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**Disciplinary Action Taken by The State Liquor Authority
Full Board Meeting**

The Members of the New York State Liquor Authority (SLA) held a regular Full Board meeting on Wednesday, December 20th, 2006. Disciplinary actions taken by the Members of the Board, Chairman Daniel B. Boyle, Commissioner Lawrence J. Gedda and Commissioner Noreen Healey, include the revocation of 8 alcoholic beverage licenses, cancellation of 1, and the suspension of 2 licenses.

“Licensees who do not take the responsibility of having a license seriously will lose the privilege,” said Chairman Boyle. “The State Liquor Authority will continue its ongoing efforts to ensure the safety of the public.”

Under the Alcoholic Beverage Control Law, a Revocation terminates a business’s license and bans the licensee from holding any alcoholic beverage license for a period of two years. A Cancellation also terminates the license, but does not ban the licensee from applying for a license for two years. A Suspension prohibits the consumption or sale of alcoholic beverages for a designated period.

In addition, Board Members voted to fine 57 licensees \$164,500 and claimed 7 bonds for \$7,000. “By imposing these penalties, we are sending a clear message to the industry that violations of the ABC Law will not be tolerated,” said Chairman Boyle. A Civil penalty is a monetary fine levied against the licensee. A Bond Claim is a claim made against the licensee’s surety bond, which is a requirement for holding a liquor license.

The chart below shows all Revocations, Cancellations and Suspensions imposed by the Board at the December 20th meeting. A complete listing of all disciplinary action taken by the Board can be found at our web site, www.abc.state.ny.us. Premises names and addresses are listed by county along with the penalties imposed. The next Full Board meeting is scheduled for January 10th, 2006, 10:00 am at the SLA Offices in the Harlem Center Tower Office Building, 317 Lenox Avenue, New York, NY.

Revocations Cancellations Suspensions
Full Board Meeting, December 20th, 2006

<u>Business Name</u>	<u>County</u>	<u>Address</u>	<u>Doing Business As</u>	<u>Penalty</u>
Zone 1 (Counties: Bronx, Kings, Nassau, New York, Queens, Richmond, Suffolk, Westchester)				
Malek Convenience Inc.	Bronx	5510 Broadway		Revocation
Mahmoud Kamel Telab	Kings	397 Classon Avenue	Friendly Food Center	Revocation \$3,000 Civil Penalty
Oceans 961 Corp.	New York	961 2nd Avenue		License Suspension (5) Days \$7,500 Civil Penalty
Julian Isidoro	New York	1773 Lexington Avenue	The New Paradise	Revocation \$2,000 Civil Penalty \$1,000 Bond Claim Plus 2 Year Proscription
Fuelray Café & Lounge Inc.	New York	68 W 3rd Street	Fuelray Café & Lounge	License Suspension (05) Days \$3,000 Civil Penalty
Nipa Candy & Grocery Inc.	Queens	95 16 Queens Boulevard		Revocation \$1,000 Bond Claim
Food Beer & Smoke Corp.	Suffolk	863 Jericho Tpke Store # 6	Food Beer & Smoke	Revocation \$1,000 Bond Claim
Bolo Bar Corp.	Westchester	241 Main Street	Bolo Bar Lounge	Revocation \$4,000 Civil Penalty \$1,000 Bond Claim

Zone 2 (Counties: Albany, Broome, Cayuga, Chenango, Clinton, Columbia, Cortland, Delaware, Dutchess, Essex, Franklin, Fulton, Greene, Hamilton, Herkimer, Jefferson, Lewis, Madison, Montgomery, Oneida, Onondaga, Orange, Oswego, Otsego, Putnam, Rensselaer, Rockland, St. Lawrence, Saratoga, Schenectady, Schoharie, Sullivan, Ulster, Warren, Washington)

Midland Express Market, Inc.	Onondaga	943 Midland Avenue	Midland Express Market	Revocation \$1,000 Bond Claim Revocation \$2,000 Civil Penalty \$1,000 Bond Claim Plus 2 Year Proscription
AMEF Inc.	Rensselaer	175 Main Street	Gregory's Restaurant	Cancellation \$1,000 Bond Claim
Jam Din Deck Inc.	Rockland	61 S Route 9	Upper Deck Sports Café	

Zone 3 (Counties: Allegany, Cattaraugus, Chautauqua, Chemung, Erie, Genesee, Livingston, Monroe, Niagara, Ontario, Orleans, Schuyler, Seneca, Steuben, Tioga, Tompkins, Wayne, Wyoming, Yates)

P J R Tavern Inc.	Erie	8934 Lake Shore Rd PO Box 185	Captain Kidds	License Suspension (60 Days) \$3,000 Civil Penalty
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To ensure prompt investigations, compliance with the Alcoholic Beverage Control Law and for the convenience of licensees and community members, the SLA is separated into three geographical zones. Zone 1 includes New York City, Long Island and Westchester County. Zone 2 includes the Capital Region, the Mohawk Valley, the North Country, Central New York, the Finger Lakes and part of the Southern Tier. Zone 3 includes part of the Southern Tier and all of Western New York. Before going to the Full Board, disciplinary matters have been investigated by the SLA Enforcement Unit or been referred to the Authority's Office of Counsel by local law enforcement or another government agency. Each case is examined on its individual merits before the Members of the Authority make their final determination.

The State Liquor Authority regulates and controls the manufacture, sale and distribution of alcoholic beverages within the State. The Authority works with local law enforcement agencies and localities across the State to ensure compliance with the Alcoholic Beverage Control Law. In addition, the Authority issues and renews licenses and permits to manufacturers, distributors, wholesalers and retailers of alcoholic beverages.

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