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MEMORANDUM

June 8, 2011

TO: Board of Mayor and Aldermen

FROM: Eric Stuckey, City Administrator 
Lanaii Y. Benne, CMC, Assistant City Recorder

SUBJECT: Retail Liquor License
Corner Wine & Spirits
1110 Hillsboro Road

Purpose

The purpose of this memorandum is to outline recommendations to the Board of Mayor and Aldermen (BOMA) for the Retail License application received for a new owner of an existing liquor store.

Background

At the Board's May 24th meeting, Mr. Vru Surati was granted approval and a certificate was issued for a new retail liquor license for an existing store located at 1110 Hillsboro Road. Mr. Surati's attorney, Mr. Will Cheek, contacted the City stating the State of Tennessee Alcoholic Beverage Commission (ABC) is requiring the co-owner's name to appear on the certificate.

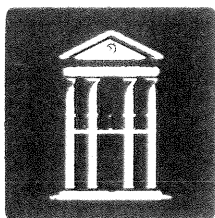
Staff Attorney Kristen Corn has been working with Mr. Cheek and the state ABC to resolve this issue. Therefore, a revised certificate is before the board for approval in the name of the LLC, Jai Guru Dev of Franklin, with both Mr. Surati and Mr. Patel named as co-owners.

Financial Impact

There is no direct financial impact on the City associated with this action.

Recommendation

Approval of the revised retail liquor license for 1110 Hillsboro Road is recommended.



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RETAILER'S CERTIFICATE

Pursuant to T.C.A. §57-3-208, the City of Franklin hereby certifies the following facts concerning application in the name of Jai Guru Dev of Franklin, LLC, owned jointly by the managing agent, Vrushank Surati and Krishna M. Patel, who has made application for a retailer's license to handle alcoholic beverages at 1110 Hillsboro Road, Suite 120, Franklin, TN 37064 (The Corner Wine and Spirits), which is within the corporate limits of the City of Franklin, Williamson County, Tennessee:

1. The owner(s) who are to be in actual charge of the business have not been convicted of any violation of the laws against possession, sale, manufacture, or transportation of beer or other alcoholic beverages, or of any felony, or of any crime involving moral turpitude, within the past ten (10) years immediately preceding the date of application, and in the opinion of the undersigned, they will not violate any of the provisions of Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 57, Chapter 3;
2. The applicant(s) has secured a location for the business which complies with all restrictions of local law, ordinances, or resolutions, duly adopted by the local authorities as to location.
3. The applicant (by and through one or more of its owners) meets all residency requirements established by local authority under Franklin Municipal Code Section 2-108A.
4. The applicant has complied with local laws, ordinances, and resolutions duly adopted by the local authority regulating the number of retail licenses to be issued within the jurisdiction.

This the 14th Day of June, 2011.

Dr. Ken Moore
Mayor