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NC ABC COMMISSION RATIFIES 85 CASES DURING DECEMBER MEETING

RALEIGH – The NC ABC Commission held its regular monthly meeting today and approved penalties in excess of \$102,000 and/or imposed suspensions of three days or more on 85 businesses that hold permits to sell alcohol in the state. Fines are due Dec. 30, 2016, and suspensions begin Jan. 6, 2017.

The Commission also approved amendment of a prior request for exemption under NC GS 18-B 1116 (b) to allow On the Square in Tarboro to serve beer produced by Tarboro Brewing Company, which shares ownership interest in the restaurant. The exemption is similar to requests granted to permit holders previously.

The Commissioners also honored Commission staff members marking service anniversaries of five, ten, 15, 20 and 30 years.

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. <http://abc.nc.gov>.

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