

STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS
DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS REGULATION
JOHN O. PASTORE CENTER, BLDGS 68-69
1511 PONTIAC AVENUE
CRANSTON, RHODE ISLAND 02920

IN THE MATTER OF: :
 :
LIM, LLC D/B/A MURPHY'S LIQUOR : DBR No.: 17LQ011
 :
RESPONDENT. :

CONSENT AGREEMENT

The Division of Commercial Licensing ("Division") of the Rhode Island Department of Business Regulation ("Department") enters into this Consent Agreement with LIM, LLC d/b/a Murphy's Liquor ("Respondent") to resolve the above-captioned matter pursuant to its authority under R.I. Gen. Laws § 42-35-9(d).

It is hereby agreed by and between the Division and the Respondent that:

1. Respondent is the holder of a Class A liquor store license for the premises at 298 Pawtucket Avenue in Pawtucket.
2. The Department's Chief Public Protection Inspector collected documentation indicating that the Respondent made sales of liquor to another Class A liquor store.
3. R.I. Gen. Laws § 3-7-3(a) provides that a Class A license is only authorized "to keep for sale and to sell, at the place described, beverages at retail." R.I. Gen. Laws § 3-7-18 provides that "[a]ll holders of retail licenses except retail Class G licenses shall purchase beverages for sale under their licenses only from the holder or holders of wholesale licenses under this title."

4. The Department is charged with “supervis[ing] and inspect[ing] all licensed places to enforce the provisions of this title and the conditions, rules and regulations which the department establishes and authorizes” (R.I. Gen. § 3-2-2(d)) to effectuate the “intent of the general assembly to enhance strict regulatory control over taxation, distribution, and sale of alcoholic beverages through the three-tier regulatory system imposed by this title upon all alcoholic beverages” (R.I. Gen. § 3-1-6(b)).
5. To effect a timely and amicable resolution of the violations set forth herein without an administrative hearing and the attendant time and costs, the Respondent agrees to:
 - A. Pay an administrative penalty of \$750.00 payable to “General Treasurer, State of Rhode Island.”
 - B. Cease and desist from knowingly selling liquor to any liquor licensee other than a Class P caterer.
6. Respondent voluntarily waives any right to an administrative hearing and any right to an appeal to Superior Court under the Rhode Island Administrative Procedures Act, R.I. Gen. Laws § 42-35-1 *et seq.*
7. If Respondent fails to abide by the requirements of this Consent Agreement, the Department may initiate further administrative proceedings against the Respondent.

SIGNATURES ON NEXT PAGE

For the Division:

Maria D'Alessandro

Signature

Date: 10/10/17

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Deputy Director, Securities, Commercial
Licensing and Racing and Athletics

For the Respondent:

Rady Lim

Signature

Date: 10/10/2017

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LIM, LLC d/b/a Murphy's Liquor

IF REPRESENTED BY COUNSEL:

Print Name of Counsel

Signature

Date: _____