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#### ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE CONTROL COMMISSION

400 East Tryon Road Raleigh, NC 27610

# **Commission Meeting Summary**

January 11, 2023

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

**SECTION I** 

# **OFFERS IN COMPROMISE**

# Suspension:

# 1. T/A 6 to 1 Mini Mart

Taimoor Enterprise, Inc. 201 West Harden Street Graham, NC 27253 00259130AK-999 AK Graham Police Department

Offer in Compromise: 19-day suspension, avoided upon payment of \$1,900.00 on charges of (1) selling or giving alcoholic beverages to an underage person, and (2) selling or transferring glass tubes or splitters without maintaining proper records.

# 2. T/A Bond Brothers Beer Company

Bond Brothers Beer Company, LLC 602 East Chatham Street, Suite D Cary, NC 27511 00237310AJ-998 AL AJ ALE District IV

Offer in Compromise: 29-day suspension, avoided upon payment of \$2,900.00 on charges of (1) selling a product to a retailer that had not been approved for sale by the Commission, (2) failing to purchase malt beverages or wine only from wholesalers, (3) possessing or consuming alcoholic beverages in an area of the premises not approved by the Commission, (4) committing an unlawful act, and (5) failing to maintain invoices of alcoholic beverages purchases.

# 3. T/A Bond Brothers Beer Company

Bond Brothers Beer Company, LLC 602 East Chatham Street, Suite D Cary, NC 27511 00237308CM-998 AE BL ALE District IV

Offer in Compromise: 7-day suspension, avoided upon payment of \$700.00 on charges of (1) failing to maintain invoices of alcoholic beverages purchases and (2) failing to post ABC permits.

# 4. T/A Chilli Peppers

JDBO Ventures, Inc. 3001 North Croatan Hwy Kill Devil Hills, NC 27948 59928A-999 BX AJ AL AN AY ALE District II

Offer in Compromise: 8-day suspension, avoided upon payment of \$750.00 on charge(s) of performing services while or after having consumed alcoholic beverages.

#### 5. T/A Discount Mini Mart

Saavya Krishna, LLC 2614 North Center Street Hickory, NC 28601 00265978AK-999 AM AO AK ALE District VII

Offer in Compromise: 7-day suspension, avoided upon payment of \$700.00 on charges of (1) failing to maintain the minimum food inventory required for off-premises fortified wine permits and (2) failing to post ABC permits.

#### 6. T/A Dollar General Store 168

Dolgencorp, LLC 8471 East Marlboro Road Farmville, NC 27828 Q11589-693 AK AM Pitt County ABC

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

# 7. T/A Dollar General Store 20600

Dolgencorp, LLC 734 Main Street Fair Bluff, NC 28439 Q11589-310 AM AK ALE District I

Offer in Compromise: 45-day suspension, the last 30 days avoided upon payment of \$3,000.00 on charges of (1) employee possessing a controlled substance and (2) employee possessing a controlled substance.

# 8. **T/A Food Lion 1544**

Food Lion, LLC 104 NC Hwy 54 Unit A Carrboro, NC 27510 Q11473-700 CE AO AM AK Carrboro Police Department

Offer in Compromise: 35-day suspension, avoided upon payment of \$3,500.00 on a charge of selling or giving alcoholic beverages to an underage person.

# 9. T/A Fruit

Fruit Ops, LLC 305 South Dillard Street Durham, NC 27701 00263802AJ-999 DZ AL AJ ALE District IV

Offer in Compromise: 38-day suspension, avoided upon payment of \$3,800.00 on charges of (1) committing an unlawful act and (2) selling, or allowing to possess or consume, alcoholic beverages not authorized by the permits held (3) failing to determine the age of a person possessing alcoholic beverages and (4) failing to keep the premises clean and well-lit to avoid undue hazards.

#### 10. T/A Graham Mart

B G R Group, LLC 419 South Main Street Graham, NC 27253 00247463AK-999 AM AK

**Graham Police Department** 

Offer in Compromise: 32-day suspension, avoided upon payment of \$3,200.00 on a charge of selling or giving alcoholic beverages to an underage person.

#### 11. T/A Grata Café

Grata Café, LLC 200 North Greensboro Street, Suite B12 Carrboro, NC 27510 00300947AJ-999 AJ AL Carrboro Police Department

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

# 12. T/A Lenoir Lodge 385

Lenoir Lodge No. 385 Loyal Order of Moose, Inc. 1100 Moose Lodge Road Lenoir, NC 28645 00084161AJ-999 DZ AJ AL AN AR AS ALE District VII

Offer in Compromise: 10-day suspension, avoided upon payment of \$1,000.00 on a charge of (1) possessing a video gaming machine and (2) possessing gambling equipment.

# 13. T/A Lucky Stop Food Mart

Sadek M. Ali 6402-B Market Street Wilmington, NC 28405 00152341AK-998 AK AM AO ALE District I

Offer in Compromise: 50-day suspension, avoided upon payment of \$5,000.00 on a charge of selling or giving alcoholic beverages to an underage person.

# 14. T/A Millions Spot

M and A USA, Inc. 5364 Hwy 39 North Henderson, NC 27536 00290147AK-999 AM AO AK ALE District IV

Offer in Compromise: 50-day suspension, avoided upon payment of \$5,000.00 on charges of (1) selling or giving alcoholic beverages to an underage person (2) selling or giving alcoholic beverages to an underage person, and (3) selling or giving alcoholic beverages to an underage person.

#### 15. T/A Osteria G

ARJRGR 3, Inc. 5160 Sunset Lake Road, Suite 101 and 103 Apex, NC 27539 00286140AJ-999 AJ AL AY AN Wake County ABC

Offer in Compromise: 4-day suspension, avoided upon payment of \$400.00 on a charge of possessing a spirituous liquor bottle without a tax stamp.

# 16. T/A Prive Bar and Lounge 2

Prive Bar and Lounge 2, LLC 700 Gum Branch Road, Suite A-B Jacksonville, NC 28540 00288062AJ-999 DZ AL AJ Jacksonville Police Department

Offer in Compromise: 35-day suspension, avoided upon payment of \$3,500.00 on charges of (1) being open to the general public while holding a private bar/club permit (2) failing to superintend the premises, and (3) allowing fighting or other disorderly conduct to occur.

#### 17. T/A Quality Mart 36

Quality Oil Company, LLC 2622-A Battleground Avenue Greensboro, NC 27408 Q11541-975 AK AO AM ALE District V

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

# 18. T/A Stumptown Station

Stumptown Station, LLC 107-A North Trade Street Matthews, NC 28105 00255793AJ-999 DZ AJ AN AL Mecklenburg County ABC

Offer in Compromise: 6-day suspension, avoided upon payment of \$600.00 on a charge of possessing a spirituous liquor bottle without a tax stamp.

# 19. T/A Tekalis

L and B Entertainment, Inc. 4030-116 Capital Blvd. Raleigh, NC 27604 00274076AJ-999 DZ AJ AL Wake County ABC

Offer in Compromise: 10-day suspension, avoided upon payment of \$1,000.00 on a charge of possessing or consuming spirituous liquor or fortified wine where not authorized by law.

# 20. T/A True Blue Butcher and Table

Sunny Day Food Group, LLC 1125 Military Cutoff Road, Suite A Wilmington, NC 28405 00259766AJ-999 AY AN AL AJ ALE District I

Offer in Compromise: 6-day suspension, avoided upon payment of \$600.00 on charges of (1) failing to deface a tax stamp once the spirituous liquor bottle became empty and (2) possessing a spirituous liquor bottle without a tax stamp.

# 21. **T/A 3 Brothers 2**

Get N Go, Inc. 413 East Main Street Boonville, NC 27011 00141417AK-997 AK AM Triad Municipal ABC

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

# 22. T/A All-Star Grill

All Star Grill, Inc. 1204 Bragg Blvd. Fayetteville, NC 28301 00135436AJ-999 AJAY AL DZ Cumberland County ABC

Offer in Compromise: 18-day suspension, avoided upon payment of \$1,800.00 on charges of (1) failing to purchase malt beverages or wine only from wholesalers (2) possessing a spirituous liquor bottle without a tax stamp (3) failing to maintain invoices of alcoholic beverages purchases, and (4) premixing mixed beverages without prior authorization.

#### 23. T/A BottleMixx

Oak City Pours, Inc. 8111 Creedmoor Road, Suite 153 Raleigh, NC 27613 00300752AJ-999 DB AJ ALE District IV

Offer in Compromise: 5-day suspension, avoided upon payment of \$500.00 on charges of (1) selling or possessing for sale without the proper permits and (2) selling, or allowing to possess or consume, alcoholic beverages not authorized by the permits held.

# 24. T/A B's Tobacco and Food Mart

MBYA, Inc. 3114 North Main Street, Suite 1 Hope Mills, NC 28348 00176584AK-999 AO AK AM ALE District III

Offer in Compromise: 7-day suspension, avoided upon payment of \$700.00 on a charge of allowing a violation of the controlled substances laws on the premises.

#### 25. T/A Circle K Store 2723951

Circle K Stores, Inc. 8501 Concord Mills Blvd. Concord, NC 28027 Q11434-851 AM AK Concord Police Department

Offer in Compromise: 30-day suspension, avoided upon payment of \$3,000.00 on a charge of selling or giving alcoholic beverages to an underage person.

### 26. T/A Crackin Crawfish

Crackin Crawfish, LLC 440 East McCullough Drive, Suite A-230 Charlotte, NC 28262 00270100AJ-998 ALAY AJ Charlotte-Mecklenburg Police Department

Offer in Compromise: 10-day suspension, avoided upon payment of \$1,000.00 on charges of (1) failing to maintain beer and wine purchase, delivery receipts from wholesalers, and (2) failing to recycle beverage containers.

#### 27. **T/A E Z Mart**

Alsalmi, LLC 200 East Fayetteville Road Roseboro, NC 28382 00254524AK-999 AK AM AO ALE District III

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

# 28. T/A Giorgio's Restaurant

J B and N Z, Inc. 502 South Poplar Street Elizabethtown, NC 28337 00188243AJ-999 BX AY AJ AL ALE District III

Offer in Compromise: 5-day suspension, avoided upon payment of \$500.00 on a charge of failing to cooperate with a law enforcement officer performing his/her duties.

# 29. T/A Han Dee Hugo's 32

Sampson Bladen Oil Company, Inc. 1746 Carolina Beach Road Wilmington, NC 28401 Q11310-976 AM AK AO ALE District I

Offer in Compromise: 6-day suspension, avoided upon payment of \$600.00 on a charge of allowing consumption of alcoholic beverages at a business with off-premises permits.

#### 30. T/A Local Loaf

Local Loaf Noda, LLC. 800 East 35th Street Charlotte, NC 28205 00259235AJ-999 AL AJ ALE District VI

Offer in Compromise: 8-day suspension, avoided upon payment of \$800.00 on a charge of possessing or consuming spirituous liquor or fortified wine where not authorized by law.

# 31. T/A Luna Night Club

Luna Night Club, Inc. 3019 Auto Drive Durham, NC 27707 00278968AJ-999 AJ AL DZ ALE District IV

Offer in Compromise: 25-day suspension, avoided upon payment of \$2,500.00 on charges of (1) possessing a spirituous liquor bottle without a tax stamp (2) being open to the general public while holding a private bar/club permit (3) failing to superintend the premises (4) possessing nontax paid spirituous liquor and (5) committing an unlawful act.

#### 32. T/A Mellow Mushroom

Capital Food Group, LLC 14835 Ballantyne Village Way, Suite 150 Charlotte, NC 28277 00213917AJ-994 AJ AL AY AN Charlotte-Mecklenburg Police Department

Offer in Compromise: 28-day suspension, avoided upon payment of \$2,800.00 on charges of (1) failing to deface a tax stamp once the spirituous liquor bottle became empty (2) failing to purchase malt beverages or wine only from wholesalers (3) possessing a spirituous liquor bottle without a tax stamp and (4) failing to recycle beverage containers.

#### 33. T/A Moms Grill

Mom's Grill, Inc. 1041 John Small Avenue Washington, NC 27889 00231905AK-999 AM AO AK ALE District II

Offer in Compromise: 35-day suspension, avoided upon payment of \$3,500.00 on a charge of selling or giving alcoholic beverages to an underage person.

# 34. T/A Quick and Easy 7

Riva Patel Corp. 333 Main Street Yanceyville, NC 27379 00263542AK-999 AM AK AO ALE District V

Offer in Compromise: 20-day suspension, avoided upon payment of \$2,000.00 on charge(s) of (1) possessing a video poker or slot machine and (2) selling or transferring glass tubes or splitters without maintaining proper records.

# 35. T/A Shepp's Venue

John Lewis Sheppard Heather Jackson Sheppard 124 South Street Gastonia, NC 28052 00293003AJ-999 DZ AJ ALE District VI

Offer in Compromise: 30-day suspension, avoided upon payment of \$3,000.00 on charges of (1) maintaining living quarters directly attached to the premises (2) maintaining living quarters directly attached to the premises (3) possessing nontax paid spirituous liquor (4) failing to deface a tax stamp once the spirituous liquor bottle became empty and (5) performing services while or after having consumed alcoholic beverages.

# 36. T/A Ugly Dog Pub

Ugly Dog, LLC 294 South 4th Street Highlands, NC 28741 00180027AJ-999 AY AN AL AJ ALE District VIII

Offer in Compromise: 10-day suspension, avoided upon payment of \$1,000.00 on a charge of an employee wearing his/her uniform while consuming alcoholic beverages.

# 37. T/A WOW Supermarket

Group Square 1 NC, LLLP 6407 South Blvd., Suite Q Charlotte, NC 28217 00237907AK-999 AK Mecklenburg County ABC

Offer in Compromise: 7-day suspension, avoided upon payment of \$700.00 on a charge of dispensing prescription medication without being a licensed pharmacist.

# 38. T/A Apps and Taps

Apps and Taps, LLC 155 Pinnacle Lane, Suite B-C Mooresville, NC 28117 00241243AJ-999 AY AJ AL ALE District VII

Offer in Compromise: 25-day suspension, avoided upon payment of \$2,500.00 on charges of (1) possessing a spirituous liquor bottle without a tax stamp (2) failing to deface a tax stamp once the spirituous liquor bottle became empty (3) failing to dispose of an empty spirituous liquor bottle and (4) failing to destroy unconsumed alcoholic beverages.

#### 39. T/A Cabin

Zan Group, LLC 400-A North Harbor Place Davidson, NC 28036 00173090DB-997 DZ AL AJ Mecklenburg County ABC

Offer in Compromise: 18-day suspension, avoided upon payment of \$1,800.00 on charges of (1) failing to superintend the premises and (2) possessing or consuming alcoholic beverages in an area of the premises not approved by the Commission.

### 40. T/A Chuan Café

Fu Chuan, Inc. 2004 New Bern Avenue Raleigh, NC 27610 00298951AJ-999 AJ AL ALE District IV

Offer in Compromise: 8-day suspension, avoided upon payment of \$800.00 on a charge of failing to purchase malt beverages or wine only from wholesalers.

#### 41. **T/A Circle H 9**

A and M Convenience Stores, Inc. 559 Queen Street Grifton, NC 28530 00289087AK-999 AK AM AO Pitt County ABC

Offer in Compromise: 45-day suspension, avoided upon payment of \$4,500.00 on charges of (1) selling or giving alcoholic beverages to an underage person (2) selling or giving alcoholic beverages to an underage person, and (3) selling or giving alcoholic beverages to an underage person.

# 42. T/A Circle K 2720481

Circle K Stores, Inc. 3458 North Main Street Hope Mills, NC 28348 Q11434-824 AK AM AO Cumberland County ABC

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

#### 43. T/A Cosmos Cuisine & Cocktails

Cosmos Cuisine & Cocktails, LLC 615 East Main Street Thomasville, NC 27360 00294248AJ-999 AJ AL DZ ALE District V

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#### 44. T/A Cru

Lux Lounge, LLC 3428 North Tryon Street Charlotte, NC 28206 00290556AJ-999 AL AJ AY AN Charlotte-Mecklenburg Police Department

Offer in Compromise: 12-day suspension, avoided upon payment of \$1,200.00 on a charge of failing to superintend the premises.

### 45. T/A El Mariachi Mexican Restaurant

A and K Enterprises of North Carolina, Inc. 4623 West Gate City Blvd., Suite E Greensboro, NC 27407 00292413AJ-999 AYAJ AL Greensboro Police Department

Offer in Compromise: 38-day suspension, avoided upon payment of \$3,800.00 on a charge of (1) allowing consumption of alcoholic beverages outside the legal hours (2) failing to have food available at all times alcoholic beverages are served (3) failing to superintend the premises and (4) failing to superintend the premises.

# 46. T/A Fuguay Meat Market

Fuquay Meat Market, Inc. 112 West Vance Street Fuquay Varina, NC 27526 00273126AK-999 AK ALE District IV

Offer in Compromise: 10-day suspension, avoided upon payment of \$1,000.00 on a charge of possessing or consuming spirituous liquor or fortified wine where not authorized by law.

#### 47. T/A Greystone Pub and Restaurant

Fact Group, LLC 3039 South Blvd., Suite J-K Charlotte, NC 28209 00213965AJ-999 AJ ALAY AN ABC Audit Section

Offer in Compromise: 4-day suspension, avoided upon payment of \$400.00 on a charge of failing to file reports as required by the Commission's Audit Section.

# 48. T/A Highlands Dive

Highlands Dive, LLC 476 Carolina Way Highlands, NC 28741 00255585AJ-999 DZ ANAY AJAL ALE District VIII

Offer in Compromise: 33-day suspension, avoided upon payment of \$3,300.00 on charges of (1) failing to superintend the premises (2) allowing an intoxicated person to consume alcoholic beverages, and (3) delivering more than the legal number of drinks to a single patron at one time.

### 49. T/A Lake Norman Cottage

Zan Group, LLC 200-A North Harbor Place Davidson, NC 28036 00173090DB-998 AJ DB Mecklenburg County ABC

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

# 50. T/A Members Only

Members Only Lounge, LLC 2413 Central Avenue Charlotte, NC 28205 00286019AJ-999 AL AJDZ Mecklenburg County ABC

Offer in Compromise: 30-day suspension, avoided upon payment of \$3,000.00 on charges of (1) failing to deface a tax stamp once the spirituous liquor bottle became empty (2) failing to deface a tax stamp once the spirituous liquor bottle became empty (3) possessing a spirituous liquor bottle without a tax stamp (4) selling alcoholic beverages at a different price than usual for less than the entire business day for a segment of the population (5) selling alcoholic beverages at a different price than usual for less than the entire business day for a segment of the population and (6) defacing a tax stamp or seal before the spirituous liquor bottle was empty.

#### 51. T/A Mi Cabana Mexican Restaurant

La Pazada, Inc. 156 West 3rd Street Ayden, NC 28513 00273909AJ-999 AY AL AJ Pitt County ABC

Offer in Compromise: 25-day suspension, avoided upon payment of \$2,500.00 on charges of (1) performing services while or after having consumed alcoholic beverages and (2) failing to determine the age of a person possessing alcoholic beverages.

#### 52. T/A Morchella Provisions

Morchella Provisions, LLC 247 Mount Jefferson State Park Road Unit 7 West Jefferson, NC 28694 00295213AJ-999 BX AY AL AJ ALE District VII

Offer in Compromise: 14-day suspension, avoided upon payment of \$1,400.00 on charges of (1) failing to purchase malt beverages or wine only from wholesalers (2) possessing a spirituous liquor bottle without a tax stamp, and (3) failing to maintain invoices of alcoholic beverages purchases.

# 53. T/A Pitt Street Mini Mart

Saher Rafiq Ashkar 1701 South Pitt Street Greenville, NC 27834 00175881AK-999 AO AK AM ALE District II

Offer in Compromise: 10-day suspension, avoided upon payment of \$1,000.00 on a charge of an employee possessing a controlled substance.

#### 54. T/A Rays Food Mart

Omrudrashiv Corp. 1525 North NC Hwy 119 Mebane, NC 27302 00255980AK-999 AM AK Graham Police Department

Offer in Compromise: 60-day suspension, the last 55 days avoided upon payment of \$5,000.00 on a charge of selling or giving alcoholic beverages to an underage person.

# 55. T/A Ronald Superette

Ma Ambe, Inc. 3440 Highland Avenue, NE Hickory, NC 28601 00222696AK-999 AK AM ALE District VII

Offer in Compromise: 10-day suspension, avoided upon payment of \$1,000.00 on a charge of (1) failing to post ABC permits and (2) selling or transferring glass tubes or splitters without maintaining proper records.

#### 56. T/A Section

Firehouse Bar and Lounge, Inc. 832 Seigle Avenue Charlotte, NC 28204 00250174AJ-998 DZ AJAL Mecklenburg County ABC

Offer in Compromise: 15-day suspension, avoided upon payment of \$1,500.00 on charges of (1) failing to post ABC permits (2) failing to deface a tax stamp once the spirituous liquor bottle became empty, and (3) possessing a spirituous liquor bottle without a tax stamp.

# 57. T/A Sizzlin Stirfry Asian Bistro

Athena Hospitality BC., LLC 8521 Briercreek Pkwy., Suite 117 Raleigh, NC 27617 00297823AJ-999 AJ ALAY ALE District IV

Offer in Compromise: 15-day suspension, avoided upon payment of \$1,500.00 on charges of (1) failing to purchase malt beverages or wine only from wholesalers (2) failing to post ABC permits, and (3) failing to maintain invoices of alcoholic beverages purchases.

# 58. T/A Slingshot Social Game Club

Urban Bland St, LLC 332 West Bland Street, Suite A Charlotte, NC 28203 00292383AJ-999 AL AJ DZ

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Offer in Compromise: 35-day suspension, avoided upon payment of \$3,500.00 on charges of (1) selling or giving alcoholic beverages to an underage person and (2) failing to determine the age of a person possessing alcoholic beverages, and (3) failing to destroy unconsumed alcoholic beverages.

# 59. **T/A Speedway 6997**

Speedway, LLC 2802 Owen Drive Fayetteville, NC 28306 Q11615-972 AM AK ALE District III

Offer in Compromise: 5-day suspension, avoided upon payment of \$500.00 on a charge of allowing consumption of alcoholic beverages at a business with off-premises permits.

### 60. T/A Thrifty Mart

Khaldo, LLC 213 East Washington Street Bethel, NC 27812 00289491AK-999 AO AM AK Pitt County ABC

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

# 61. T/A Waynesville VFW Post 5202

Waynesville FW Post 5202, Inc. 216 Miller Street Waynesville, NC 28786 15005J-999 AJ AL AN AS BU ALE District VIII

Offer in Compromise: 18-day suspension, avoided upon payment of \$1,800.00 on charges of (1) allowing a game of chance or gambling (2) premixing mixed beverages without prior authorization, and (3) advertising an alcoholic beverage brand name on the exterior of the premises.