

November 20, 2018

City of Columbus
Mitchell J. Brown, City Council Member
90 W. Broad St.
Columbus, Ohio 43215
C/O Denise Friend Foster, Legislative Aide

Sir,

The following investigation was conducted concerning the City of Columbus' 2018 annual objection to the renewal of liquor permit 64304320005 issued to 19 EAST 13 LLC, which is doing business as Midway on High located at 1728 N High St. Columbus, Ohio 43201. The recorded owner of said permit is Ali Alshahal.

After reviewing the State of Ohio, Franklin County, and City of Columbus records regarding the above liquor permit establishment, the following information has been compiled to support the objection to the renewal of the aforementioned permit issued by the State of Ohio.

The above listed liquor establishment has been issued a **D1**, **D2**, **D3**, **D3A** and **D6** permit by the Division of Liquor. This permit grants the permit holder the privilege to sell alcoholic beverages at the above listed address.

An inquiry of liquor violations revealed that the permit holder has received the following violations between **2017** and **2018**:

January 25, 2017
PERSON UNDER 21 KNOWINGLY CONSUME INTOXICATING LIQUOR & DISORDERLY CONDUCT

April 26, 2018
INSANITARY CONDITIONS – ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE NOT MAINTAINED
IN POTABLE CONDITION

A review of the Columbus Division of Police records revealed the Division of Police have created (36) thirty six official police reports concerning incidents at the listed liquor establishment between January 2017 and November 2018. These reports referenced felony thefts, theft, trespassing, liquor law violations, assault, disorderly conduct, property damage, menacing, robbery, forgery and fraud.

In addition, the Columbus Division of Police have been dispatched to 1728 N High St. Columbus, Ohio 43201 on (70) seventy calls for service (37) thirty seven in 2017 and (33) thirty three in 2018 at Midway on High.

As a result of a long term investigation conducted by the Ohio Investigative Unit a total of (56) fifty six criminal charges for Certain Acts Prohibited with Fictitious Identification and Underage Possession of Alcoholic Beverage and/or Furnishing Alcohol to Underage Person were issued between April 7, 2018 and November 3, 2018.

Respectfully Submitted,

Detective Elisabeth Beine #18 Columbus Division of Police Narcotics Bureau

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