STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS REGULATION PASTORE COMPLEX 1511 PONTIAC AVENUE CRANSTON, RHODE ISLAND

Wines and More, Inc. Appellant,	•	
v. City of Cranston, City Council Safety Services Committee, Appellee.	8 8 9	DBR No.: 19LQ009
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ORDER RE: MOTION FOR STAY

This matter arose from a motion for stay filed by Wines and More, Inc. ("Appellant") regarding a decision issued by the City of Cranston, City Council Safety Services Committee ("Board") on March 4, 2019 to grant the transfer of a liquor license from Phred's Drug, Inc. to Lancran, Inc. The Board and Lancran, Inc.¹ do not object to the granting of the stay.

Based on the foregoing, the undersigned recommends that the Appellant's motion for a stay be granted pending the full hearing and decision by the Department regarding the Board's decision of March 4, 2019.

Dated: MArch 18, Zolg

Catherine R. Warren

Hearing Officer

¹ Lancran, Inc. has moved to intervene. Phred's Drugs indicated that it had not retained an attorney and has not moved to intervene and is not a party to the appeal.

<u>ORDER</u>

I have read the Hearing Officer's Recommendation in this matter, and I hereby take the following action with regard to the Recommendation:

ADOPT REJECT MODIFY

Elizabeth Tanner, Esquire Director

NOTICE OF APPELLATE RIGHTS

THIS ORDER IS REVIEWABLE BY THE SUPERIOR COURT PURSUANT TO R.I. GEN. LAWS § 42-35-15(a) WITHIN THIRTY (30) DAYS OF THE MAILING DATE OF THIS DECISION. SUCH APPEAL, IF TAKEN, MUST BE COMPLETED BY FILING A PETITION FOR REVIEW IN SUPERIOR COURT. THE FILING OF A PETITION DOES NOT STAY ENFORCEMENT OF THIS ORDER.

CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify on this 22nd day of March, 2019 that a copy of the within Order was sent by email and first class mail, postage prepaid, to the following: John M. Verdecchia, Esquire, Law Office of John M. Verdecchia, 400 Reservoir Ave., Ste 1C, Cranston, R.I. 02920 John.Verdecchia@verizon.net; Louis A. DeSimone, Jr., Esquire, 703 West Shore Road, Warwick, R.I. 02889 Idatty@gmail.com, John S. DiBona, Esquire, 481 Atwood Avenue, Cranston, R.I. 02920 jdibona1@verizon.net; Anthony W. Cofone, Esquire, Phred's Drug, Inc., 1140 Reservoir Avenue, Suite 8, Cranston, R.I. 02920² and by hand-delivery to Pamela Toro, Esquire, Department of Business Regulation, Pastore Complex, 1511 Pontiac Avenue, Building 69-1, Cranston, RI 02920

Dated: 2

² Notice is being provided Mr. Cofone as the registered agent for Phred's Drugs, Inc.