

Commonwealth of Massachusetts Alcoholic Beverages Control Commission 95 Fourth Street, Suite 3 Chelsea, Massachusetts 02150

Jean M. Lorizio, Esq. Chairman

MEMORANDUM AND ORDER ON LICENSEE'S REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

MAY EAST INC. D/B/A MAY EAST 594 WASHINGTON STREET EASTON, MA 02375

LICENSE#: 00044-RS-0368

May East Inc. d/b/a May East (the "Licensee") holds an alcohol license issued pursuant to M.G.L. c. 138, § 12. The Alcoholic Beverages Control Commission (the "ABCC" or "Commission") held a hearing on Wednesday, October 21, 2020 regarding alleged violations of:

- 1) 204 CMR 2.05 (2) Permitting an Illegality on the Licensed Premises, to wit: Massachusetts Executive COVID-19 Order No. 37 (June 6, 2020) Violation of sector specific workplace safety standards for restaurants to address COVID-19;
- 2) 204 CMR 2.05 (2) Permitting an Illegality on the Licensed Premises, to wit: Massachusetts Executive COVID-19 Order No. 40 (June 19, 2020) Violation of sector specific workplace safety standards for restaurants to address COVID-19;
- 3) 204 CMR 2.05 (2) Permitting an Illegality on the Licensed Premises, to wit: Violation of Massachusetts Executive COVID-19 Order No. 46 (August 7, 2020);
- 4) 204 CMR 2.05 (2) Permitting an illegality on the licensed premises, to wit: C. 138, § 34C Possession of an alcoholic beverage by a person under twenty-one years of age (5 counts).

By decision dated November 23, 2020 the Commission found the Licensee in violation of the first three COVID-19 charges and indefinitely suspended the License effective forthwith until further written order from this Commission.

On the fourth violation, 204 CMR 2.05 (2) to wit: M.G.L. Ch. 138, § 34C (5 Counts), the Commission hereby SUSPENDS the license for a period of five (5) days with dates of said suspension to be determined by the Commission upon reinstatement of the license.

The Commission stated that it would consider issuing a further order upon written request of the Licensee showing good cause to reconsider this indefinite suspension. Good cause for the Commission would include, but not be limited to, the Licensee's receiving approval from the Massachusetts Department of Labor Standards ("DLS") as to a reopening plan.

On December 14, 2020, the Commission received the letter of approval from Massachusetts Department of Labor Standards ("DLS"). On December 14, 2020, the Licensee submitted a written request to reconsider the indefinite suspension.

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CONCLUSION

Based on the evidence presented, the Commission reconsiders and reverses its prior order of INDEFINITE SUSPENSION of the license of May East Inc. d/b/a May East effective forthwith.

The Commission will issue a separate Notice of Suspension for the 5-day suspension for violation of 204 CMR 2.05 (2) to wit: M.G.L. Ch. 138, § 34C (5 Counts), with dates to be served.

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Dated: December 14, 2020		

You have the right to appeal this decision to the Superior Courts under the provisions of Chapter 30A of the Massachusetts General Laws within thirty (30) days of receipt of this decision.

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cc: Local Licensing Board
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RE: ABCC License # 00044-RS-0368

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The Department of Labor Standards has reviewed the written COVID-19 Control Plan from the May East LLC D/B/A May East at 594 Washington Street Easton, MA 02375 and verified plan implementation through photos provided by the owner.

The Department of Labor Standards has determined the business' COVID-19 Control Plan to be satisfactory according to COVID-19 Orders No. 33, 37 or 43.

Sincerely,

Mary Dozois

Mary Dozois CIH CSP Supervisor, Workplace Safety & Health Program MA Department of Labor Standards 72 School Street, Taunton, MA 02780 617-626-5987 and mary.dozois@mass.gov

Hathaway, Patricia (TRE)

From:

Cristo Wong <cristoywong@gmail.com> Saturday, December 12, 2020 4:50 AM

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Hathaway, Patricia (TRE)

Subject:

Request for Reinstatement of MAY EAST RESTAURANT Liquor License

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To Patricia Hathaway and ABCC,

I am writing to request the reinstatement of the MAY EAST RESTAURANT Liquor License. I have sent all required materials to the DLS inspector and am awaiting the DLS review process.

Regards, Cristo Wong