



**Request for City Council Committee Action
from the
Department of Licenses and Consumer Services**

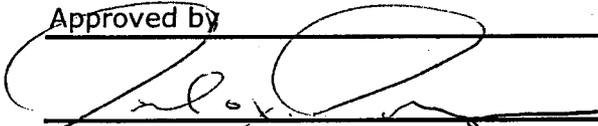
Date December 9, 2008
To Public Safety and Regulatory Services Chair Don Samuels
Subject Revocation of the Off Sale Liquor License for PLR Holding Corporation, dba; Jug Liquor Store

Recommendation

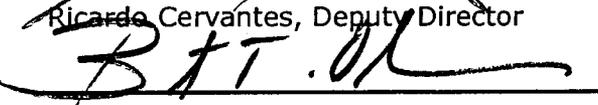
The Division of Licenses and Consumer Services recommends that the off sale liquor license for PLR Holding Corporation, dba Jug Liquor Store, located at 226 West Broadway, be revoked for failure to pay a false alarm fine in the amount of \$900.

Prepared or Submitted by Dan Jacobs, Inspector, Licenses and Consumer Services. Ricardo Cervantes, Deputy Director, Licenses and Consumer Services

Approved by



Ricardo Cervantes, Deputy Director



Burt Osborne, Director of Licenses

Rocco Forte, Assistant City Coordinator

Policy Review Group (PRG) Not Applicable

Presenters in Committee Dan Jacobs, License Inspector, Ricardo Cervantes, Deputy Director, Licenses and Consumer Services

Financial Impact

No financial impact – or – Action is within current department budget

Background/Supporting Information Attached

Evidence packet sent under separate cover.

The license holder is in violation of Minneapolis Code of Ordinance 259. 15 by failing to pay a false alarm in the amount of \$900.

On March 8, 2007 at 2:21:35, a false alarm fine was issued in the amount of \$200.

On March 9, 2007 at 2:57:23, a false alarm fine was issued in the amount of \$300.

On March 14, 2007 at 12:58:20, a false alarm fine was issued in the amount of \$400.

On July 6, 2007 Burglar alarm requests for services were suspended.

On June 13, 2007 a notice of suspension of police response was issued.

On March 31, 2008 an RFS letter for non payment of fees was issued.

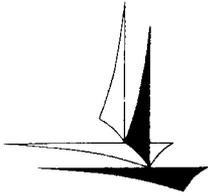
On November 24, 2008 an RFS notice of pending hearing was issued.

Staff note on false alarm fines.

Photos of establishment.

No appeals were made on any of the above listed false alarm fines.

Despite written and verbal attempt to resolve these fines, they have not been paid.



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December 9, 2008

PLR Holding Corporation
Jug Liquor Store
226 West Broadway
Minneapolis, MN 55411

NOTICE OF HEARING

**In respect to your Off Sale Liquor License-L170-35349, for Jug
Liquor Store, Minneapolis.**

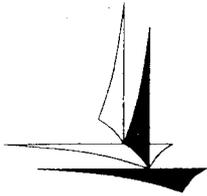
PLEASE TAKE NOTE:

1. This is to notify you that a hearing will be held before the Public Safety and Regulatory Services Committee of the Minneapolis City Council on Wednesday, December 17, 2008 at 1:00 p.m. or shortly thereafter, in Room 317, City Hall, 350 South Fifth Street, Minneapolis, MN to consider action with respect to your Off Sale Liquor License-L170-35349.
2. This hearing may result in revocation of your off sale liquor license resulting in discontinuance of business activities.
3. An attorney may represent you if you so desire.

Pursuant to Minneapolis Charter Chapter 4, the Committee will determine whether or not the license holder is in violation of Minneapolis Code of Ordinances 259.15, failure to pay all fees and fines owed to the City of Minneapolis. Evidence will be presented that your business has accumulated \$900 in false alarm charges from a false alarm recorded on March 8, 2007 and March 9, 2007 and March 14, 2007.

Minneapolis Charter Chapter 4, Section 16 states, Licenses May be Revoked. Any license issued by the authority of the City Council may be revoked by the City Council at any time upon proper notice and hearing for good cause;...:

Minneapolis Code of Ordinances 259.15, Payment of taxes prerequisite to issuance, renewal of license. No license shall be granted, or renewed, for operation on any premises, on which taxes, assessments or other financial claims of the city or of the state are due, delinquent or unpaid. In the event an action has been commenced pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 278, Minnesota Statutes, questioning the amount or validity of taxes, the



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council may, on application by the licensee, waive strict compliance with this provision; no waiver may be granted, however, for taxes or any portion thereof, which remain unpaid for a period exceeding one year after becoming due unless a payment plan has been entered into or the liability is under litigation or appeal.

This hearing can be avoided by tendering payment in the amount of \$900 to the Business License Department.

If you have further questions regarding the issues or conduct of the hearing, you may contact License Inspector Dan Jacobs at 612-673-3909.

Sincerely,

**Ricardo X. Cervantes, Deputy Director
Licenses and Consumer Services**