

**BOARD OF LIQUOR LICENSE COMMISSIONERS FOR BALTIMORE CITY  
DOCKET – THURSDAY, OCTOBER 15, 2009  
ROOM 215 - CITY HALL - 100 NORTH HOLLIDAY STREET**

**Please note:** If you are interested in a particular case, please call 396-4377 the day before these hearings to verify that a particular case is still scheduled.

**1:00 p.m. cases**

**John E. Manning T/a John's Lounge, 1519 Riggs Avenue** – Class “D” Beer, Wine & Liquor License – Request for a hardship extension under the provisions of Article 2B §10-504(d)

**DECISION:**

**Brian Winfield T/a Winfield's Tavern, 1601-03 N. Milton Avenue-** Class BD7 Beer, Wine & Liquor License - **Review of transfer application** pending for more than 180 days under the provisions of **Article 2B, Section 10-503(d)(4)** “A transfer of any license shall be completed not more than 180 days after the Board approves the transfer” (Re: Application for transfer initially approved May 25, 2005)

**DECISION:**

**Louis J. Hershey & John H. Ruth, Jr., Mousetrap, Inc. T/a Mousetrap, 12 Custom House Avenue** – Class BD7 Beer, Wine & Liquor license - – Request for a hardship extension under the provisions of Article 2B §10-504(d)

**DECISION:**

**Timothy K. Koch, Timothy E. Koch & Mary Koch, Mustang Alleys, LLC T/a Mustang Alley's, 1300 Bank Street** - Class “B” Beer, Wine & Liquor license – Request for live entertainment

**DECISION:**

**Leon Shvartsburg & Iekaterina Soichinevskaya, Lenin LLC T/a Red Square Restaurant, 1 E. Chase Street** - Class “B” Beer, Wine & Liquor License – **Violation of Rule 3.12** “Licensees shall operate their establishments in such a manner as to avoid disturbing the peace, safety, health, quiet, and general welfare of the community from May 1, 2009 to date (Re: Mount Vernon Belvedere Association and their attorney believe that licensee is in violation of agreement made at protest of renewal with community); **Violation of Rule 4.05(a)** “No licensee shall permit any person to consume alcoholic beverages on the licensed premises during hours when such sales are prohibited by law” and/or **Rule 4.05(b)** “No alcoholic beverages shall be served, dispensed, furnished or given away in any part of the premises during the hours when such sales are prohibited by law” on July 11, 2009 (Re: Establishment was selling alcohol and allowing patrons to consume on the premises after 2:00 a.m.); **Violation of Article 2B §11-304(d)(2)** “In Baltimore City, a licensed premises shall cease all operations, including the serving of alcoholic beverages or food and providing entertainment, at the closing hour for that class of licensed premises specified in this article” and Article 2B §11-304(d)(3) “Notwithstanding paragraph (2) of this subsection, the Board of Liquor License Commissioners may grant an exemption for remaining open after hours to: (i) A holder of a Class B restaurant license, only for serving food to patrons seated for dining” on July 11, 2009 (Re: No food being prepared or served at 2:30 a.m.); **Violation of Rule 3.01** “Every licensee shall be the actual owner and operator of the business conducted on the licensed premises. The identity of any person, not a licensee, having any financial interest in said business shall be disclosed to the Board in writing” on July 11, 2009 (Re: No application for transfer has been filed and an individual, not a licensee, identified himself as owner); **Violation of Article 2B §10-301(j)(1)** “In Baltimore City, unless a licensee presents to the Board of Liquor License Commissioners by June 30 of the respective year, a certificate issued by the Director of Finance, showing that there are no unpaid taxes on the merchandise, fixtures and stock of the applicant due to the City of Baltimore or the State of Maryland, the renewal license shall be immediately suspended without a hearing but thereafter shall be immediately returned without a hearing upon presentation of such a certificate” from June 30, 2009 to date (Re: Proof of payment of 2008-2009 Tangible Personal Property Taxes has not been submitted); **Licensees have also not submitted their 2009 Trader's License as requested in the 2009 license pick up letter.**

**DECISION:**

**3:00 p.m.**

**Vicente P. Javellana, Jr., VJ Incorporated T/a Cheerleaders, 702 S. Broadway** – Class BD7 Beer, Wine & Liquor License – **Violation of Rule 3.12** “Licensees shall operate their establishments in such a manner as to avoid disturbing the

peace, safety, health, quiet, and general welfare of the community” on May 17, 2009 (Re: Police responded for fight inside and outside bar; whole sector responded to break up crowd)

**DECISION:**

**Marcela C. Southerland, Liza C. Owens & Dolores Puno, Three Sisters, Inc. T/a Cheerleaders, 702 S. Broadway – Class BD7 Beer, Wine & Liquor License – Request to transfer ownership and add outdoor table service**

**DECISION:**

**Shanika Booker, AIG Lounge, Inc. T/a AIG Lounge, 291 S. Pulaski Street– Class BD7 Beer, Wine & Liquor License**  
**Violation of Rule 4.10(a)** “No licensee shall purchase alcoholic beverages except from a duly licensed manufacturer or wholesaler; nor shall any licensee sell to any other licensee any alcoholic beverages; and no licensee shall, at any time, keep or permit to be kept upon the licensed premises, any alcoholic beverages unless purchased in accordance with the Rule” on January 21, 2009 (Re: Alcoholic beverages purchased from other than a licensed wholesaler; two hundred eighty-one (281) bottles of distilled spirits, three (3) bottles of wine and one thousand sixty containers (1060) of beer confiscated); **Violation of Rule 4.18** “No licensee shall commit or allow the commission on his premises of any act which shall be contrary to any federal, state or local statute, law or ordinance or against the public peace, safety, health, welfare, quiet or morals during the period December 1, 2008 to on or about January 15, 2009 (Re: License for this location altered and presented to wholesaler in order to purchase alcohol for another address)

**DECISION:**

**Timothy Brownell, FGK, LLC T/a Sliders Bar & Grill, 504-06 Washington Boulevard – Class BD7 Beer, Wine & Liquor License – Violation of Rule 4.18** “No licensee shall commit or allow the commission on his premises of any act which shall be contrary to any federal, state or local statute, law or ordinance or against the public peace, safety, health, welfare, quiet or morals on August 12, 2009 and August 13, 2009 (Re: Establishment extended license beyond boundaries listed on Special Events permit which specified curb lane and sidewalk) and on August 21, 2009 (Re: Establishment extended outside service on a date for which there was no approval on a Special Events Permit or from the Liquor Board) ; **Violation of Rule 3.02** “Licensees shall cooperate with representatives of the Board, members of the Police Department, Health Department, Building Engineer's office, Grand Jury and representatives of other governmental agencies whenever any such persons are on official business” on August 13, 2009 (Re: Manager continued to exceed area identified in special events permit after warning on August 12, 2009) and on August 21, 2009 (Re: Manager failed to comply with Police Officer's lawful order); **Violation of Article 2B, Section 10-505** “Every person receiving a license under the provisions of this article shall frame his license under glass and place the same so that it shall at all times be conspicuous and easily read in his place of business...” on August 21, 2009 (Re: License was not properly displayed); **Violation of Rule 3.03(a)** “Licensee shall keep accurate records of all purchases of alcoholic beverages for a period of one year from the date of each purchase. Such records shall include the date of each purchase, the quantity purchased, and the name and address of each seller. Such records shall be open for inspection at all times by duly authorized representatives of the Board” and **Violation of Rule 3.03(c)** “Licensees shall keep on their premises records containing the legal names, aliases, addresses, ages, and Social Security numbers of all persons employed by them. Such records shall be open for inspection at all times by duly authorized representatives of the Board, the Police Department of Baltimore City, and other governmental agencies” on August 21, 2009 (Re: No records available)

**DECISION:**