**MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING OF THE LINDEN**

**BOARD OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE CONTROL HELD**

**WEDNESDAY, JUNE 12, 2019**

A regular meeting of the Linden Board of Alcoholic Beverage Control was held in City Hall, 301 North Wood Avenue, Linden, NJ on Wednesday, June 12, 2019 at 4:00 p.m.

Chairman Cornwell called the meeting to order and announced that the Notice of this meeting stating the date, place and time was disseminated under the Open Public Meetings Act.

A roll showed the following members in attendance:

Commissioner Cosby (via phone)

Chairwoman Cornwell

Chairwoman Cornwell announced that Commissioner Chesney was excused.

Also present was ABC Secretary Joseph C. Bodek, ABC Attorney Deirdre Mason, and ABC Detective Matt Jones.

Approval of Minutes

Ms. Cosby moved for approval of the minutes of the May 8, 2019 regular meeting. The motion was seconded by Ms. Cornwell, and was unanimously ordered approved by a voice vote.

License Renewal

Mr. Bodek reported that the licenses listed in the resolution had paid all of the fees, and met all of the requirements for renewal.

**RESOLUTION**

## **WHEREAS**, renewal applications for Alcoholic Beverage Licenses for the license term July 1, 2019 to June 30, 2020 have been submitted in proper form, together with the appropriate license fees, and tax clearance certificate have been received for the following:

**2019/2020 ABC LICENSEES**

**Name and Address** **License Number**

**PLENARY RETAIL CONSUMPTION W/BROAD PACKAGE**

**FEE PAID $1,400.00**

**Link JH LLC 2009-32-043-004**

t/a Linden Discount Liquor

54 E. St. George Ave.

Linden, NJ 07036

**Linwood Inn Inc. 2009-32-046-003**

t/a Linwood Inn Tap House

15 South Wood Ave.

Linden, NJ 07036

**Karna Liquors, LLC 2009-32-053-012**

t/a Pre Game Liquors

355 West St. Georges Ave

Linden, NJ 07036

**Neelkanth Inc. 2009-32-074-007**

t/a Pied Piper Liquors

613 A. W. Edgar Road

Linden, NJ 07036

**PLENARY RETAIL CONSUMPTION**

**FEE PAID $1,400.00**

**Amici III Inc. 2009-33-009-011**

t/a Amici III Inc.

1700 West Elizabeth Avenue

Linden, NJ 07036

**Park Avenue Restaurant Corp. 2009-33-011-008**

t/a Taboo Men’s Club

2005 2015 East Linden Ave.

Linden, NJ 07036

**Bar Lin Inc. 2009-33-017-005**

t/a Linda’s Driftwood Bar & Grill

344 South Wood Ave.

Linden, NJ 07036

**Linden BWW LLC** **2009-33-029-005**

t/a Buffalo Wild Wings Grill & Bar

1701 W. Edgar Rd. Space G

Linden, NJ 07036

**Jersey Lanes Inc. 2009-33-031-003**

t/a Jersey Lanes

30 Park Avenue

Linden, NJ 07036

**Kontra Corp. 2009-33-036-003**

t/a Mike’s tavern

1101-1109 Roselle Street

Linden, NJ 07036

**Café C Linden LLC 2009-33-038-003**

t/a Café C

201 S. Wood Avenue

Linden, NJ 07036

**Guevara Brothers, LLC 2009-33-041-008**

t/a Abigails Café

804 E. Elizabeth Avenue

Linden, NJ 07036

**Linden Lanes Grill Inc 2009-33-042-002**

t/a Linden Lanes Grill

741 North Stiles Street

Linden, NJ 07036

**Chevys Food Service of Linden LLC 2009-33-049-004**

t/a Chevys Fresh Mex

Aviation Plaza

Linden, NJ 07036

**Apple Food Service of Linden, LLC 2009-33-066-008**

t/a Applebee’s Neighborhood Grill & Bar

671 West Edgar Rd

Linden, NJ 07036

**Braid Restaurant Group, LLC 2009-33-067-006**

t/a TGI Fridays, Inc.

400 South Park Ave.

Linden, NJ 07036

**Swan Recreation Inc. 2009-33-071-003**

t/a Josephs Pub

301 East Edgar Road  
Linden, NJ 07036

**PLENARY RETAIL DISTRIBUTION**

**Fee Paid $950.00**

**Metro Wine and Liquor, Inc. 2009-44-003-007**

t/a Metro Liquors

1179 West Saint Georges Avenue

Linden, NJ 07036

**Deephet Enterprise Inc. 2009-44-006-004**

t/a Benos Liquors

100-102 North Wood Ave.

Linden, NJ 07036

**ARMS LLC 2009-44-008-009**

t/a A & S Discount Liquors

206 North Wood Avenue

Linden, NJ 07036

**Dave Wines Inc. 2009-44-065-005**

t/a South Wood Liquors

928 S. Wood Avenue

Linden, NJ 07036

**CLUB LICENSES**

**Fee Paid $300.00**

**Linden Post #102 American Legion 2009-31-077-001**

t/a Linden Post #102 American Legion

112 West Elizabeth Ave.

Linden, NJ 07036

**Linden Lodge #913 Inc. 2009-31-082-002**

t/a Loyal Order of the Moose

43-115 Luttgen Place

Linden, NJ 07036

**John Russell Wheeler Post #1397 2009-31-085-001**

Vetereans of Foreign Wars

20 Pennsylvania R.R. Avenue

Linden, NJ 07036

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED,** by the Board of Alcoholic Beverage Control of the City of Linden, does hereby approve the renewal of the aforesaid alcoholic beverage licenses for the license term July 1, 2019 to June 30, 2020.

Ms. Cosby moved the resolution renewing licenses for the 2019 -2020 licensing term. The motion was seconded by Ms. Cornwell and was unanimously ordered approved by a roll call vote.

License Transfer

Mr. Bodek reviewed the file for the transfer of License 2009-33-037-006 and reported that all was in order for the Board to consider the transfer. He noted the presences of Mr. Hernando Bautista, the new licensee, and his attorney Alcides T. Andril, Esq. Mr. Andril provided a review for the Board, and introduced his client.

**PERSON-TO-PERSON TRANSFER OF LICENSE 2009-33-037-006 FROM**

**1906 ST. GEORGES, LLC TO NOCTURNO, INC.**

**WHEREAS,** an application has been filed for a Person-to-Person Transfer of Plenary Retail Consumption License Number 2009-33-037-006, heretofore issued to 1906 St. Georges, LLC, located at 1906 East St. Georges Ave, Linden, New Jersey; and

**WHEREAS,** the submitted application form is complete in all respects, the transfer fees have been paid, and the license has been properly renewed for the current license term; and

**WHEREAS,** the applicant is qualified to be licensed according to all standards established by Title 33 of the New Jersey Statutes, regulations promulgated thereunder, as well as pertinent local ordinances and conditions consistent with Title 33; and

**WHEREAS,** the applicant has disclosed and the issuing authority reviewed the source of all funds used in the purchase of the license and the licensed business and all additional financing obtained in connection with the license business.

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** that the City of Linden Board of Alcoholic Beverage Control does hereby approve, effective June 13, 2019, the transfer of the aforesaid Plenary Retail Consumption License, to Nocturno, Inc. and does hereby direct the A.B.C. Board Secretary to endorse the license certificate to the new ownership as follows: “This license, subject to all its terms and conditions, is hereby transferred to Nocturno, Inc. effective June 13, 2019.”

Ms. Cosby moved the resolution for the transfer of License #2009-33-037-006. The motion was seconded by Ms. Cornwell, and was unanimously ordered approved by a roll call vote.

Mr. Bodek reported that the Person-to-Person transfer of License #2009-44-008-009 from Arms, LLC to A1 Rams LLC was not ready for transfer as a tax clearance certificate had not yet been received, and recommended that the matter be held to the June 26, 2019 meeting. All agreed.

Public Comment

There were no members of the public present.

There being no further business to come before the Board, Ms. Cosby moved to adjourn the meeting. The motion was seconded by Ms. Cornwell and approved by a voice vote. The meeting was adjourned at 4:18 pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Joseph C. Bodek

A.B.C. Secretary