

**PENNSYLVANIA LIQUOR CONTROL BOARD**  
**MEETING AGENDA**

**WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 5, 2025**  
**NORTHWEST OFFICE BUILDING, CONFERENCE ROOM 117, HARRISBURG, PA**  
**MICROSOFT TEAMS MEETING**

Darrell Clarke, Chairman  
Randy Vulakovich, Board Member  
Vacant, Board Member  
Rodrigo Diaz, Executive Director  
Michael Vigoda, Board Secretary

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*Details for the Microsoft Teams meeting on February 5, 2025 can be found on the PLCB public website.*

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**EXECUTIVE SESSIONS**

In accordance with section 708 of the Sunshine Act, 65 Pa. C.S. § 708, on the morning of and/or the day immediately preceding the Public Meeting set forth herein, the Pennsylvania Liquor Control Board will be holding a closed Executive Session or Sessions in the Northwest Office Building for the following purposes: to discuss personnel matters; to consider the purchase or lease of real property prior to an option being obtained or prior to an agreement of purchase; to consult with its legal counsel regarding litigation and similar issues; to review and discuss agency business, which, if conducted in public, would violate lawful privilege or lead to the disclosure of information confidentially protected by law, including quasi-judicial deliberations; and to engage in non-deliberative informational discussions regarding various actions and other matters which have been approved at previous public meetings.

**PUBLIC MEETING – 11:00 A.M**

**CALL TO ORDER** ..... *Chairman Clarke*

Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag

**OLD BUSINESS**..... *Secretary Vigoda*

- A. Motion to approve previous Board Meeting Minutes of the January 15, 2025 meeting.

**ANNOUNCEMENT OF EXECUTIVE SESSIONS**

As explained in the printed Meeting Agenda, certain matters being presented for “official action” at today’s meeting have been discussed during Executive Sessions held prior to today’s meeting as permitted by the Sunshine Act.

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**PUBLIC COMMENT**

The Board has reserved 10 minutes for public comment.

**NEW BUSINESS**

*From the Office of Chief Counsel ..... Jason Worley, Chief Counsel*

- (1) **Ronald E. Richter**  
637 SR 187  
Mehoopany, PA 18629-9666  
License No. R-20032  
LID 61520  
Resolution of Appeal Pending in the Court of Common Pleas of Wyoming County
  
- (2) **Benjamin R. Picker v. Pennsylvania Liquor Control Board**  
Commonwealth Court Docket No. 553 CD 2024  
Petition for Allowance of Appeal to the Pennsylvania Supreme Court

*From the Bureau of Licensing ..... Tisha Albert, Director of Regulatory Affairs  
Andrew Stuffick, Director, Bureau of Licensing*

- (1) **Blue Goose Sportsmens Club, Inc.**  
C-5751 (LID No. 2599) Case No. 24-9063  
500 Duman Dam Road  
P.O. Box 21  
Blacklick Township  
Belsano, Cambria County  
Renewal – Club
  
- (2) **Bottle Up Beverage, LLC  
t/a Mr. Bottle Beverage**  
D-2096 (LID No. 126076)  
521 East Lancaster Avenue  
Easttown Township  
Berwyn, Chester County  
Person-to-Person Transfer & Requests for an Interior Connection with Another Business & to Retain Other Employment – Distributor
  
- (3) **Cosimo’s Corner, LLC**  
R-7810 (LID No. 114922) Case No. 24-9094  
400 Ridge Street  
Freeland, Luzerne County  
Notice of Change in Business Structure – Restaurant

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| <p>(4) <b>D and J Beer, LLC</b><br/><b>t/a D &amp; J Beer &amp; Tobacco</b><br/>D-1819 (LID No. 128279)<br/>1238 Scalp Avenue<br/>Richland Township<br/>Johnstown, Cambria County</p>               | <p>Person-to-Person Transfer &amp; Requests<br/>for Interior Connections with Another<br/>Business &amp; to Retain Other<br/>Employment – Distributor</p> |
| <p>(5) <b>Eagles Home Association of Norristown</b><br/>CC-46683 (LID No. 1208) Case No. 24-9083<br/>209 Swede Street<br/>Norristown, Montgomery County</p>   | <p>Renewal with Notice of Change in<br/>Officers – Catering Club</p>  |
| <p>(6) <b>Fifty First Street, LLC</b><br/><b>t/a Spirit</b><br/>R-9716 (LID No. 70577) Case No. 24-9033<br/>242 51<sup>st</sup> Street<br/>Pittsburgh, Allegheny County</p>                         | <p>Extension of Premises – Restaurant</p>   |
| <p>(7) <b>O’Fowley’s, Inc.</b><br/>R-15349 (LID No. 52270) Case No. 24-9061<br/>200 State Road<br/>Bristol Township<br/>Croydon, Bucks County</p>   | <p>Appointment of Manager – Restaurant</p>  |
| <p>(8) <b>Par Perez Joint Venture</b><br/><b>t/a Yankee Doodle Family Restaurant</b><br/>H-6384 (LID No. 68660) Case No. 23-9150<br/>860 North Front Street<br/>Wormleysburg, Cumberland County</p> | <p>Request for Hearing after<br/>Administrative Cancellation – Notice of<br/>Change in Business Structure – Hotel</p>                                     |
| <p>(9) <b>DKD 109, LLC</b><br/>R-11298 (LID No. R-101350) Case No. 2023-101350<br/>109-111 West State Street, 2nd Floor<br/>Media, Delaware County</p>  | <p>Renewal – District 11</p>  |
| <p>(10) <b>Milford Beer Barn, Inc.</b><br/>D-3482 (LID No. 5060) Case No. 2023-5060<br/>204 West Harford Street<br/>Milford, Pike County</p>  | <p>Renewal – District 9</p>   |

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- (11) **Sanria, LLC** Renewal – District 6  
**t/a Jigger’s**  
R-4927 (LID No. 62227) Case No. 2022-62227 and  
2024- 62227  
5835-5839 Washington Avenue  
Export, Westmoreland County

*From the Bureau of Human Resources ..... Jason Lutcavage, Director of Administration  
Jennifer Haas, Director, Bureau of Human Resources*

Personnel Actions

*From the Bureau of Accounting & Purchasing ..... Rodrigo Diaz, Executive Director  
Joshua Greene, Acting Chief, Purchasing & Contracting Administration  
Ijeoma Ezekoye, Director, Bureau of Financial Management & Analysis*

Procurement Actions:

- (1) **Zebra TC53 Equipment with Five-Year OneCare Essential Support**– This additional scanner equipment (50 Zebra TC53 scanners, 10 cradles, 10 boots, 10 pistol grips, 50 service warranties) will be used for testings, training, and production support for the New Horizon Project.  
  
Procured via DGS Contract #4400017907 – **VENDOR: CDW-G - \$145,104.20 estimated cost.**
- (2) **Furniture for Store # 1409** – Wall Units for Fine Wine & Good Spirits Store #1409 in State College.  
  
Procured via DGS Contract # 4400030437 – **VENDOR: TC Millwork - \$ 85,517.11 estimated cost.**
- (3) **Furniture for Store # 4502** – Wall Units for Fine Wine & Good Spirits Store #4502 in Mount Pocono.  
  
Procured via DGS Contract # 4400030437 – **VENDOR: TC Millwork - \$ 80,899.14 estimated cost.**
- (4) **Furniture for Store # 3516** – Wall Units for Fine Wine & Good Spirits Store #3516 in Clarks Summit.  
  
Procured via DGS Contract # 4400030437 – **VENDOR: TC Millwork - \$ 87,713.00 estimated cost.**
- (5) **Furniture for Store # 0611** – Wall Units for Fine Wine & Good Spirits Store # 0611 in Wyomissing.

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Procured via DGS Contract # 4400030437 – **VENDOR: TC Millwork - \$75,602.60 estimated cost.**

**(6) Furniture for Store # 6714** – Wall units for Fine Wine & Good Spirits Store 6714 in Shrewsbury.

Procured via DGS Contract # 4400030437 – **VENDOR: TC Millwork - \$63,324.51 estimated cost.**

**(7) Enterprise Contact Center System** – Genesys is the Agency call center provider servicing the internal Help Desk, SO, Consumer Relations, LOOP, and Licensing. This project will migrate the entirety of its current business operations from Engage Cloud to Genesys Cloud FedRAMP to avoid platform disruption and mitigate financial risks associated with failure to migrate operations prior to Engage Cloud’s end of service life date.

Procured via DGS Contract# 4400015717 – **VENDOR: Genesys Cloud Services - \$227,959.54 estimated cost.**

Inter-Agency Charges:

- (1) Executive Offices – OCRIM (Job 78)** – FY 2024-25 billing of \$58,487.24 to reimburse the Executive Offices for services provided by the Office of Continuity and Records Information Management (OCRIM) to operate the Executive Management Directives system, continuity and preparedness operations, and the ALERTPA notification system (CodeRed). The billing is \$18,724.34 (-24.3%) lower than last year and represents 7.8% of the total \$750 thousand in Executive Office’s billing. The methodology for allocating the FY 2024 billing is based on “benefit eligible employee” head count for the last fiscal year, (no change in methodology.)
- (2) Office of Administration – HR Shared Services (Job 73)** – Billing of \$1,222,475 for FY 2024-25 Q3 the PLCB’s allocated share of OA’s HR-Enterprise Services (HR service center, training, labor relations, employee benefits, SEAP, etc.). The variance is \$221,975 (22.2%) greater than the prior billing due to offsetting credit last year. The billing is allocated based on the agency’s number of benefit eligible employees (BEEs). The LCB’s billing portion is 4.1% of the HRSS total billing of \$29.7 million.
- (3) Department of General Services – Energy CAP Project** – Billing of \$51,075.91 to reimburse DGS for their costs related to the Commonwealth’s Energy Cap project for FY 2024. The Energy Cap project is a Commonwealth wide project in which DGS is working with Penn State Facilities Engineering Institute (PSFEI) to analyze agency utility costs to look for savings from switching to lower-cost utility providers. The billing is for the PLCB’s allocated share for software license fees, maintenance, and project support.
- (4) Department of General Services (DGS) Procurement Services (Job 917)** – Billing of \$350,556.08 for DGS procurement service costs in FY 2024. The invoicing is allocated based on agency usage of DGS’s state-wide contracts and purchasing card usage over the last year and includes a \$41,699.61 true-up credit for the prior year’s estimated billing.

The Bureau of Financial Management and Analysis has reviewed these charges and determined that they are reasonable based on billing methodology and previous experience.

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*From the Office of Retail Operations..... Rodrigo Diaz, Executive Director*

- (1) #5802 – 16750 State Route 706, Suite 6, Montrose  
Amendment
- (2) #6519 – 2509 Leechburg Road Suite F, Lower Burrell  
Amendment
- (3) #3922 – 2154 West Union Boulevard, Bethlehem  
Exercise Option

*From the Bureau of Product Management.....Megan Painter, Director of Product Management*

<b>VENDOR – ITEM NAME</b>	<b>BOARD ACTION REQUESTED</b>
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“These items went to Board for the public meeting without pricing”

Various	1. Regular PA New Items Accepted
Various	2. Regular Recommended Delist

**1. Regular PA New Items Accepted**

<u>BRAND NAME AND SIZE</u>	<u>REASON</u>
<u>Altered State Distillery</u> B-Side Rye Whiskey 750 mL	10,16

RECOMMENDED ACTION: We recommend the Board approve this action

**New Items – Recommended Listings**

**Reason Codes**

- 1. Strong marketing support
- 2. High brand recognition
- 3. Line/Size extension of successful brand
- 4. Trade up opportunity
- 5. Growing category
- 6. Growing segment
- 7. National rollout
- 8. Niche item / Limited distribution
- 9. High dollar profit potential
- 10. Trade out
- 11. High quality for the value
- 12. Innovative product/ flavor
- 13. High sales through other PLCB channels (Luxury, Online, SLO)
- 14. Underrepresented category/segment

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- 15. Hole in selection – consumer/store requests
- 16. PA Spirits
- 17. PA Wines
- 18. Licensee only
- 19. Probationary listing

## 2. Regular Recommended Delist

<b><u>BRAND NAME AND SIZE</u></b>	<b><u>CODE</u></b>
<b><u>Altered State Distillery LLC</u></b>	
Altered State Distillery B Side Red Tail Blended Whiskey 750 mL	97132
<b><u>6 Mile Cellars Inc</u></b>	
6 Mile Molly's Rose Can 375 mL	98513
<b><u>Arundel Cellars Inc</u></b>	
Arundel Chambourcin 750 mL	2310
Arundel Cellars Falcon Red Lake Erie 750 mL	2311
<b><u>Bacardi USA Inc</u></b>	
Bacardi Rum Punch Cocktail Can 4x355mL	813
Bacardi Tropical Rum 750 mL	97302
Grey Goose Essences Watermelon and Basil Vodka 750 mL	98982
<b><u>Banfi Products Corp</u></b>	
Banfi Col di Sasso Cabernet Sauvignon Sangiovese Toscana 750 mL	4127
Placido Pinot Grigio 1.5 L	8112
<b><u>Black Rock Spirits LLC</u></b>	
Sparkle Donkey Tequila Silver 80 Proof 750 mL	97446
<b><u>Brown Forman Corp</u></b>	
Glendronach Highland Single Malt Scotch 12 Year Old 750 mL	98028
Woodford Reserve Straight Rye Whiskey 375 mL	98326
<b><u>Capital Wine and Spirits</u></b>	
19 Crimes Martha's Lighter Chard 750 mL	96514
Bolla Pinot Noir 750 mL	5917
Butternut Cabernet Sauvignon 750 mL	96292
Butternut Chardonnay 750 mL	96291
Folonari Pinot Grigio 750 mL	5288
King Estate Pinot Noir Inscription Willamette Valley 750 mL	97023
King Estate Pinot Noir Willamette Valley 750 mL	98360
M Chapoutier Belleruche Cotes du Rhone Rouge 750 mL	6557
Matua Rose Marlborough 750 mL	2054
Pacific Rim Wicked Good Red Columbia Valley 750 mL	96167
Penfolds Shiraz Cabernet Sauvignon Koonunga Hill 750 mL	8643
Piper Heidsieck Champagne Extra Dry 750 mL	4930

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Predator Cabernet Sauvignon 750 mL	97777
Riunite Lambrusco Rose 1.5 L	4252
Riunite Peach Moscato 1.5 L	7449
Riunite Sangria 3 L	2295
Sonoma Cutrer Chardonnay Sonoma Coast 375 mL	9061
Spellbound Cabernet Sauvignon 750 mL	96150
Spellbound Chardonnay 750 mL	96151
St Huberts Chardonnay The Stag 750 mL	96281
Sterling Vineyards Vintner's Collection Merlot 750 mL	7650
Sterling Vineyards Merlot Napa Valley 750 mL	6320

**Caribbean Distillers LLC**

Capriccio Watermel Sangria 750 mL	97764
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**CBL Wine Company LLC**

L A Cetto Chenin Blanc 750 mL	96257
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**Chaddsford Winery LTD**

Chaddsford Sangria 1.5 L	98737
Chaddsford Spiced Apple 1.5 L	98224

**Constellation Wines US**

Nelson Brothers Whiskey Classic Bourbon 90 Proof 750 mL	82501
Nelson Brothers Whiskey Reserve Bourbon 108 Proof 750 mL	83822
Robert Mondavi Private Selection Merlot 1.5 L	7668
Robert Mondavi Private Selection Rye Barrel Aged Red Blend 750 mL	605
Ruffino Ducale Oro Chianti Classico Riserva 750 mL	7500
Simi Pinot Noir Sonoma County 750 mL	97480
Svedka Cherry Limeade Vodka 70 Proof 1.75 L	97065
Svedka Cherry Limeade Vodka 70 Proof 750 mL	97066
Svedka Strawberry Lemonade Vodka 1.75 L	9182
Unshackled Chardonnay 750 mL	96174
Unshackled Sauvignon Blanc 750 mL	97481
Woodbridge by Robert Mondavi Sparkling Infusions Strawberry and Kiwi 750 mL	97771
Woodbridge Fruitful Blends Blueberry Blackberry 750 mL	96170
Woodbridge by Robert Mondavi Red Blend 1.5 L	2031
Woodbridge by Robert Mondavi Sauvignon Blanc 750 mL	7633
Woodbridge by Robert Mondavi Sparkling Infusions Sweet Peach 750 mL	97772

**D'Andrea W L Imports**

Zolo Unoaked Chardonnay Mendoza 750 mL	97702
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**Delicato Vineyards**

1924 Port Barrel Pinot Noir 750 mL	96191
Francis Coppola Sofia Brut Rose Monterey County 750 mL	98745
Three Finger Jack Rum Barrel Red Blend Lodi 750 mL	96461

**Diageo Americas Inc**

Ciroc Coconut Vodka 375 mL	6212
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Ciroc Pineapple Vodka 1.75 L	8909
Ciroc Red Berry Vodka 1.75 L	4876
Ciroc Vodka 375 mL	4232
Crown Royal Canadian Whisky and Cola Cocktail Cans 4x355 mL	97110
Rumple Minze Peppermint Schnapps 375 mL	4832

**Fetzer Vineyards**

Concha y Toro Frontera Malbec 750 mL	3148
Concha y Toro Frontera Carmenere 1.5 L	9060

**Happy Valley Vineyard and**

Happy Valley Vineyard and Winery Red Blend 750 mL	97602
Happy Valley Vineyard and Winery Three Sisters 750 mL	97603
Happy Valley Vineyard and Winery White Blend 750 mL	97604

**Harvest Ridge Winery**

Harvest Ridge Winery Blue Hen Blue 750 mL	98857
Harvest Ridge Winery White No 47 750 mL	98856
Harvest Ridge Winery Red No 47 750 mL	2032

**Heaven Hill Distilleries**

Black Velvet Apple Canadian Whisky 70 Proof 750 mL	97069
Black Velvet Canadian Whisky 200 mL	4928
Black Velvet Peach Canadian Whisky 750 mL	96287
Blackheart Spiced Rum 750 mL	3903
Burnett's Pink Lemonade Vodka 1.75 L	8359
Christian Brothers Peach Flavored Brandy 750 mL	8934
Evan Williams Peach Whiskey 65 Proof 750 mL	9429
Pikesville Straight Rye Whiskey 750 mL	34742

**Jim Beam Brands**

Jim Beam Peach Whiskey 375 mL	97038
Legent Straight Bourbon 750 mL	82106
Maker's Mark 46 Straight Bourbon 375 mL	8948
On The Rocks Cruzan Mai Tai Cocktail 375 mL	97742
Skinnygirl Pinot Grigio California 750 mL	7978

**Johnson Estate Winery**

Johnson Estate Liebestropfchen 750 mL	9953
Johnson Estate Feelings Creek Sweet Riesling Lake Erie Reserve 750 mL	1473
Johnson Estate Peach Passionate 750 mL	9443

**Keystone Importers LLC**

Sand Point Pinot Noir 750 mL	96271
Sand Point Sauvignon Blanc 750 mL	96272

**Kobrand Corp**

St Francis Sauvignon Blanc Sonoma County 750 mL	97528
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**Laird Wine and Spirit of PA**

Banker's Club Rum Gold 1.75 L	4284
G and W Private Stock Bourbon 5 Year Old 86 Proof 750 mL	97077
DaVinci Amaretto 750 mL	97746

**Luxco Inc**

The Quiet Man Traditional Irish Whiskey 750 mL	1266
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**Majestic Wine and Spirits**

Amboscato Sweet Red Italy 750 mL	96369
Bar Dog Pinot Noir 750 mL	423
Bar Dog Red Blend 750 mL	424
Ferrand 10 Generations Cognac 92 Proof 750 mL	97410
FitVine Chardonnay 750 mL	476
Grounded by Josh Phelps Cabernet Sauvignon 750 mL	96321
Grounded by Josh Phelps Sauvignon Blanc 750 mL	96322
Josh Cellars Chardonnay North Coast Reserve 750 mL	37957
Koval Single Barrel Bourbon 750 mL	9459
Middle Sister Sweet and Sassy Moscato 750 mL	5440
Monaco Citrus Rush Cans 4x355 mL	97055
Rabble Red Blend Paso Robles 750 mL	96269
Tall Dark Stranger Malbec Mendoza 750 mL	1585
The Real McCoy Rum 5 Year Old 80 Proof 750 mL	97409
Underwood Pinot Gris 750 mL	96142

**Mast Jaegermeister US Inc**

Jagermeister Liqueur 200 mL	2091
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**Moet Hennessy USA**

Chandon Garden Spritz 750 mL	97559
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**Montebello Brands**

Montebello Long Island Iced Tea Cocktail 750 mL	4575
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**Mt Nittany VYD and Winery**

Mount Nittany Nittany Mountain White 750 mL	7773
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**North Wales Wines**

Andre Sweet Fizzy Sangria 750 mL	96079
Arbor Mist Sangria Zinfandel 1.5 L	5373
Barefoot Bubbly Brut Rose 4x187 mL	2666
Diseno Malbec Mendoza Old Vines 750 mL	3315
Gallo Livingston Cellars Chablis Blanc 3 L	6189
Gallo Family Vineyards Sweet Watermelon 750 mL	97538
Gallo Family Vineyards Sweet Grape 1.5 L	98142
Gallo Family Vineyards Sweet Pineapple 1.5 L	2440
Ghost Pines Merlot 750 mL	5108
Ghost Pines Red Blend 750 mL	7468
High Noon Passionfruit Vodka Hard Seltzer Cans 4x355 mL	97707
Manischewitz Blackberry 750 mL	4889
Taylor Golden Sherry 1.5 L	6749

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Toasted Head Chardonnay Barrel Aged 750 mL 8447

**Northern Wine Spirits**

Zafra Master Reserve Rum 21 Year Old 750 mL 2246

**Palm Bay Imports Inc**

Gracias a Dios Mezcal Reposado 90 Proof 750 mL 97439

Roscato Blanco Dolce 750 mL 6554

Roscato Rosso Dolce Gold 750 mL 97315

**Park Stree Imports LLC**

Straw Boys Vodka 750 mL 2026

**Pernod Ricard USA**

Avion Tequila Reposado 750 mL 1272

Avion Tequila Silver 375 mL 8750

Chivas Regal Scotch 12 Year Old 375 mL 7585

Jameson Cold Brew Irish Whiskey 750 mL 781

Jameson Lemonade Cocktail Cans 4x355 mL 96069

Malibu Peach Rum Punch Cans 4x355 mL 96261

Malibu Strawberry Daiquiri Cocktail Cans 4x355 mL 97734

Malibu Watermelon Rum 750 mL 98975

**Pio Imports LLC**

Elmo Pio Chianti 1.5 L 8947

Elmo Pio Sweet Red Brachetto 750 mL 3742

**PIP Imports and**

Amity Vineyards Pinot Noir White Willamette Valley 750 mL 98817

Folly of the Beast Pinot Noir Central Coast 750 mL 98347

Summer Water Bubbly Rose 750 mL 97787

**Premier Innovations Group**

Briney Mary Bloody Mary Cocktail Cans 4x355 mL 97750

**Proximo Spirits Inc**

Bushmills Black Bush Irish Whiskey 750 mL 4326

Jose Cuervo Sparkling Strawberry Margarita Cocktail Cans  
4x355 mL 8696

Proper No. Twelve Apple Irish Whiskey 750 mL 96258

The Sexton Irish Whiskey 750 mL 2977

**R Wine Cellar LLC**

R Wine Cellar Diamond Pennsylvania 750 mL 98203

**Regal Wine Imports Inc**

Annabella Cabernet Sauvignon Napa Valley 750 mL 97488

Stel Mar Cabernet Sauvignon Lodi 750 mL 96300

Stel Mar Chardonnay Lodi 750 mL 96301

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**Reserva Wines LLC**

Lobetia Organic Sauvignon Blanc 750 mL 97389

**Sazerac Company Inc**

Parrot Bay Pineapple Rum 750 mL 9008  
JP Wiser's Deluxe Canadian Whisky 1.75 L 96334  
Platinum 10x Vodka 750 mL 96031  
Southern Comfort 80 Proof 750 mL 2467  
Uptown Blue Hawaiian Cocktail 1.5 L 97962  
Uptown Cocktails Chocolatini 1.5 L 96117  
Uptown Cocktails Lemon Tea 1.5 L 96118  
Uptown Pina Colada Wine Cocktail 1.5 L 97963  
Uptown Wine Cocktails Strawberry Margarita 1.5 L 96119

**Serralles Company Inc**

Don Q Reserva Rum 7 Year Old 750 mL 97402

**Sorrenti Orchards Inc**

Sorrenti Cherry Valley Vineyards Arancia Rossa 750 mL 98516  
Sorrenti Cherry Valley Vineyards Cranberry Blush 750 mL 98518  
Sorrenti Cherry Valley Vineyards Raspberry Blush 750 mL 98519  
Sorrenti Cherry Valley Vineyards Watermelon Rose 750 mL 98521

**Southern Glazers Wine and Spirits**

14 Hands Cabernet Sauvignon Columbia Valley 750 mL 98026  
Acrobat Rose 750 mL 96239  
Angeline Cabernet Sauvignon 750 mL 96360  
Angeline Sauvignon Blanc 750 mL 96362  
Bully Hill Vineyards Growers Red 1.5 L 8428  
Blue Nun Authentic White Rhinehessen 1.5 L 6010  
Carmel Selected Merlot 750 mL 97015  
Chateau Ste Michelle Luxe Brut Columbia Valley 750 mL 96326  
CK Mondavi Family Vineyards Chardonnay 1.5 L 6777  
Columbia Crest Sauvignon Blanc H3 Horse Heaven Hills 750 mL 96223  
Erath Pinot Gris 750 mL 96330  
Goslings Dark 'n Stormy Cocktail Cans 4x355 mL 96388  
H3 Rose Horse Heaven Hills 750 mL 96328  
Intrinsic Sauvignon Blanc Columbia Valley 750 mL 96224  
Jam Cellars Butter Cabernet Sauvignon 750 mL 96202  
JaM Cellars Sugar Sweet White 750 mL 97448  
Lange Estate Winery Classique Pinot Gris Willamette Valley 750 mL 97450  
Luc Belaire Gold Brut 750 mL 5036  
Luc Belaire Rare Rose 1.5 L 97561  
MacRostie Pinot Noir Sonoma Coast 750 mL 1172  
Markham Vineyards Chardonnay Napa Valley 750 mL 1186  
Nikka Pure Malt Whisky 750 mL 34076  
Ole Smoky Pickles in Moonshine 750 mL 542  
Revel Stoke Smoregasm Toasted Smores Whiskey 750 mL 96122  
Rickshaw Cabernet Sauvignon 750 mL 96203  
Rickshaw Chardonnay 750 mL 96204

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Rickshaw Pinot Noir 750 mL	96205
Rickshaw Sauvignon Blanc 750 mL	96206
Severo Tequila Anejo 750 mL	97747
Writers Tears Double Oak Irish Whiskey 750 mL	98375

**Starr Financial Group Inc**

Starr Hill Vineyard and Winery Bailey Road Red 750 mL	98494
Starr Hill Vineyard and Winery Drunken Flamingo 750 mL	98495

**Stoli Group USA LLC**

Kentucky Owl The Wiseman Straight Bourbon 750 mL	88858
Stolichnaya Stoli Chamoy Vodka 750 mL	96569

**Sutter Home Winery**

Joel Gott Zinfandel 750 mL	6604
Seaglass Pinot Noir Santa Barbara County 750 mL	2079
Sutter Home Fruit Infusion Sweet Peach 750 mL	97780
Sutter Home Fruit Infusion Wild Berry Blush 1.5 L	97311
Sutter Home Fruit Infusion Wild Berry Blush 750 mL	97781

**The Edrington Group USA LLC**

Famous Grouse Scotch 750mL	5602
The Glenrothes Speyside Single Malt Scotch 12 Year Old 750 mL	97392

**Tolino Vineyards LLC**

Tolino Vineyards Chambourcin 750 mL	2327
Tolino Vineyards Chardonnay 750 mL	9693
Tolino Vineyards Lilly White Blend 750 mL	2328
Tolino Vineyards Rad Red 750 mL	15928

**The Vineyard at Hershey LLC**

The Vineyard at Hershey Crimson Fox 750 mL	2325
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**Vintage Imports Inc**

Bogle Phantom Chardonnay Clarksburg 750 mL	96381
Bogle Vineyards Pinot Grigio 750 mL	97891
Bogle Vineyards Essential Red 750 mL	6685
Duckhorn Vineyards Decoy Brut Cuvee 750 mL	97544
Eshcol Ranch Chardonnay Trefethen Vineyards Napa Valley 750 mL	96128
Eshcol Ranch Red Blend Trefethen Vineyards 750 mL	96129
Pull Chardonnay Paso Robles 750 mL	96387

**W J Deutsch Sons LTD**

Yellow Tail Cabernet Sauvignon Merlot 1.5 L	9361
Yellow Tail Cabernet Sauvignon Whiskey Barrel Aged 750 mL	97286
Yellow Tail Frest Twist Strawberry and Lime Rose 750 mL	96378
Yellow Tail Red Blend Whiskey Barrel Aged 750 mL	97287

**Western Spirits Beverage Co**

Bird Dog Black Cherry Whiskey 750 mL	98099
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**William Grant and Sons Inc**

Hudson Bright Lights Big Bourbon 750 mL 1299

**The Wine Group Inc**

7 Deadly Cabernet Sauvignon 750 mL 97009  
Ava Grace Chardonnay 750 mL 98157  
Beringer Founders' Estate Cabernet Sauvignon 750 mL 5344  
Chateau Smith Cabernet Sauvignon 750 mL 96463  
Chloe Chardonnay Monterey County 750 mL 9137  
Chloe Sauvignon Blanc Marlborough 750 mL 97006  
Glen Ellen Chardonnay Reserve 1.5 L 5644  
Corbett Canyon Merlot Central Valley 1.5 L 8288  
Cupcake Vineyards LightHearted Chardonnay 750 mL 97072  
Cupcake Light Hearted Rose 750 mL 97075  
Cupcake Vineyards LightHearted Pinot Noir 750 mL 97074  
Cupcake Vineyards Red Velvet 750 mL 3691  
Cupcake Vineyards Signature Sweets Watermelon Moscato Wine 750 mL 96139  
Fish Eye Chardonnay 3 L 9245  
Fish Eye Pinot Grigio 1.5 L 8530  
Fish Eye Sauvignon Blanc 3 L 3271  
Foxhorn Vineyards Chardonnay 1.5 L 5566  
Franzia Chardonnay 1.5 L 1571  
Lemonade Stand at Main and Vine Lemonade Moscato 1.5 L 96144  
Monkey Bay Sauvignon Blanc New Zealand 750 mL 9636  
Tribute Cabernet Sauvignon 750 mL 97765  
Tribute Sauvignon Blanc 750 mL 96141

**The Wine Merchant LTD**

Argento Malbec Mendoza 750 mL 6779  
Battle Creek Unconditional Pinot Noir Willamette Valley 750 mL 97466  
Giesen Vineyard Selection Sauvignon Blanc Marlborough 750 mL 98673  
High Note Red Blend 750 mL 97556  
le Fat Bastard Merlot 750 mL 9951  
Les Freres Bastards Rose 750 mL 98679  
Smoking Loon Pinot Noir 750 mL 6324

**Yori Wine Cellars LLC**

Yori Wine Cellars Beach Glass Red 750 mL 97631  
Yori Wine Cellars Beach Glass White Wine 750 mL 97632  
Yori Wine Cellars Cabernet Sauvignon 750 mL 97633

EFFECTIVE DATE: The transference to closeout will become effective March 11, 2025

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**FINANCIAL REPORT** ..... *Michael J. Burns, Comptroller Operations, Office of Budget*

**Comptroller Internal Monthly Financial Reporting Package  
Pennsylvania Liquor Control Board - State Stores Fund  
Comparative Statement of Net Position  
Unaudited**

	<u>August 31, 2024</u>	<u>August 31, 2023</u>	<u>Variance</u>
<b><u>ASSETS</u></b>			
Current assets:			
Cash	\$ 78,458,598	\$ 49,562,070	\$ 28,896,528
Investments - short term	218,769,697	298,094,810	(79,325,113)
Accounts and claims receivable, net	1,522,560	6,091,081	(4,568,521)
Due from other funds - Note 9	-	-	-
Merchandise inventories, net	224,978,995	206,948,239	18,030,756
Operating supplies	267,753	393,290	(125,537)
Prepaid expenses	2,338,012	2,002,170	335,842
	<u>526,335,615</u>	<u>563,091,660</u>	<u>(36,756,045)</u>
Total current assets			
Non-current assets:			
Non-depreciable capital assets:			
Land	322,973	322,973	-
Depreciable or amortizable capital assets:			
Building	10,837,326	10,923,350	(86,024)
Leasehold improvements	209,134	209,134	-
Machinery and equipment	45,472,669	60,260,982	(14,788,313)
Intangible - internally generated software	82,269,138	80,179,455	2,089,683
Intangible - right to use leases - Note 10	462,574,721	405,603,348	56,971,373
Intangible - right to use IT subscriptions - Note 11	22,263,779	16,554,170	5,709,609
Less: accumulated depreciation or amortization	<u>328,445,106</u>	<u>266,215,627</u>	<u>62,229,479</u>
Net depreciable or amortizable capital assets	<u>295,181,661</u>	<u>307,514,812</u>	<u>(12,333,151)</u>
Total non-current capital assets	<u>295,504,634</u>	<u>307,837,785</u>	<u>(12,333,151)</u>
Total assets	<u>\$ 821,840,249</u>	<u>\$ 870,929,445</u>	<u>\$ (49,089,196)</u>
Total deferred outflows of resources - Notes 5, 6	\$ 194,728,374	\$ 258,564,728	\$ (63,836,354)
<b><u>LIABILITIES</u></b>			
Current liabilities:			
Trade accounts payable	\$ 301,954,200	\$ 321,989,218	\$ (20,035,018)
Other accounts payable	25,824,682	18,872,577	6,952,105
Accrued expenses	20,185,418	29,063,477	(8,878,059)
OPEB - Note 6	-	-	-
Self-insurance, workers' compensation - Note 7	4,767,807	4,795,551	(27,744)
Due to other funds - Note 9	9,087,930	9,706,370	(618,440)
Due to fiduciary funds - Note 9	2,603,427	4,434,519	(1,831,092)
Due to other governments - Note 9	750,225	1,243,111	(492,886)
Right to use liabilities - Note 10	64,645,432	62,992,823	1,652,609
Total current liabilities	<u>429,819,121</u>	<u>453,097,646</u>	<u>(23,278,525)</u>
Non-current liabilities:			
OPEB - Note 6	314,456,000	399,580,000	(85,124,000)
Self-insurance, workers' compensation - Note 7	43,229,790	44,295,622	(1,065,832)
Net pension liability - Note 5	541,083,515	572,117,530	(31,034,015)
Compensated absences - Note 1	26,266,236	24,484,695	1,781,541
Right to use liabilities - Note 10	179,242,349	177,933,959	1,308,390
Total non-current liabilities	<u>1,104,277,890</u>	<u>1,218,411,806</u>	<u>(114,133,916)</u>
Total liabilities	<u>\$ 1,534,097,011</u>	<u>\$ 1,671,509,452</u>	<u>\$ (137,412,441)</u>
Total deferred inflows of resources - Notes 5, 6	\$ 203,161,267	\$ 216,800,426	\$ (13,639,159)
<b><u>NET POSITION</u></b>			
Net investment in capital assets	\$ 51,616,853	\$ 66,911,003	\$ (15,294,150)
Deficit	<u>(772,306,508)</u>	<u>(825,726,707)</u>	<u>53,420,199</u>
Total net position	<u>\$ (720,689,655)</u>	<u>\$ (758,815,704)</u>	<u>\$ 38,126,049</u>

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**Commonwealth of Pennsylvania  
Pennsylvania Liquor Control Board  
State Stores Fund  
Comparative Statements of Revenues, Expenses, and Changes in Net Position  
For the Month Ending August 31, 2024 and August 31, 2023  
(Unaudited)**

	<u>2024-25</u>	<u>2023-24</u>
Sales net of taxes	\$ 210,644,168	\$ 204,761,925
Cost of goods sold	<u>(142,050,286)</u>	<u>(135,829,481)</u>
Gross profit from sales	68,593,882	68,932,444
Operating (expenses):		
Wholesale	(3,330,755)	(2,442,842)
Retail	(39,260,980)	(34,234,377)
E-Commerce	(194,817)	(184,392)
Regulatory	(1,343,177)	(1,159,164)
Enterprise	(8,202,923)	(8,322,747)
Commonwealth provided services - Note 2	<u>(1,805,838)</u>	<u>(1,603,431)</u>
Total	<u>(54,138,490)</u>	<u>(47,946,953)</u>
Operating profit/(loss)	14,455,392	20,985,491
Other operating revenues (expenses):		
Enforcement fines	103,513	332
License fees	2,913,537	2,862,392
Miscellaneous income	<u>140,036</u>	<u>191,742</u>
Total	<u>3,157,086</u>	<u>3,054,466</u>
Total operating income/(loss)	17,612,478	24,039,957
Miscellaneous revenues (expenses):		
Interest income (expense)	672,087	944,893
Other	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
Total	<u>672,087</u>	<u>944,893</u>
Income/(Loss) before operating transfers	18,284,565	24,984,850
Operating transfers out:		
PSP enforcement - Note 3	(4,136,545)	(2,692,986)
<b>Net Income/(Loss) from operations</b>	<b><u>14,148,020</u></b>	<b><u>22,291,864</u></b>
Statutory Transfers:		
General fund - Note 4	-	-
Drug and alcohol programs - Note 4	-	-
Total	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
Change in net position	14,148,020	22,291,864
Total net position - beginning	<u>(734,837,675)</u>	<u>(781,107,568)</u>
Total net position - ending	<u>\$ (720,689,655)</u>	<u>\$ (758,815,704)</u>
Liquor tax	37,280,747	33,686,425
State Sales Tax	14,758,352	13,263,444
Local Tax	925,785	1,120,399
Taxes remitted to Dept.of Revenue PTD	<u>\$ 52,964,884</u>	<u>\$ 48,070,268</u>



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**Commonwealth of Pennsylvania  
Pennsylvania Liquor Control Board  
State Stores Fund  
Comparative Statements of Revenues, Expenses, and Changes in Net Position  
For the Two Months Ending August 31, 2024 and August 31, 2023  
(Unaudited)**

	<u>2024-25</u>	<u>2023-24</u>
Sales net of taxes	\$ 414,326,642	\$ 400,882,582
Cost of goods sold	<u>(279,660,032)</u>	<u>(268,117,447)</u>
Gross profit from sales	134,666,610	132,765,135
Operating (expenses):		
Wholesale	(5,978,293)	(4,582,956)
Retail	(76,726,848)	(65,692,042)
E-Commerce	(393,353)	(435,692)
Regulatory	(2,754,632)	(2,276,526)
Enterprise	(16,048,417)	(16,532,042)
Commonwealth provided services - Note 2	<u>(3,407,668)</u>	<u>(3,209,167)</u>
Total	<u>(105,309,211)</u>	<u>(92,728,425)</u>
Operating profit/(loss)	29,357,399	40,036,710
Other operating revenues (expenses):		
Enforcement fines	119,450	1,621
License fees	5,280,398	5,081,314
Miscellaneous income	<u>308,598</u>	<u>394,281</u>
Total	<u>5,708,446</u>	<u>5,477,216</u>
Total operating income/(loss)	35,065,845	45,513,926
Miscellaneous revenues (expenses):		
Interest income (expense)	1,327,094	1,879,694
Other	<u>82,924</u>	<u>-</u>
Total	<u>1,410,018</u>	<u>1,879,694</u>
Income/(Loss) before operating transfers	36,475,863	47,393,620
Operating transfers out:		
PSP enforcement - Note 3	(7,951,713) <u>(7,951,713)</u>	(4,851,880) <u>(4,851,880)</u>
<b>Net Income/(Loss) from operations</b>	<b>28,524,150</b>	<b>42,541,740</b>
Statutory Transfers:		
General fund - Note 4	-	-
Drug and alcohol programs - Note 4	-	-
Total	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
Change in net position	28,524,150	42,541,740
Total net position - beginning	<u>(749,213,805)</u>	<u>(801,357,444)</u>
Total net position - ending	<u>\$ (720,689,655)</u>	<u>\$ (758,815,704)</u>
Liquor tax	72,332,402	70,179,059
State Sales Tax	28,648,832	27,584,754
Local Tax	1,835,933	2,079,560
Taxes remitted to Dept.of Revenue PTD	<u>\$ 102,817,167</u>	<u>\$ 99,843,373</u>

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**OTHER ISSUES**

*Employee Recognition – 11 Years’ Commonwealth Service.....Brian Coons, Chief Information Officer*

Danny Trafton - Chief Technology Officer

**PUBLIC COMMENT**

The Board has reserved 10 minutes for public comment.

**NEXT BOARD MEETING**

**The next meeting of the PLCB will be a formal meeting on Wednesday, February 26, 2025 beginning at 11:00 A.M. Prior to the public meeting, an Executive Session or Sessions will be held for the specific purposes as regularly set forth in the printed Board Agenda.**

**ADJOURNMENT**

## **Informational Statements to be included in the Public Meeting Agenda**

### **For ALJ Cases:**

These cases are appeals taken from adjudications rendered by an Administrative Law Judge (ALJ) in citation proceedings initiated by the Pennsylvania State Police, Bureau of Liquor Control Enforcement in accordance with section 471 of the Liquor Code, 47 P.S. § 4-471.

In all of these matters, an administrative hearing has already been held before an ALJ during which the parties were given the opportunity to present sworn testimony and other evidence, as well as to make legal arguments, in support of their respective positions.

The Board must affirm the ALJ unless the ALJ's decision is an error of law, an abuse of discretion or is not supported by substantial evidence. In some instances where noted, it may also be necessary for the Board to remand the matter back to the ALJ for additional action to be taken. In that the Board is acting in its quasi-judicial (appellate) capacity, deliberations on these matters may have already occurred during authorized executive sessions.

The reasoning for any final decision by the Board on these matters will be set forth in a publicly issued written opinion which will be released immediately after the Board session. Any party aggrieved by the Board's decision has the right to pursue an appeal to the applicable county court of common pleas in accordance with the Liquor Code.

### **For Application Matters such as New Licenses, Transfers of Existing License, or Extension of Premises:**

In all of these matters, an administrative hearing - open to the public - has already been held before a Board-assigned hearing examiner. All interested parties, including the applicant, the Bureau of Licensing, and valid protesters and/or intervenors, were given the opportunity to present sworn testimony and other evidence, as well as to make legal arguments, in support of their respective positions. The Board has reviewed the administrative record created before the hearing examiner along with any briefs submitted by the parties, as well as the recommendations made by the assigned hearing examiner and the Board's legal counsel. In that the Board is acting in its quasi-judicial capacity, deliberations on these matters may have already taken place during authorized executive sessions.

In each case, the Board may either vote to approve the application outright, vote to approve the application subject to a conditional licensing agreement setting forth specific conditions agreed upon by the parties and which are reasonably intended to address specific concerns made part of the record, or vote to refuse the application its entirety. For any case in which the Board would like additional time to review the record prior to making its decision, the Board reserves the right to place a hold on such matter in which case "official action" will not be taken until a future Board meeting.

Any party aggrieved by the Board's decision has the right to pursue an appeal to the applicable county court of common pleas in accordance with the Liquor Code, or, in certain circumstances, directly to the Commonwealth Court. In the event that an appeal is filed, the Board, as required by the Liquor Code, will file a written opinion setting forth the specific reasoning for its decision.

**For License Renewal Cases:**

These cases involve applications for renewal of licenses to which the Bureau of Licensing has raised objections. In all of these matters, an administrative hearing - open to the public - has already been held before a Board-assigned hearing examiner. The parties were given the opportunity to present sworn testimony and other evidence, as well as make legal arguments. The Board has reviewed the administrative record created before the hearing examiner along with any briefs submitted by the parties, as well as the recommendations made by the assigned hearing examiner and the Board's legal counsel. In that the Board is acting in its quasi-judicial capacity, deliberations on these matters may have already taken place during authorized executive sessions.

In each case, the Board may either vote to approve renewal of the license outright, vote to approve renewal of the license subject to a conditional licensing agreement setting forth specific conditions agreed upon by the parties and which are reasonably intended to address the operational issues of the licensee, or vote to refuse renewal of the license in its entirety. For any case in which the Board would like additional time to review the record prior to making its decision, the Board reserves the right to place a hold on such matter in which case "official action" will not be taken until a future Board meeting.

An applicant aggrieved by the Board's decision has the right to pursue an appeal to the applicable county court of common pleas in accordance with the Liquor Code. In the event that an appeal is filed, the Board, as required by the Liquor Code, will file a written opinion setting for the specific reasoning for its decision.

**For Noise Exemption Cases:**

These matters involve municipal petitions for exemptions from the Liquor Code provisions dealing with amplified sound. In all of these matters, an administrative hearing – open to the public - has already been held before a Board-assigned hearing examiner during which the parties were given the opportunity to present sworn testimony and other evidence, as well as to make legal arguments, in support of their respective positions.

The Board has reviewed the administrative record created before the hearing examiner along with any briefs submitted by the parties, as well as the recommendations made by the assigned hearing examiner and the Board's legal counsel. In that the Board is acting in its quasi-judicial capacity, deliberations on these matters may have already taken place during authorized executive sessions.

In each case, the Board may either vote to approve the municipal petition for noise exemption outright, vote to limit its approval to a more defined area of the municipality than what is being requested, or vote to refuse the petition in its entirety. The Board must act upon a municipal petition for noise exemptions within 60 days of receiving such petition.

Any party aggrieved by the Board's decision has the right to pursue an appeal to the applicable county court of common pleas in accordance with the Liquor Code. In the event that an appeal is filed, the Board will file a written opinion setting for the specific reasoning for its decision as required by the Liquor Code.

**For All Matters in Which the Board is Acting in its Quasi-Judicial Capacity**

No additional testimony or evidence may be presented by the parties during the Board's public meeting. While the Board reserves the right to allow comments to be made by the public concerning any particular case, this is being done so with the understanding that such comments are not the equivalent of sworn testimony and, thus, will not be given any weight by the Board when rendering its decision. Additionally, the Board is not required to respond to any public comments offered, nor is it required to answer any questions concerning these matters.