

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts Department of the State Treasurer Alcoholic Beverages Control Commission Boston, Massachusetts 02114

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MEMORANDUM AND ORDER ON LICENSEE'S REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

PREETI, INC. D/B/A KABAB CORNER 4110A MYSTIC VALLEY PARKWAY MEDFORD, MA 02155

LICENSE#: 068000067

VIOLATION DATE: 07/15/2013

HEARD: 03/02/2016

Preeti, Inc. d/b/a Kabab Corner (the "Licensee") holds an alcohol license issued pursuant to M.G.L. c. 138, §12. The Alcoholic Beverages Control Commission (the "Commission") held a hearing on Tuesday, December 15, 2015, regarding alleged violations of:

- 1) M.G.L. c. 138, §23 Sale of Alcoholic Beverages other than those purchased from a licensee under §18 or §19 or from a holder of a special license under §22A;
- 2) M.G.L. c. 138 §23 Transfer of the privilege of a license without proper approval;
- 3) M.G.L. c. 138, §26 Failure to have the appointment of the manager approved by the Licensing Authority.

By decision dated December 17, 2015, the Commission found the Licensee in violation of the charges and indefinitely suspended the License effective forthwith until further written order from this Commission.

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 and a hearing before the Commission that the Licensee attends. The December 17, 2015 decision specifically provided as follows:

The Commission will not issue any further order without a written request from the Licensee showing good cause to reconsider this indefinite suspension and a hearing before the Commission that the Licensee attends.

By letter dated January 8, 2016, the Licensee requested a hearing to reconsider the indefinite suspension. The Licensee attended a hearing before the Commission on March 2, 2016, and argued that good cause exists to reconsider the indefinite suspension.

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Prior to the hearing, the Licensee submitted an application to change the manager from Anil Kumar to Najat Abdelbassit. That application was approved by the local licensing authorities and subsequently approved by the Commission on January 26, 2016.

The following documents are in evidence:

- 1. Licensee's Invoices for purchase of alcoholic beverages;
- 2. Affidavit of Najat Abdelbassit;
- 3. Affidavit of Anil Kumar;
- 4. Safe Service Training Certificate for Anil Kumar;
- 5. Safe Service Training Certificate for Najat Abdelbassit; and
- 6. Business Listing from Corporations Division, Secretary of State for Preeti, Inc.

There is one (1) audio recording of this hearing and three (3) witnesses testified. The Commission took administrative notice of the Commission records regarding this Licensee.

CONCLUSION

The documents the Licensee provided convinced the Commission that the Licensee has fully complied with the prior order.

Based on the evidence presented at the hearing, the Commission reconsiders and reverses its prior order of INDEFINITE SUSPENSION of the license of Preeti, Inc. d/b/a Kabab Corner effective forthwith.

The indefinite suspension is reconsidered and reversed to a suspension of time served from December 17, 2015 to March 3, 2016.

ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES CONTROL COMMISSION

Kim S. Gainsboro, Chairman

Kathleen McNally, Commissioner

Dated: March 3, 2016

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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