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NC ABC COMMISSION APPROVES NEW CARY ABC STORE AND TAKES ACTION ON 57 VIOLATIONS

RALEIGH – The North Carolina Alcoholic Beverage Control Commission met today and took action on 57 permit violations, levying fines in excess of \$68,000 and/or imposing suspensions of five days or more on businesses that hold permits to sell alcohol in the state. Fines are due Nov.7, and suspensions begin Nov.14.

The Commission also approved the request by the Wake County ABC Board to open a new store in Cary at 0 Waldo Rood Boulevard, Cary. The new store will replace an existing store at 4244 NW Cary Parkway.

In other business, the Commission approved the requests for exemption by:

- Trophy Brewing, Busy Bee Café and State of Beer, allowing the limited retail sale of Trophy Brewing products at the Raleigh restaurants, which have some ownership interests in common.
- Happy & Hale and Lone Rider Brewing Company, allowing a common owner of both the Raleigh retail and manufacturing businesses.
- LuMil Vineyard of Elizabethtown to sell its products at the State Farmer's Market using a retail off premises permit.

ABOUT THE NC ABC COMMISSION

North Carolina is one of 17 states to regulate alcohol through a control system. Since 1937, the North Carolina Alcoholic Beverage Control Commission has provided regulation and control over the sale, purchase, transportation, manufacture, consumption and possession of alcoholic beverages in the state of North Carolina. The Commission oversees permits allowing alcohol sales by more than 18,000 retail outlets across the state. <http://abc.nc.gov>.

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