



BUSINESS MEETING OF THE  
MICHIGAN LIQUOR CONTROL COMMISSION

Held: Friday, March 11, 2016  
Lansing District Office  
525 W Allegan  
Lansing MI 48909

Present: Teri L. Quimby, Commissioner  
Dennis Olshove, Commissioner

Absent: Andrew J. Deloney, Chairman

Staff: Kerry Krone, Business Manager  
Pam Hamilton, Deputy Director of Finance Division  
Anita Fawcett, Executive Services Division

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The meeting was called to order by Commissioner Quimby at 9:43 a.m., noting a quorum was present.

- I. **Moved by Commissioner Quimby, supported by Commissioner Olshove, that the minutes of the Commission meeting of February 10, 2016, be approved as written and presented, motion carried by unanimous vote.**
- II. Ms. Hamilton presented the E-Quote reports for product listings in four categories and requested approval of the following:
  - A. That the products listed below be granted exceptions to the standard pack size, inasmuch as the items are packaged nationally or meets other exceptions as indicated and be approved for listing in the approved products list effective April 3, 2016:

<u>COMPANY/ADA</u>	<u>PRODUCT</u>	<u>PACK SIZE</u>
Jim Beam Brands Co. (NWS Michigan, LLC)	1000ml Knob Creek Rye	6 Bottles
CNS Enterprises, Inc. (Chinese Import & Export)	375ml Jin Liu Fu	12 Bottles
Cleveland Whiskey, LLC (General Wine & Liquor Co.)	375ml Red Star Er Guo Tou Jiu	12 Bottles
	750ml Cleveland Underground Apple	6 Bottles
	750ml Cleveland Underground Blk Chrry	6 Bottles
	750ml Cleveland Underground Hickory	6 Bottles
Disaronno International, LLC (General Wine & Liquor Co.)	750ml Cleveland Underground Honey	6 Bottles
	750ml Zucca Rabarbaro	6 Bottles

Duggan's Distillers	375ml Forbidden Secret Dark Mocha	12 Bottles
Product Corp. (General Wine & Liquor Co.)	375ml Forbidden Secret Wh Chocolate	12 Bottles
Fabrizia Spirits, LLC (NWS Michigan, LLC)	750ml Fabrizia's Italian Margarita	6 Bottles
E. & J. Gallo Wintery (General Wine & Liquor Co.)	200ml New Amsterdam Vodka-100	24 Bottles
Heaven Hill Distilleries, Inc. (General Wine & Liquor Co.)	50ml New Amsterdam Vodka-100 PL	60 Bottles
Hotel Tango Whiskey, LLC (NWS Michigan, LLC)	750ml Larceny Straight Bourbon	6 Bottles
HIWWS, Inc. (General Wine & Liquor Co.)	1000ml Larceny Straight Bourbon	6 Bottles
Imperial Brands, Inc. (General Wine & Liquor Co.)	750ml Hotel Tango Orangecello	6 Bottles
Intersect Beverage, LLC (General Wine & Liquor Co.)	200ml Campagnere Cognac VS	24 Bottles
Kobrand Corporation (General Wine & Liquor Co.)	200ml Campagnere Cognac VSOP	24 Bottles
Local Choice Inc. (NWS Michigan, LLC)	750ml Sobieski Estate Vodka	6 Bottles
	750ml Azunia Black – 2 Yr. Tequila	6 Bottles
	750ml Alize Peach Vodka	12 Bottles
	750ml Doppio Espresso Vodka	6 Bottles
	750ml Lean Vanilla Vodka	6 Bottles
	750ml Local Choice Black Cherry	6 Bottles
	750ml Local Choice Lime Tequila	6 Bottles
	750ml Local Choice Mango Vodka	6 Bottles
	750ml Pixie Spiced Rum	6 Bottles
	750ml Preve Vodka	6 Bottles
	750ml Thx Gin	6 Bottles
	750ml Thx Rum	6 Bottles
	750ml Tiny's Orange Blossom Tequila	6 Bottles
MHW, Ltd. (General Wine & Liquor Co.)	375ml Casamigos Anejo Tequila	12 Bottles
Palm Bay International, Inc. (General Wine & Liquor Co.)	375ml Casamigos Reposado Tequila	12 Bottles
Palm Bay International, Inc. (NWS Michigan, LLC)	750ml Chamucos Tequila Anejo	6 Bottles
Park Street Imports LLC (General Wine & Liquor Co.)	750ml Tequila Chamucos Blanco	6 Bottles
	750ml The Irishman – 12 Yr.	6 Bottles
	750ml Auchnagie Scotch	6 Bottles
	750ml Auchnagie Vintage Scotch	6 Bottles
	750ml Benachie Scotch	6 Bottles
	750ml Duke Straight Bourbon	12 Bottles
	750ml Gerston Scotch	6 Bottles
	750ml Gerson Vintage Scotch	6 Bottles
	750ml Lossit Scotch	6 Bottles
	750ml Purus Vodka	6 Bottles
	750ml Six Saints Rum	6 Bottles

	750ml Stratheden Scotch	6 Bottles
	750ml Stratheden Vintage Scotch	6 Bottles
	750ml Towiemore Scotch	6 Bottles
Park Street Imports LLC (NWS Michigan, LLC)	750ml Few Anguish & Regret	6 Bottles
	1000ml Zodiac Black Cherry Vodka	6 Bottles
	1000ml Zodiac Vodka	6 Bottles
Pernod Ricard USA, LLC (NWS Michigan, LLC)	1000ml Abosolut Elyx Vodka	6 Bottles
	1750ml Avion Silver Tequila	3 Bottles
	1000ml Olmeca Altos Plata	6 Bottles
	1000ml Olmeca Altos Reposado	6 Bottles
Piedmont Distillers Inc. (General Wine & Liquor Co.)	750ml Midnight Moon Cinnamon	6 Bottles
Proximo Spirits, Inc. (NWS Michigan, LLC)	50ml 1800 Coconut Silver Tequila	60 Bottles
	50ml Kraken Black Spiced Rum-70	60 Bottles
	375ml Kraken Black Spiced Rum-70	12 Bottles
	1000ml Kraken Black Spiced Rum-70	6 Bottles
	1000ml Three Olives Apples & Pears	6 Bottles
	1000ml Three Olives Pink Grapefruit	6 Bottles
Prestige Imports, LLC (General Wine & Liquor Co.)	750ml Penthouse Libido Libations Her	6 Bottles
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The Patron Spirits Company (NWS Michigan, LLC)	50ml Ultimate Vodka	60 Bottles
Sazerac Company, Inc. (NWS Michigan, LLC)	750ml Colonel EH Taylor Season Wood	6 Bottles
Moet Hennessy USA, Inc. (NWS Michigan, LLC)	750ml Ardbeg Dark Cove Single Malt	6 Bottles
Skyy Spirits, LLC (General Wine & Liquor Co.)	1000ml Braulio Amaro Alpino	6 Bottles
	750ml Wild Turkey Master Keep Decade	6 Bottles
Stoli Group (USA), LLC (General Wine & Liquor Co.)	50ml Stolichnaya 80 Vodka	60 Bottles
	50ml Stolichnaya Razberri Vodka	60 Bottles
Diageo Americas, Inc. (NWS Michigan, LLC)	200ml Crown Royal Black	44 Bottles
	750ml Crown Royal Cornerstone Blend	6 Bottles
	50ml Crown Royal Honey	60 Bottles
Wilson Daniels Ltd. (General Wine & Liquor Co.)	750ml Borghetti Caffè Espresso	6 Bottles
	750ml Templeton Rye-6 Yr.	6 Bottles
Working Bugs, LLC (NWS Michigan, LLC)	750ml Red Cedar Corn Whisk Brll Aged	6 Bottles
Winebow, Inc. (NWS Michigan, LLC)	750ml Wolfburn Single Malt	6 Bottles

That the request of Grand Traverse Distillery, L.L.C., holder of 2015 Small Distiller license, for addition of the following product to the case size exception products list, be approved for listing, effective April 3, 2016; further prior to any sale and distribution of this product through the Commission's spirit distribution system, Grand Traverse Distillery, L.L.C. must

submit and receive Commission approval for an amended liquor quotation which designates an Authorized Distribution Agent for this product:

<u>PRODUCT</u>	<u>PACK SIZE</u>
750ml Gr Trav Dist Dark Reserve Rum	6 Bottles

That the request of Long Road Distillers LLC, holder of 2015 Small Distiller license, for addition of the following products to the case size exception products list, be approved for listing, effective April 3, 2016; further prior to any sale and distribution of these products through the Commission's spirit distribution system, Long Road Distillers LLC must submit and receive Commission approval for an amended liquor quotation which designates an Authorized Distribution Agent for these products:

<u>PRODUCT</u>	<u>PACK SIZE</u>
750ml Long Road Sngl Brll Wheat Whiskey	6 Bottles
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**B.** That the following requests for addition of product to the approved products list be approved for listing, effective April3, 2016:

<u>COMPANY/ADA</u>	<u>PRODUCT</u>	<u>PACK SIZE</u>
Ann Arbor Distilling Company, LLC (General Wine & Liquor Co.)	750ml Water Hill Gin	12 Bottles
	750ml Water Hill Rum	12 Bottles
	750ml Water Hill Vodka	12 Bottles
Bacardi U.S.A., Inc. (General Wine & Liquor Co.)	750ml Bacardi Grapefruit Rum	12 Bottles
	750ml Bacardi Raspberry Rum	12 Bottles
Jim Beam Brands Co. (NWS Michigan, LLC)	750ml Canadian Club 100% Rye	12 Bottles
	1000ml Maker's Mark American Pharaoh	12 Bottles
Bibo International, LLC (General Wine & Liquor Co.)	750ml Soul Premium Cachaca	12 Bottles
	1000ml Soul Premium Cachaca	12 Bottles
Fish Hook Distilling Co., LLC (General Wine & Liquor Co.)	750ml Valentine Single Barrel 7 Yr.	12 Bottles
E. & J. Gallo Winery (General Wine & Liquor Co.)	750ml John Barr Reserve	12 Bottles
	1000ml John Barr Reserve	12 Bottles
	100ml New Amsterdam Vodka -100	48 Bottles
	375ml New Amsterdam Vodka-100	24 Bottles
	750ml New Amsterdam Vodka-100	12 Bottles
	1000ml New Amsterdam Vodka-100	12 Bottles
Heaven Hill Distilleries, Inc. (General Wine & Liquor Co.)	1750ml New Amsterdam Vodka-100	6 Bottles
	750ml Burnett's Cucumber Lime Vodka	12 Bottles
	750ml Evan Williams Peach Bourbon	12 Bottles

	50ml Larceny Straight Bourbon	120 Bottles
	1750ml Larceny Straight Bourbon	6 Bottles
HIWWS, Inc. (General Wine & Liquor Co.)	375ml Campagnere Cognac VS	24 Bottles
	750ml Campagnere Cognac VS	12 Bottles
	375ml Campagnere Cognac VSOP	24 Bottles
	750ml Campagnere Cognac VSOP	12 Bottles
Local Choice Inc. (NWS Michigan, LLC)	750ml Gentry Charleston Lowland	12 Bottles
	750ml Gold Star Vodka	12 Bottles
New Holland Brewing Company (NWS Michigan, LLC)	750ml New Holland Blue Haven Gin	12 Bottles
Overseas International, Inc. (General Wine & Liquor Co.)	750ml Bela Osa Brandy	12 Bottles
	750ml Depart Brandy VSOP	12 Bottles
	750ml Kraljica Brandy	12 Bottles
	750ml Montmorency Cherry Liq.	12 Bottles
	750ml Nirvana Brandy	12 Bottles
	750ml R Jelinek Bohemia Plum	12 Bottles
	750ml R. Jelinkek Fernet	12 Bottles
	1000ml Rubinov Vinjak VS	12 Bottles
	750ml Troyanska Slivovitz Plum-4 Yr.	12 Bottles
	750ml Troyanska Slivovitz-7 Yr.	12 Bottles
Park Street Imports, LLC (NWS Michigan, LLC)	1750ml Zodiac Black Cherry Vodka	6 Bottles
	1750ml Zodiac Vodka	6 Bottles
Prairie Creek Beverages LLC (General Wine & Liquor Co.)	1750ml George Ocean Coconut Rum	6 Bottles
	750ml George Ocean Coconut Rum	12 Bottles
	750ml George Ocean Coffee Rum	12 Bottles
	1750ml George Ocean Coffee Rum	6 Bottles
	750ml George Ocean Gold Rum	12 Bottles
	1750ml George Ocean Gold Rum	6 Bottles
	750ml George Ocean Spiced Rum	12 Bottles
	1750ml George Ocean Spiced Rum	6 Bottles
	750ml George Ocean White Rum	12 Bottles
	1750ml George Ocean White Rum	6 Bottles
	750ml Greenhouse Gin	12 Bottles
	750ml Henderson Whiskey	12 Bottles
	1750ml Henderson Whiskey	6 Bottles
	750ml Nue Berry Vodka	12 Bottles
	1750ml Nue Berry Vodka	6 Bottles
	750ml Nue Grapefruit Vodka	12 Bottles
	1750ml Nue Grapefruit Vodka	6 Bottles
	750ml Nue Peach Vodka	12 Bottles
	1750ml Nue Peach Vodka	6 Bottles
	750ml Nue Vodka	12 Bottles
	1000ml Nue Vodka	12 Bottles
	1750ml Nue Vodka	6 Bottles
	750ml Nue Whipped Cream Vodka	12 Bottles

	1750ml Nue Whipped Cream Vodka	6 Bottles
Proximo Spirits, Inc. (NWS Michigan, LLC)	375ml Black Bush (Irish) Whiskey	24 Bottles
	1750 Black Bush (Irish) Whiskey	6 Bottles
	1750ml Kraken Black Spiced Rum-70	6 Bottles
	750ml Three Olives Apples and Pears	12 Bottles
	750ml Three Olives Pink Grapefruit	12 Bottles
Sazerac Company, Inc. (NWS Michigan, LLC)	200ml Hartley Apple VSOP	48 Bottles
	375ml Hartley Apple VSOP	24 Bottles
	50ml Hartley Apple VSOP PL	120 Bottles
	100ml Hartley Apple VSOP PL	48 Bottles
	750ml Wheatley Vodka	12 Bottles
Diageo Americas, Inc. (NWS Michigan, LLC)	750ml Crown Royal Honey	12 Bottles
United Stated Distilled Products Co. (General Wine & Liquor Co.)	1750ml Kinky Vodka	6 Bottles
Vine Group, Incorporated (NWS Michigan, LLC)	750ml Royal Elite Luxury Vodka	12 Bottles
	750ml Royal Elite Supreme Vodka	12 Bottles
	750ml Royal Elite Ultra Prem Vodka	12 Bottles

That the request of American Fifth Spirits, Co., holder of 2015 Small Distiller license, for addition of the following product to the approved products list, be approved for listing, effective April 3, 2016; further prior to any sale and distribution of this product through the Commission's spirit distribution system, American Fifth Spirits, Co., must submit and receive Commission approval for an amended liquor quotation which designates an Authorized Distribution Agent for this product:

<u>PRODUCT</u>	<u>PACK SIZE</u>
50ml American Fifth Hue Vodka PL	120 Bottles

That the request of Detroit City Distillery, LLC, holder of 2015 Small Distiller license, for addition of the following products to the approved products list, be approved for listing, effective April 3, 2016; further prior to any sale and distribution of these products through the Commission's spirit distribution system, Detroit City Distillery, LLC must submit and receive Commission approval for an amended liquor quotation which designates an Authorized Distribution Agent for these products:

<u>PRODUCT</u>	<u>PACK SIZE</u>
750ml Bloodline Wheat Reserve	12 Bottles
750ml Elvethea Reserve Gin	12 Bottles
750ml Gilded Age Vodka Reserve	12 Bottles
750ml Homegrown Rye Reserve	12 Bottles
750ml Peacemaker Gin Reserve	12 Bottles

That the request of D'still, LLC, holder of 2015 Small Distiller license, for addition of the following product to the approved products list, be approved for listing, effective April 3, 2016; further prior to any sale and distribution of this product through the Commission's spirit distribution system, D'still, LLC must submit and receive Commission approval for an amended liquor quotation which designates an Authorized Distribution Agent for this product:

<u>PRODUCT</u>	<u>PACK SIZE</u>
375ml Motor City Gas Hot Mess	24 Bottles

That the request of Journeyman Distillery, LLC, holder of 2015 Small Distiller license, for addition of the following products to the approved products list, be approved for listing, effective April 3, 2016; further prior to any sale and distribution of these products through the Commission's spirit distribution system, Journeyman Distillery, LLC must submit and receive Commission approval for an amended liquor quotation which designates an Authorized Distribution Agent for these products:

<u>PRODUCT</u>	<u>PACK SIZE</u>
750ml Cedartucky Wodka	12 Bottles
50ml Journeyman Bilberry Blk Hrts Gin	120 Bottles
50ml Journeyman Featherbone Bourbon	120 Bottles
50ml Journeyman Humdinger Jalapeno Vodka	120 Bottles
50ml Journeyman Last Feather Rye	120 Bottles
750ml Journeyman Not a King Whiskey	12 Bottles
50ml Journeyman Snaggle Tooth Coffee	120 Bottles

That the request of Kickstand Brewing, L.L.C., holder of 2015 Small Distiller license, for addition of the following products to the approved products list, be approved for listing, effective April 3, 2016; further prior to any sale and distribution of these products through the Commission's spirit distribution system, Kickstand Brewing, L.L.C. must submit and receive Commission approval for an amended liquor quotation which designates an Authorized Distribution Agent for these products:

<u>PRODUCT</u>	<u>PACK SIZE</u>
750ml Kickstand Barreled Gin	12 Bottles
750ml Kickstand Gin	12 Bottles
750ml Kickstand Rye Whiskey	12 Bottles
750ml Kickstand Vodka	12 Bottles

That the request of St. Julian Wine Company, Incorporated., holder of 2015 Small Distiller license, for addition of the following products to the approved products list, be approved for

listing, effective April 3, 2016; further prior to any sale and distribution of these products through the Commission's spirit distribution system, St. Julian Wine Company, Incorporated. must submit and receive Commission approval for an amended liquor quotation which designates an Authorized Distribution Agent for these products:

<u>PRODUCT</u>	<u>PACK SIZE</u>
750ml A & G Michigan Gin Reserve	12 Bottles
750ml A & G Michigan Rum Reserve	12 Bottles

C. That the following requests for promotional or special packaging be approved for listing, effective April 3, 2016:

<u>COMPANY/ADA</u>	<u>PRODUCT</u>	<u>PACK SIZE</u>
Bacardi U.S.A., Inc. (General Wine & Liquor Co.)	750ml D'Usse VSOP w/50ml GG Vodka	6 Bottles
	750ml Grey Goose Cherry w/50ml GG Vod	6 Bottles
	750ml Grey Goose Citron w/50ml GG Vod	6 Bottles
	750ml Grey Goose Melon w/50ml GG Vod	6 Bottles
	750ml Grey Goose Orange w/50ml GG Vod	6 Bottles
	750ml Grey Goose Poire w/50ml GG Vodka	6 Bottles
	750ml St. Germain w/50ml GG Vodka	6 Bottles
Jim Beam Brands Co. (NWS Michigan, LLC)	375ml Pinnacle (Flask) PL w/50ml Raspby	24 Bottles
	375ml Pinnacle (Flask) PL w/50ml Vodka	24 Bottles
	750ml Pinnacle Peach w/Mason Jar Disp	6 Bottles
	1750ml Pinnacle PL w/2-50ml	6 Bottles
	1750ml Pinnacle PL w/2-50ml #2	6 Bottles
Brown-Forman Corporation (General Wine & Liquor Co.)	1750ml Canadian Mist PL 2 Pk	6 Bottles
	1000ml J Daniels Tenn Honey w/Fire 2 Pk	6 Bottles
Disaronno International, LLC (General Wine & Liquor Co.)	750ml Disaronno w/Jar & Squeezer	6 Bottles
E. & J. Gallo Wintery (General Wine & Liquor Co.)	750ml E & J VSOP w/50ml E&J Apple Bran	12 Bottles
Heaven Hill Distilleries, Inc. (General Wine & Liquor Co.)	750ml Deep Eddy Lemon w/2 Tin Cups	6 Bottles
	1750ml Deep Eddy Lemon w/2 Tin Cups	3 Bottles
	750ml Deep Eddy Ruby Red w/2 Tin Cups	6 Bottles
	1750ml Deep Eddy Ruby Red w/2 Tin Cups	3 Bottles
	750ml Deep Eddy Vodka w/2 Tin Cups	6 Bottles
	1750ml Deep Eddy Vodka w/2 Tin Cups	3 Bottles
	750ml Deep Eddy Vodka w/3-50ml	6 Bottles
	750ml Lunazul Blanco w/Divot Tool	12 Bottles
	750ml Lunazul Reposado w/Divot Tool	12 Bottles
	Pernod Ricard USA, LLC (NWS Michigan, LLC)	750ml Abosolut 80 w/2 Btles Spark Lemon



Sazerac Company, Inc. (General Wine & Liquor Co.)	750ml Southern Comfort 100 w/2 GlS	12 Bottles
Sazerac Company, Inc. (NWS Michigan, LLC)	750ml Southern Comfort 100 w/Coke	6 Bottles
Moet Hennessy USA, Inc. (NWS Michigan, LLC)	1750ml Canadian R&R w/50ml RR Apple PL	6 Bottles
Skyy Spirits, LLC (General Wine & Liquor Co.)	750ml Hennessy VSOP w/2 GlS	6 Bottles
Diageo Americas, Inc. (NWS Michigan, LLC)	750ml Hennessy XO w/2 GlS	6 Bottles
	750ml Skyy Vodka w/4-50ml Infusions	6 Bottles
	750ml Johnnie Walker Blk w/Golf Divot	12 Bottles

**D.** That the following requests for deletion of product from the approved products list be approved for delisting, effective April 3, 2016:

<u>COMPANY</u>	<u>PRODUCT</u>	<u>PACK SIZE</u>
Ann Arbor Distilling Company (Small Distiller)	750ml Water Hill Gin	12 Bottles
Fabrizia Spirits, LLC (NWS Michigan, LLC)	750ml Water Hill Vodka	12 Bottles
MHW Ltd. (NWS Michigan, LLC.)	750ml Fabrizia's Italian Margarita	12 Bottles
Park Street Imports, LLC (General Wine & Liquor Co.)	750ml Naughty Cow Cream	12 Bottles
Sazerac Company, Inc. (General Wine & Liquor Co.)	750ml Duke Straight Bourbon	6 Bottles
Stoli Group (USA), LLC (General Wine & Liquor Co.)	750ml Southern Comfort 100 w/Coke	12 Bottles
Diageo Americas, Inc. (NWS Michigan, LLC)	50ml Stolichnaya 80 Vodka	120 Bottles
Whyte and MacKay Americas Limited, LLC (General Wine & Liquor Co.)	50ml Stolichnaya Razberi Vodka	120 Bottles
	200ml Crown Royal Black	48 Bottles
	750ml The Dalmore 15 Yr. w/2 GlS	6 Bottles

**After discussion, the following products are denied:**

<u>COMPANY</u>	<u>PRODUCT</u>	<u>PACK SIZE</u>
Intersect Beverage, LLC (General Wine & Liquor Co.)	1000ml Azunia Anejo Tequila	6 Bottles
	1000ml Azunia Blanco Tequila	6 Bottles
	1000ml Azunia Reposado Tequila	6 Bottles
Local Choice, Inc. (NWS Michigan, LLC)	750ml Lean Ginseng & Guarana Vodka	6 Bottles

Detroit City Distillery, LLC (Small Distiller)	750ml Railroad Gin Reserve	12 Bottles
Sazerac Company, Inc. (NWS Michigan, LLC)	750ml Hartley Apple VSOP	12 Bottles

**Moved by Commissioner Quimby, supported by Commissioner Olshove that the above actions be taken in accordance with the E-Quote reports as written, and presented dated March 7, 2016, motion carried by unanimous vote.**

- III. Ms. Hamilton presented licensee requests for special price reductions on spirit products in accordance with the provisions of the Commission's Order of September 11, 2012 regarding special price reductions on spirit products, which was effective on January 1, 2013. She advised there were twenty four (24) different licensees requesting price reductions; that 1012 product price reductions could be approved; and that there were 9 product price reductions to be denied.

**Moved by Commissioner Quimby, supported by Commissioner Olshove, that the 1012 special price reductions be approved as indicated on the attached Approval for Price Reduction on Liquor reports, motion carried by unanimous vote.**

**Moved by Commissioner Quimby, supported by Commissioner Olshove, that the 9 special price reduction be denied for the reason stated in the attached Notification of Denial for Price Reduction reports, motion carried by unanimous vote.**

- IV. Mr. Robinson presented the December 2015 Financial Report which show the results of our operations for the period of October 1, 2015 through December 31, 2015. This report contains the same number of weeks of spirit sales as the December 2014 report. Mr. Robinson stated the Total Gross Sales increased over last year by approximately \$16.4 million or 4.7%, with the Distilled Spirit cases sold increasing by 65,514 or 2.9%. He advised the Net Income from spirit sales shows an increase of \$12.6, but this number needs to be reduced to \$4.1 million to remove the effect of some large fluctuations in the spirit inventory levels during the last two Decembers. These fluctuations could not be recorded in the State's MAIN accounting system due to timing issues with the closing of MAIN for the month. Mr. Robinson states Beer taxes are down by \$2.0 million while Wine taxes are up by \$82,000.

**Moved by Commissioner Quimby, supported by Commissioner Olshove, that the December 2015 Financial Report, be accepted, motion carried by unanimous vote.**

- V. Mr. Robinson requested approval to write off a number of uncollectible accounts. He advised this is routine information sent to the Michigan Department of Treasury regarding outstanding debts that the Commission has not been able to collect for licensees that are no longer active. Mr. Robinson stated that the Michigan Department of Treasury will attempt to collect the debt and if successful, the Commission receives 40% to 50% of the outstanding debt.

**Moved by Commissioner Quimby, supported by Commissioner Olshove, that the information concerning the uncollectible debts be forwarded to the Michigan Department of Treasury for collection, as written and presented, motion carried by unanimous vote.**

- VI. Old Business.

There was no Old Business.

- VII. New Business.

There was no New Business.

- VIII. Public Comments.

There were no Public Comments.

**With no further business, moved by Commissioner Quimby, supported by Commissioner Olshove, that the business meeting be adjourned at 10:00 a.m., motion carried by unanimous vote.**

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Teri L. Quimby  
Commissioner

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Anita Fawcett  
Executive Services