



HEARINGS
CONDUCTED BY THE
MICHIGAN LIQUOR CONTROL COMMISSION

Held: Thursday, June 21, 2012
Southfield District Office

Present: Andrew J. Deloney, Chairman
Teri L. Quimby, Commissioner

Chairman Deloney called the hearings to order at 10:11 a.m., noting a quorum was present.

1. Moved by Commissioner Quimby, supported by Chairman Deloney, that the minutes of the Southfield Appeal Hearing of June 7, 2012, be approved as written and presented, motion carried by unanimous vote.
2. Venus Corporation, 2450 W. Grand River, Howell, Howell Township Livingston County Request ID# 375281

The licensing hearing was conducted for Venus Corporation, Request ID# 375281. Susan Moody-Frezza appeared on behalf of the Attorney Generals Office, Attorney Peter Abbo and shareholder, Sandeep Ghelani, appeared on behalf of the applicant. Ms. Moody-Frezza, Mr. Abbo and Mr. Ghelani offered comments regarding this case. After discussion on the record, Chairman Deloney made a motion to affirm the previous Commission Order of denial dated May 9, 2012, which denied the request for a new Specially Designated Distributor license with authorization for the sale of spirits for consumption off the premises on Sunday after 12:00 Noon, to be held in conjunction with existing 2012 Specially Designated Merchant license with Sunday Sales Permit (A.M.), Direct Connections (3), and cancel the existing permission for On-Premise Seating. Commissioner Quimby supported, the motion was carried by unanimous vote.

3. Clark Milford, Inc., 110 S. Milford, Milford, Oakland County Request ID# 630701

The licensing hearing was conducted for Clark Milford, Inc., Request ID# 630701. Susan Moody-Frezza appeared on behalf of the Attorney Generals Office, Attorney Joseph Shallal and president, Iven Sharrak, appeared on behalf of the applicant. Ms. Moody-Frezza, Mr. Shallal and Mr. Sharrak offered comments regarding this

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case. After discussion on the record, Chairman Deloney made a motion to reverse the previous Commission Order of denial dated May 9, 2012, and approve the request for a new Specially Designated Merchant license with Sunday Sales Permit (A.M.) and motor vehicle fuel pumps under MCL 436.1541(1). Commissioner Quimby supported, the motion was carried by unanimous vote.

With no further business, moved by Commissioner Quimby, supported by Chairman Deloney, that the Appeal Hearings be adjourned at 11:27 a.m., motion carried by unanimous vote.

Andrew J. Deloney
Chairman

Celine Marley Rutkowski
Executive Services Division