

**LICENSES AND CONSUMER SERVICES
LICENSE INSPECTOR'S REPORT**

License Number: L200-50165 **Police File Number:** 13706

Date of Application: June 2, 2015

Inspector: Amy Lingo

Applicant/Legal Entity: Alemayehu Enterprises, Inc.

DBA/Trade Name: Lake Ethiopian Restaurant and Bar

Complete Address: 2713 East Lake Street, Minneapolis, MN 55406

License Requested: On-Sale Liquor, Class B with Sunday Sales

Purpose of Application: New Proprietor

Responsible person within 75 miles of Minneapolis City Hall: Sosena Alemayehu

Public Hearing Requirement: No

Neighborhood/Ward: Longfellow, Ward 2

Zoning: C3A

7 acre requirement: Met

Off-Street Parking: Met

Schools within 300 feet of the proposed premises: No

Seating: They have seating in excess of the required 50 seats.

Hours of operation proposed: INTERIOR: Monday – Sunday 11:00am – 2:00am
EXTERIOR: Monday – Sunday 11:00am – 2:00am
(Weather permitting)

Metropolitan Council Service Availability Charges: Paid

History of Location

This location was previously an On Sale Liquor with Sunday Sales Class B establishment named T's Place. Alemayehu Enterprises, Inc. is a New Proprietor with no changes to the establishment.

Applicant

The applicant is Alemayehu Enterprises, Inc. that is incorporated under Minnesota Statute 322B, certificate number 825088100022, file date May 04, 2015.

<u>Name</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Shares</u>
Sirak Zewdie	Owner - President	25%
Sosena Alemayehu	Owner – Vice President	25%
Yohannes Zewdie	Owner	25%
Yared Zewdie	Owner	25%

Manager

The manager for Lake Ethiopian Restaurant and Bar will be Sosena Alemayehu.

Police Review

Minneapolis Police Licenses and 3rd Precinct reviewed the financial, criminal and security plans for Lake Ethiopian Restaurant and Bar. They have determined that Alemayehu Enterprises, Inc. meets the minimum ordinance requirements for an alcohol license.

Premises

The premises are located on Lake St E between 27th Ave S and 28th Ave S. Lake Ethiopian Restaurant and Bar will occupy the first floor. There will be interior seating for 100 patrons. Ten seats will be located at a food service bar. The rest of the seating will be at tables and chairs. The main entrance, for the restaurant, is located on East Lake St. This sidewalk café will be to the right of the main entrance. The exterior cafe will have tables and seating for 20 patrons. There will be outside speakers for ambient sound only. There will be no amusement devices. The applicant will not offer any mechanical amusement devices or charitable gambling on the premises. Alemayehu Enterprises, Inc will not sponsor local sports teams.

Business Plan/Operations

Lake Ethiopian Restaurant and Bar is a full service restaurant that focuses on modern Ethiopian fare that will be open Monday – Sunday 11:00am – 2:00am. Alemayehu Enterprises, Inc. will have a Class B license which permits entertainment up to and including music & singing by any number of performers, dancing, customer singing, Disc Jockey. Ambient music will be played on the sidewalk cafe. Alemayehu Enterprises, Inc will train all alcohol servers and management upon hire and as needed.

PUBLIC HEARING

No public hearing was required.

RECOMMENDATIONS

Licenses and Consumer Services Division recommends the approval of an On-Sale Liquor with Sunday Sales, Class B license.