available for inspection or audit for three years, all records including original invoices related to alcoholic beverages.

#### 42. T/A Minuteman Food Mart 29

Gas Mart, Inc. 7547 Hwy 711 Pembroke, NC 28372 Q11274-972 AK AM AO ALE District III

Offer in Compromise: 20-day suspension, avoided upon payment of \$2,000.00 on the charge of selling an alcoholic beverage to an underage person.

## 43. T/A Monterrey Mexican Grill 2

Monterrey Mexican Grill 2, LLC 1722 Fordham Blvd., Suite 100 Chapel Hill, NC 27514 00267483AJ-999 AJ AL AN AY ALE District IV

Offer in Compromise: 20-day suspension, avoided upon payment of \$2,000.00 on the charge of giving an alcoholic beverage to an underage person.

#### 44. T/A Public Mini Mart

Public Mini Mart, LLC 6260 Glenwood Avenue, Suite 116 Raleigh, NC 27612 00258280AK-999 AK AM ALE District IV

Offer in Compromise: 7-day suspension, avoided upon payment of \$700.00 on charges of (1) selling or transferring glass tubes or splitters without proper records and (2) possession of adulterants used for the purpose of defrauding a drug or alcohol screening test.

## 45. T/A Quick Shop

Sharif Anan Hassan 2461 Carolina Beach Road Wilmington, NC 28401 00194309AK-998 AK AM AO ALE District I

Offer in Compromise: 18-day suspension, avoided upon payment of \$1,800.00 on the charge of selling an alcoholic beverage to an underage person.

#### 46. T/A Scotchman 3182

GPM Southeast, LLC 5200 Wrightsville Avenue Wilmington, NC 28403 Q11608-998 AK AM AO ALE District I

Offer in Compromise: 15-day suspension, avoided upon payment of \$1,500.00 on the charge of selling an alcoholic beverage to an underage person.

## 47. **T/A Serj**

L4 Lounge, LLC 2906 Central Avenue Charlotte, NC 28205 00252954AJ-999 AJ AL AN DZ ALE District VI

Offer in Compromise: 5-day suspension, avoided upon payment of \$500.00 on the charge of failing to comply with private club membership requirements.

#### 48. T/A Sheetz 512

Sheetz of NC, LLC 1400 NC Hwy. 66 South Kernersville, NC 27284 Q11557-950 AK AM AO ALE District V

Offer in Compromise: 20-day suspension, avoided upon payment of \$2,000.00 on the charge of selling an alcoholic beverage to an underage person.

## 49. T/A Wellons Village Family Fare 447

MM Fowler, Inc. 921 North Miami Blvd. Durham, NC 27703 Q11390-942 AK AM AO ALE District IV

Offer in Compromise: 10-day suspension, avoided upon payment of \$1,000.00 on the charge of consuming an alcoholic beverage upon the premise having only an off-premise permit.

## Cancellation:

## 50. T/A S and N Quick Mart

St. George Quick Mart, LLC 1609 North William Street Goldsboro, NC 27530 00227754AK-999 AK AM AO ALE District II

Cancellation of the Off-Premises Fortified Wine permit on the charge of failing to maintain minimum food inventory.