



**CITY OF MILWAUKEE
OFFICE OF THE CITY CLERK**

Thursday, November 19, 2020

COMMITTEE MEETING NOTICE

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HENDERSON, Jeffery L, Agent
PNC Investment Limited
6935 W Brentwood Av

Milwaukee, WI 53223

You are requested to attend a virtual hearing to be held on:

Tuesday, December 01, 2020 at 02:20 PM

Regarding: Your Class B Tavern and Public Entertainment Premises License Renewal Applications as agent for "PNC Investment Limited" for "Level's on North" at 634 W North Av.

This meeting will be held via GoToMeeting. Please see the enclosed best practices document for further instructions. The access code is <https://global.gotomeeting.com/join/907185773>. If you wish to call in, please call +1 (786) 535-3211 and use Access Code: 907-185-773.

There is a possibility that your application may be denied for one or more of the following reasons: The recommendation of the committee regarding the application shall be based on evidence presented at the hearing. Per MCO 85-4-4, unless otherwise specified in the code, probative evidence concerning non-renewal, suspension or revocation may include evidence of the following: failure of the applicant to meet municipal qualifications, pending charges against or the conviction of any felony, misdemeanor, municipal offense or other offense, the circumstances of which substantially relate to the circumstances of the particular licensed or permitted activity, by the applicant or by any employee or other agent of the applicant. If the activities of the applicant involve a licensed premises, whether the premises tends to facilitate a public or private nuisance or has been the source of congregations of persons which have resulted in any of the following: disturbance of the peace; illegal drug activity; public drunkenness; drinking in public; harassment of passers-by; gambling; prostitution; sale of stolen goods; public urination; theft; assaults; battery; acts of vandalism including graffiti, excessive littering, loitering, illegal parking, loud noise at times when the licensed premise is open for business; traffic violations; curfew violations; lewd conduct; display of materials harmful to minors, pursuant to s. 106-9.6; or any other factor which reasonably relates to the public health, safety and welfare, or failure to comply with the approved plan of operation. See attached police report or correspondence.

Notice for applicants with warrants or unpaid fines:

Proof of warrant satisfaction or payment of fines must be submitted at the hearing on the above date and time. Failure to comply with this requirement may result in a delay of the granting/denial of your application.

Failure to attend this meeting may result in the denial of your license. Individual applicants and partnership applicants must attend or attend by an attorney. The agent or attorney for corporate or limited liability applicants must attend. If you wish to do so and at your own expense, you may be accompanied by an attorney of your choosing to represent you at this hearing.

You will be given an opportunity to speak on behalf of the application and to respond and challenge any charges or reasons given for the denial. No petitions can be accepted by the committee, unless the people who signed the petition attend the virtual hearing and are willing to testify. You may present witnesses under oath and you may also confront and cross-examine opposing witnesses under oath. If you have difficulty with the English language, you should request an interpreter attend the meeting with you, at your expense, so that you can answer questions and participate in your hearing.

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JIM OWCZARSKI, CITY CLERK

BY:

Jessica Ceella
License Division Manager

If you have questions regarding this meeting, please contact the staff assistant, Molly Kuether-Steele at (414) 286-2775 or molly.kuether-steele@milwaukee.gov.

MILWAUKEE POLICE DEPARTMENT LICENSING

CRIMINAL RECORD/ORDINANCE VIOLATION/INCIDENTS SYNOPSIS

DATE: 11/11/2020

LICENSE TYPE: Class B Tavern

NEW:

RENEWAL:

No. 316990

Application Date: 10/30/2020

License Location: 634 West North Avenue

Business Name: Level's on North

Licensee/Applicant: Henderson, Jeffery L.
(Last Name, First Name, MI)

Date of Birth: 05/26/1978

Home Address: 6935 West Brentwood Avenue

City: Milwaukee

State: WI

Zip Code: 53223

Home Phone: 414-358-1118

This report is written by Police Officer David NOVAK, assigned to the License Investigation Unit, Days.

The Milwaukee Police Department's investigation regarding this application revealed the following:

1. On 06/11/2008 the applicant was charged in Milwaukee County with Possession of THC §961.41(3g)(e).

Charge: Possession of THC
 Finding: Guilty
 Sentence: 2 days house of correction
 Date: 09/17/2008
 Case: 2008CF002959

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2. On 11/12/2016 Milwaukee police were dispatched to a fight/subject with a gun complaint at 634 West North Avenue. Investigation revealed there had been a fight inside the bar and all the involved parties were pushed outside. A gunfight ensued, during which several rounds were fired into the air and two subjects chased each other while firing weapons. One round struck a vehicle. The armed security guard told officers that "shooting in the air and at people was not a danger towards anyone" so he didn't take action during the gun battle. Milwaukee police incident report # 163170011 filed.

3. On 09/29/2017 at 2:35am officers observed cars parked in the bus zone in front of 634 W. North Av. The officer began issuing parking citations and the owners began moving their cars. The officers attempted to speak with owner of the tavern at 634 W. North Av but as they approached they heard the door being locked. The officer looked in the window and observed several people hide behind the bar. On 10/05/2017 the officers spoke with Terence SMITH, the bar manager. He stated he was aware of the incident. He was advised they could not lock the bar in an attempt to keep officer out. The officers checked the posted licenses which stated their closing hours were 1:30am Monday through Saturday.
4. On 10/13/17 at 6:15pm officers responded to Levels on North Bar (634 W North Ave) regarding a complaint that the establishment was open even though their license was expired. Upon arrival officers observed the open sing on and people inside the establishment with drink in their hands. Officers spoke with a bouncer and advised him that the bar was no supposed to be open. The bouncer called the owner by phone and explained the situation. The owner stated he didn't know the license was expired and stated he would comply and close the business.
5. On 10/17/17 at midnight officers conducted follow up regarding Levels on North Bar being open for business when their license was expired. An officer drove past the business and found it to be closed. The officer received an email from Terence Smith, the manager, asking why they could not be open. The officer responded by email explaining the Class B Tavern license was expired and the application for a provisional license was denied. Smith responded to the email stating he would comply and that they would be doing some remodeling until the license was renewed.

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6. On 03/17/18 at 3:15 am, Milwaukee Police were investigating a shooting at N. 6th Street and W. North Avenue when an officer observed blood and multiple bullet casings on the stairs outside 634 W. North Avenue (Level's on North). An officer entered the tavern and made contact with a subject, who identified himself as the manager, and asked him if he knew anything about the shooting. The manager stated that he did hear 2 gunshots, went outside, but did not observe anything. While the officer was interviewing the manager, the door of the woman's restroom opened and a male and female exited and was told to wait for detectives. The officer did observe blood inside the threshold of the door to the tavern which caused the officer to look around the establishment for more signs of blood. While doing this the manager became defensive and agitated, questioning the officer as to what he was doing. The manager told the officer who the owner of the business was and asked the officer to contact the owner because he was "just the manager". While waiting for detectives, the officer observed and heard the bar manager urinating in the sink behind the bar area. When detectives arrived, the bar manager became extremely uncooperative with them and kept repeating himself when asked questions. The agent was issued a citation.

Charge: Class B Premises Allow Patrons after Hours
Finding: Guilty
Sentence: \$629.59 fine – **warrant issued for past due fine**
Date: 06/25/18
Case: 18037721

7. On 03/20/18 at 10:30 pm, Milwaukee Police conducted follow-up regarding a shooting which occurred outside of 634 W. North Avenue (Level's on North) on 03/17/18. Employees of the tavern lied to officers about the events surrounding the incident and only told the truth when officers confronted them with the fact that police knew the shooting victim entered the establishment after being shot. One of the employees also said that he was the Manager of the tavern but when he was asked for his "Class B" manager's license, he changed his story and told officers that he just stocks and cleans the bar. While conducting these interviews, officers could smell fried food being made and found that there was an employee, in the kitchen, standing next to an oil fryer. There were four baskets of wings frying in the deep fryers and a five gallon bucket of chicken wings defrosting in the sink. The employee stated that they were selling food items and he was "in charge" of the food. Officers later check to see if the tavern had a food dealers license and found they did not. A citation was issued.

Charge: Food Dealer License Required
Finding: Guilty
Sentence: \$719.00 fine – **warrant issued for past due fine**
Date: 06/25/18
Case: 18036628

8. On 03/21/18 at 8:30 pm, Milwaukee Police performed follow up at 634 W. North Avenue (Level's on North) regarding earlier contacts with police at the tavern (Items #6 and #7). The agent stated that he wanted to work with police on any problems that may be the result of the establishment. He was informed that the employees were uncooperative with officers during a shooting investigation, the manager urinated in a sink, and employees were cooking and selling food. The agent informed officers that he was unaware of these problems and the person urinating in the sink was not the manager but just a "helper". He was informed that a meeting needs to take place per the request of the Captain of the Fifth District in order to work out any problems and about the citation's he will be issued for the earlier violation observed by officers.
9. On 07/22/18 at 12:40 am, Milwaukee Police conducted a tavern check at 634 W. North Avenue (Level's on North). In past contacts with police, occupants would lock the entrance to the establishment and open it after several knocks. When officers approached the tavern during this check, patrons attempted to shut the door on officers but they were able to gain entry before the door was fully closed. As police gained entry, multiple subjects blocked the entrance and officers observed multiple subjects flee into the back rooms of the location. Officers checked the two bartenders for Class D Operators license but neither one could verify their license status. The maximum occupancy of the establishment is 62, but officer's body cameras revealed that the tavern appeared to be above that occupancy. There was armed security inside the tavern and officers did have a conversation with the agent. No citations were issued.
10. On 08/14/18 at 10:29 pm, Milwaukee Police conducted a tavern check at 634 W. North Avenue (Level's on North). Officers were met outside by the agent and they proceeded to enter the rear of the business which is a kitchen area. Officers observed in the kitchen that the agent had four fryers on and a large bucket of chicken in the sink defrosting under water. The agent was informed that he is not allowed to serve food because he did not have a proper license and he stated that he was not selling the food, it was for a party. Officers informed him that making chicken for a party is still in violation and he could receive citations if he does it again. The agent understood and said he would stop making chicken. The agent informed officers that his license was up for renewal and he has a meeting with the alderperson regarding his license.

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11. On 10/12/2018 officers conducted a licensed premise check at 634 W. North Av. The officer observed a customer with food in a Styrofoam container. The officers attempted to check the kitchen but found it locked. The officer advised that as a licensed premise he could check the entire property. Access was granted and the officer observed 5 fryers operating and chicken defrosting in the sink. The applicant arrived while the officers were on scene and could not explain the food being prepare. The applicant was cited for Food Establishment License Required.

Charge: Food Establishment License Required
Finding: Guilty
Sentence: Fined \$699.00
Date: 01/16/2019
Case: 18077463

12. On 11/30/2018 officers conducted a licensed premise check at 634 W. North Av. The officers spoke with a bartender about whether the business would be open on New Year's Eve and she stated she was not sure because the owner has not advised them yet.

13. On 03/19/2019 at 2:04am officers observed people inside Level's on North, 634 W. North Av. The officers shined their lights on the windows and 4 females left the building. At 2:10am officers conducted a licensed premise check and spoke with the applicant who was standing in the door way. There were several more people inside that left without incident. The officers checked the bar and found evidence of marijuana being smoked in a back room and a bag of rifle ammunition. The bartender stated it was her birthday and the patrons were her friends who were celebrating with her. The officers counter a total of 22 people inside the bar. The applicant stated he thought the time was 2:00am when the officers arrived and that he had time to have the patrons leave.

14. On 04/22/2019 officers received information that Level's on North was having a "Repass" party and there were subjects inside with guns and one of them was wanted. When the officers arrived it appeared the business was open with the open sign illuminated. As they approached the door it was locked by a subject inside. The officers observed people inside running to the back of the bar. After they were let inside they checked for subjects hiding in the basement and upstairs, but did not locate anyone. They did recover two guns in trash cans, one in the kitchen and the other in the men's bathroom. Officers located suspected heroin and cocaine in baggies on the floor of the bar. Officer located suspected marijuana in a back room of the establishment. . Officers also located 10 baggies containing heroin in a stairwell leading to upstairs apartments. The kitchen was in full use with brats, ribs and other foods being cooked. The applicant arrived and stated this was a private party and the food being prepared was being provided for free.

15. On 08/16/2019 at 1:20am officers were dispatched to a fight at N. 6th St and W. North Av. The caller stated a large group of people were fighting in the road and female had a board. The investigation revealed the subjects involved came from Level's on North, 634 W. North Av. The security guard at Levels stated some patrons left the bar and began to fight on the corner of 6th and North. He and another security guard ran down to the fight and broke it up. Officers spoke to two victims who stated an argument occurred on the dance floor and left the tavern. One group followed the other to their car and broke the car's window with a board.

16. On 09/03/2019 at 1:40am officers observed people outside of Level's on North and auto double parked on North Av. The officers observed 6 people walk inside the tavern, which has a 1:30am closing time listed on their license. They also observed a Black female approach the bar and attempted to open the door which was locked. Officers observed an employee who is known to them, open the door and allow the female inside. The officers drove around the block and when they returned they observed 10 people on the sidewalk and a bartender telling them to leave the area. One subject had a small liquor bottle in his hand. At 1:49am officers entered the business and found 7 patrons still inside the bar. The applicant was issued a citation for allowing patrons after hours.

Charge: Allow Patrons After Hours
Finding: Guilty
Sentence: Fined \$1,887.54
Date: 10/29/2019
Case: 19046185

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Item #16 updated with disposition on 11/02/2020

17. On 11/27/2019 the applicant was cited for Operating while Intoxicated and Intoxicant in Vehicle. On 06/18/2020 the applicant was convicted and his license was revoked for 6 months.

18. On 12/31/2019 at 10:50pm officers conducted a license premise check at Level's on North, 634 W. North Av. The officers spoke with the bartender, who stated she has a Class D Operator's license but did not have it on her person. A check revealed the subject was in fact not licensed. The applicant was called and arrived on scene. The officers also observed food being prepared and fryers warmed and ready to cook. The applicant stated he cooks the food but does not sell the food because he does not have a food license. The applicant was cited for Responsible Person on Premise and Food License Required. At 3:09am the officers returned and observed a subject enter the bar and heard the front door being locked after the patron entered. They observed another patron attempt to enter but the door was locked.

Charge 1: Responsible Person on Premise
2: Food License Required
Finding 1: Guilty
2: Guilty
Sentence 1: Fined \$398.00
2: Fined \$ 719.00
Date: 03/03/2020
Case 1: 20009911
2: 20009912

19. On 02/02/2020 at 2:11am officers were dispatched to a Shooting at Level's on North, 634 W. North Av. The investigation revealed no one was shot but a subject was observed firing shots in the air outside of the business. Security stated there was a fight inside and the subjects were being escorted out. One of the security guards observed a subject sitting in an auto firing shots in the air. The officers spoke with the applicant, who stated he called the police after hearing the shots in case someone was shot.

20. On 02/22/2020 at 12:42am officers were dispatched to a Shooting at N. 6th St and W. North Av. The responding officers observed numerous cars parked in the area. The only

businesses open were Wendy's and Level's on North. The officers spoke with security working at the door for Level's on North. He stated he did not hear any gunshots, or see anyone shot. The officer spoke to the applicant about what the head count of the tavern was. The applicant did not know. The officer then went inside and observed a large crowd. The officer observed numerous patrons coming from an area of the business that was labeled "employees only". When the officer's checked that area they located a chest freezer in the hallway with a pistol inside. The officers recovered the pistol and inventoried it at the station.

21. On 02/25/2020 officers assisted the FBI and IRS serve a search warrant at 634 W. North Av. The officers recovered 2 air pistols, ammo in several different calibers, a digital scale and 9.4 grams of Heroin.
22. On 03/22/2020 officers conducted a license premise check at Level's on North, 634 W. North Av, to see if the business was complying with the Safer at Home order. The officers found the business was closed.
23. **The applicant has 4 warrants with Milwaukee County Sheriff's Office for Failure to Support (warrant #'s: 2020006139, 2020006138, 2020006145, 2020006974).**

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414-933-4444

Case #: 193650123

OtherEvent #: 20-LP-0018

Incident

634 W NORTH AV Milwaukee, WISCONSIN 53212

Incident Date/Time:: 12/31/2019 22:50:00
CAD Number:: 193652630
District:: 5
Beat:: 540
Reporting Area:: 3505

Business Agent (1)

HENDERSON, JEFFERY

Person Involvement: (Must choose Agent
AGENT from drop down):
DOB:: 05/26/1978
Address:: 6935 W BRENTWOOD AV
City:: Milwaukee
State:: WISCONSIN
Zip Code:: 53223

Licensed Premise Data (1)

Level's On North

Phone 1 Number:: (414)-326-9712
Address:: 634 W NORTH AV
City:: Milwaukee
State:: WISCONSIN
Zip Code:: 53212
License Type:: Alcohol
Licensee Notification Was Made:: Yes
Licensee Notified Date/Time:: 01/01/2020 00:31:00
Business Was Cited For Violation:: Yes
Citation Number: (Additional Citations List In Narrative): 0680szcgg7
Violation/Ordinance Number:: 90-8-1
Licensee was cooperative: (If not explain in narrative): Yes
Licensee or Manager was on premises at time of violation/incident:: No

Narrative (1)

License Premise Check

Letteer, David J 016078

01/03/2020

This report is written by PO David LETTEER, assigned to District 5 Late Power Shift, Tavern Squad 5468, with PO Russell MACRAE.

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414-933-4444

Case #:193650123

OtherEvent #: 20-LP-0018

On 12-31-19 at 8:00 p.m.,Sq. 5468 and Sq. 5466 (PO MARITATO and PO PARKS) conducted a licensed premise check of Level's on North, a licensed premise in the city of Milwaukee, located at 634 W. North Ave. Upon arrival, we observed that the bar was dark, no interior lights or window neon signs were turned on. We believed that someone would be at the bar and setting up for New Year's Eve. We did not observe anyone inside or outside of the bar.

We returned to the bar at 10:50 p.m. and found the bar to be open for business. We entered the bar and conducted a tavern check. Upon entering the bar, there were 8 people at the bar, who were drinking alcohol, with the security guard Kendrick L. TIERRY (b/m 01-08-88), behind the bar with the bartender Lena K. JOHNSON (b/f 09-04-90). There was also another unidentified female behind the bar, sitting on a chair, next to a sound mixing device.

PO LETTEER walked to the north end of the bar and stood at the opening to walk behind the bar. TIERRY began walking towards PO LETTEER and asked what we wanted. I informed him that I needed to speak to the person in charge of the bar, which would be the licensed bartender. TIERRY again asked what we wanted and PO LETTEER informed him that he needed to speak to the bartender. TIERRY left from behind the bar and PO LETTEER spoke to JOHNSON. TIERRY was hired by HENDERSON and started work at 9:30 p.m.

PO LETTEER informed JOHNSON that officers were at the bar to check licenses and make sure that the bar was operating as it should be, so the bar could operate for New Year's. JOHNSON stated she did have a license and paid 80 dollars for it, but that she did not have it on her person. JOHNSON showed me on her phone a certificate for a server's course. I asked her if she had the city of Milwaukee license and she stated she had it. PO LETTEER was able to gather her information and check the online licensing system to validate her claim of having a Class D License. PO LETTEER checked the online licensing system for her name and date of birth, but could not locate any valid Class D License for JOHNSON. She was informed of this and asked to call the licensed agent, Jeffrey HENDERSON, to come to the bar so we could speak to him. We informed JOHNSON and the patrons in the bar that nothing was going to be served to anyone, until this could be sorted out. The unidentified female who was sitting behind the bar, stated she had her bartenders license, but stood up and left the bar.

PO LETTEER informed JOHNSON since she has completed the servers course, that all she needed was to go downtown and apply for the license and that she may have to appear in front of the committee as part of the application process. JOHNSON stated she was just hired in early December to work at the bar as a bartender and that she also works at another bar, but she never stated what other bar she works at. JOHNSON was informed that once she does get her license, to leave a copy at all the bars in which she bartends at, so there would be no further confusion when asked for her license.

While waiting for HENDERSON, PO MACRAE conducted a check of the licensed areas of the bar, which includes the first floor. PO MACRAE was able to enter the back room, which is located on the north side of bar, that is connected to a kitchen. PO MACRAE upon entering the kitchen found a black male, identified as Omar A. HARRIS (b/m 05-22-73), who stated he was waiting for the "Boss" and that he was setting everything up, again waiting for the "Boss", to start cooking the food. PO MACRAE asked him what was meant by getting things ready and HARRIS stated he was cooking a lot, getting the fish

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(darkened fish) and the grills (burgers) ready. PO MACRAE asked HARRIS if he was going to cook the fish and HARRIS informed PO MACRAE that "The bar does pretty good", in reference to cooking food. PO MACRAE asked HARRIS where they get the fish from and HARRIS stated the "Boss" gets it from a grocery depot that is located on the south side. PO MACRAE then asked HARRIS if the "Boss" was HENDERSON and he stated HENDERSON was the "Boss".

PO MACRAE, while in the kitchen located on the south wall of the kitchen an orange piece of paper, which appeared to be a menu of items that are cooked in the kitchen. The menu items were as follows:

Steak/Philly \$10, Blackened Fish w/Veg/Rice \$15, Grilled Chicken w/ Rice and Veg \$15, Catfish Dinner \$10, Catfish Sandwich \$10, Grilled or Fried Chicken Salad \$10, Grilled/Fried Sandwich \$10, 8PC Chicken \$10, 8 PC Wings \$10, 5PC Tenders \$10, Burger \$10, Buffalo Chicken Salad \$10. On the menu was also the disclaimer that "All prices go up after 12:30 a.m." It should be noted while on this call, there were also two more menus located behind the bar.

Along the south wall of the kitchen, on a prep table, just below the menu, were spices and dressings, along with stacked Styrofoam food containers. PO MACRAE while continuing his inspection, located five fryers, which were filled with oil and ready to cook, along with two electric skillets, which were operational and a bowl filled with fish fillets.

We called for a supervisor to come to the bar, in order to explain the situation and learn if the bar was going to be closed for the night. SGT. KITTS and SGT. SMITH arrived and we explained the situation. It was determined that if HENDERSON would arrive at the bar and stay there, the bar could be open and that we would document this incident, along with the appropriate citations. PO LETTEER also checked the online license system to make sure that HENDERSON had the proper licenses for the bar. The check revealed that Level's on North has a BTAVN License (207791), PEP License (6329) and a CIG License (1028827), all of which are set to expire on 11-07-20.

HENDERSON arrived at the bar and PO MACRAE explained why we were there and what we found while at the bar. HENDERSON was very agitated that we were there and once the food situation was explained, he stated the guy in the back was homeless and that he cooks food. He stated he was not selling the food because he did not have a food license. HENDERSON stated he believed the bartender to have a valid bartender's license, upon being hired. HENDERSON stated "This stuff always happens when I am not at the bar!" HENDERSON stated that he is a small black owned bar and that he cannot afford to have any further citations or reports issued to the bar. We informed HENDERSON that we would be filing this report, along with issuing citations as it related to this call.

We asked HENDERSON if he was going to stay at the bar and he stated he would be at the bar all night. We informed him that we would return later to make sure that he was at the bar, operating the bar.

At 3:09 a.m., Sq. 5468 and 5466 returned to the bar in order to see if HENDERSON was still at the bar, while the bar was in operation. Upon driving up to the front of the bar, we observed both sides of North Ave., the south and north side of the street in the 600 block were filled with vehicles. There were also vehicles parked on N. 6th St., just to the north and south of W. North Ave. The only business open at this time was the bar.

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We drove around the area and counted about 60 vehicles parked near the bar. We pulled out marked squad in front of the bar and stopped. We observed a patron entering the bar and just before entering, the patron was patted down, by a black male in sunglasses and a fur type coat. While the person was being patted down, we could see inside of the bar and it appeared that people were standing shoulder to shoulder. The black male after patting the patron down, closed the door and locked the door. We could hear from our vehicle the lock on the front door being locked. Just after the door being locked, there was another person standing in front of the bar. PO MACRAE asked this person to open the front door of the bar, but when this person attempted to open the door, that front door was locked.

HENDERSON was cited for Responsible Person on Premise (90-8-1) and for not having a Food Dealers License (68-23-1).

End of Report.

Officer (2)

Reporting Officer:	Letteer, David J (016078)	01/03/2020 21:03:00
Section: (Work Location):	54	
Approving Officer:	Raden, Chad M (010032)	01/06/2020 11:28:13
Section: (Work Location):	27	

Milwaukee Police Department

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414-933-4444

Case #:200400011

OtherEvent #: 20-LP-0158

Incident

634 W NORTH AV Milwaukee, WISCONSIN 53212

Incident Date/Time:: 02/02/2020 02:11:00
CAD Number:: 200330245
District:: 5
Beat:: 540
Reporting Area:: 3505

Business Agent (1)

HENDERSON, JEFFREY L

Person Involvement: (Must choose Agent
AGENT from drop down):
DOB:: 05/26/1978
Sex:: MALE
Race:: BLACK/AFRICAN AMERICAN
Phone 1 Number:: (414)-326-6712
Address:: 6935 W BRENTWOOD AV
City:: Milwaukee
State:: WISCONSIN
Zip Code:: 53223

Licensed Persons Involved (1)

HENDERSON, JEFFREY L

Person Involvement:: Agent (License Holder)
DOB:: 05/26/1978
Sex:: MALE
Race:: BLACK/AFRICAN AMERICAN
Address:: 6935 W BRENTWOOD AV
City:: Milwaukee
State:: WISCONSIN
Zip Code:: 53223

Licensed Premise Data (1)

Level's On North

Phone 1 Number:: (414)-326-9712
Address:: 634 W NORTH AV
City:: Milwaukee
State:: WISCONSIN
Zip Code:: 53212
License Type:: Alcohol
Licensee Notification Was Made:: Yes
Licensee Notified Date/Time:: 02/06/2020 21:00:00
Business Was Cited For Violation:: No
Licensee was cooperative: (If not Yes
explain in narrative):

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OtherEvent #: 20-LP-0158

Licensee or Manager was on premises at time of violation/incident::

Yes

Narrative (1)

INITIAL INVESTIGATION

Letteer, David J 016078

02/12/2020

This report is being submitted by PO David LETTEER, assigned to District 5 Late Power Shift Tavern Squad, 5468 with PO Russell MACRAE.

On 02-02-20 at 2:11 a.m., Squads responded to the location of 634 W. North Ave., Level's On North, for a report of a shooting. The caller was identified as Jeff, who later was identified as the owner or agent of the bar, Jeff HENDERSON. The call was for that someone was shot. Then there was an update of nobody being shot and that someone was firing shots outside and nobody shot at the time of the call. Officers were able to learn that a Silver 2dr. Audi, with a black male with dreadlocks shot into the air.

Upon arrival, Sq. 5330 (PO SOSA and PO WHITLEY) and interviewed Anthony C. LASLIE (b/m 12-19-88), the security guard and he stated he was inside of the bar, when the shots were fired in front of the business. A second security guard, Terry KENDRICK (b/m 01-08-88) was inside of the bar, letting people out. He stated there was a verbal argument inside of the bar and they were escorted out of the bar. KENDRICK then stated he observed a b/m shoot a gun into the air and that he was a passenger of a silver vehicle.

As officers were at the call, inside of the bar, they could smell the strong odor of marijuana. It is unknown if officers located any marijuana or paraphernalia.

Later we (PO MACRAE and I) spoke to HENDERSON. We informed him that a tavern report would be written. HENDERSON stated he did not know what was going on and believed that someone was shot outside, even though it was found that no one was shot. HENDERSON stated he called the police, just in case there was someone shot.

End of report.

Officer (2)

Reporting Officer:	Letteer, David J (016078)	02/12/2020 21:02:00
Section: (Work Location):	54	
Approving Officer:	Raden, Chad M (010032)	02/24/2020 09:43:30
Section: (Work Location):	27	

Milwaukee Police Department

749 W. State Street Milwaukee, WI 53233

414-933-4444

Case #:200530004

OtherEvent #: 20-LP-0176

Incident

634 W NORTH AV Milwaukee, WISCONSIN 53212

Incident Date/Time:: 02/22/2020 00:42:00
CAD Number:: 200530092
District:: 5
Beat:: 540
Reporting Area:: 3505

Business Agent (1)

HENDERSON, JEFFREY LEVELL

Person Involvement: (Must choose Agent
AGENT from drop down):
DOB:: 05/26/1978
Sex:: MALE
Race:: BLACK/AFRICAN AMERICAN
Phone 1 Number:: (414)-326-6712
Address:: 634 W NORTH AV
City:: Milwaukee
State:: WISCONSIN
Zip Code:: 53212

Licensed Persons Involved (1)

HENDERSON, JEFFREY LEVELL

Person Involvement:: Agent (License Holder)
DOB:: 05/26/1978
Sex:: MALE
Race:: BLACK/AFRICAN AMERICAN
Address:: 634 W NORTH AV
City:: Milwaukee
State:: WISCONSIN
Zip Code:: 53212

Licensed Premise Data (1)

Level's On North

Phone 1 Number:: (414)-326-9712
Address:: 634 W NORTH AV
City:: Milwaukee
State:: WISCONSIN
Zip Code:: 53212
License Type:: Alcohol
Licensee Notification Was Made:: Yes
Licensee Notifled Date/Time:: 02/22/2020 01:30:00
Business Was Cited For Violation:: No
Licensee was cooperative: (If not Yes
explain in narrative):

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OtherEvent #: 20-LP-0176

Licensee or Manager was on premises at time of violation/incident::

Yes

Narrative (1)

INITIAL INVESTIGATION

Letteer, David J 016078

02/26/2020

This license premise report is written by PO David LETTEER, assigned to District 5, Late Power Shift Tavern Squad (5468) with PO Russell MACRAE.

On 02-22-20 at 12:42 a shooting was called in at N. 6th St. and W. North Ave. Upon arrival, we observed cars parked on N. 6th St. at W. North Ave., as well as in the 600 block on W. North Ave. We, along with other squads checked the area. The only two businesses that were open, were Wendy's and Level's On North Tavern.

PO MACRAE and I, along with Sq. 5430 (PO GRYCOWSKI and PO ROEMBKE) went to Level's On North to make sure that nothing happened at the bar. We spoke to the door man (security) who was standing at the main entrance checking ID's. PO MACRAE asked the door man, Kendrick L. TERRY (b/m 01-08-88), if he observed anything. TERRY stated he did not hear any gunshots, nor did he see anyone who may have been shot. While speaking to TERRY, the listed agent Jeffrey HENDERSON exited the main door and came out by us. PO MACRAE then asked TERRY how many people he had in the bar and TERRY could not answer with a number count. TERRY looked at HENDERSON, when asked once again how many people were inside of the bar, including staff.

PO MACRAE looked into the tavern and observed a large crowd of patrons inside. PO MACRAE informed HENDERSON that a "head count" of the patrons inside would be conducted. As PO MACRAE entered the tavern and began counting patrons and observed numerous subjects entering the tavern from the NE/rear "employees only" area. Upon sight of police they immediately made their way to the front door to leave.

PO MACRAE observed another group of subjects entering the tavern from the NW/rear "employees only" area which leads to a kitchen. As PO MCARAE walked towards the subjects and stopped one person still standing in the rear hallway later identified as Brad L. CHRISTIAN (B/M 05/14/63). CHRISTIAN was asked if he was an employee; he stated no. CHRISTIAN stated that he was using the bathroom. It should be noted that in the tavern area just outside where CHRISTIAN was observed are separate male/female bathrooms.

As the bathroom / hallway, where the subjects were observed, a white chest-freezer running in the hallway was observed as well. From past tavern checks, we did not recall ever seeing a chest-freezer in the hallway. The freezer was opened, where observed was frozen food, and a black handgun with an extended magazine lying inside. At that time, PO LETTEER came over near me. PO MACRAE informed PO LETTEER who stayed next to the weapon. The tavern was shut down with the authority of SGT Derek

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KITTS (SQ#5412). The handgun located was a Taurus G2C 9mm semi-automatic pistol with an extended magazine, Serial #TMU23826, MPD Gun Tag # 88457.

PO Greg GREGORY (SQ#5330) took numerous photos of the scene and handgun. The weapon was recovered after photographs of the scene were taken.

PO LETTEER and I informed HENDERSON that a License/Premise Report would be filed regarding this incident. PO LETTEER and I conveyed the handgun back to District 5 and placed it on MPD Inventory # 20006430.

END OF REPORT.

Officer (2)

Reporting Officer:	Letteer, David J (016078)	02/26/2020 19:32:00
Section: (Work Location):	54	
Approving Officer:	Raden, Chad M (010032)	03/02/2020 10:52:30
Section: (Work Location):	27	

Milwaukee Police Department

749 W. State Street Milwaukee, WI 53233

414-933-4444

Case #:200820115

OtherEvent #: 20-LP-0333

Incident

634 W NORTH AV Milwaukee, WISCONSIN 53212

Incident Date/Time:: 03/22/2020 22:15:00
CAD Number:: 200822060
District:: 5
Beat:: 540
Reporting Area:: 3505

Business Agent (1)

HENDERSON, JEFFREY LEVELL

Person Involvement: (Must choose Agent
AGENT from drop down):
DOB:: 05/26/1978
Sex:: MALE
Race:: BLACK/AFRICAN AMERICAN
Phone 1 Number:: (414)-326-6712
Address:: 634 W NORTH AV
City:: MILWAUKEE
State:: WISCONSIN
Zip Code:: 53212

Licensed Premise Data (1)

Level's On North

Phone 1 Number:: (414)-326-9712
Address:: 634 W NORTH AV
City:: Milwaukee
State:: WISCONSIN
Zip Code:: 53212
License Type:: Alcohol
Licensee Notification Was Made:: No
Business Was Cited For Violation:: No
Licensee was cooperative: (If not
explain in narrative): No
Licensee or Manager was on
premises at time of
violation/incident:: No

Narrative (1)

INITIAL INVESTIGATION

Letteer, David J 016078

03/25/2020

This report is written by PO David LETTEER, assigned to District 5, Late Power Shift, Tavern Car 5468.

On 03-22-30 at 10:15 p.m., I conducted a business check of Level's On North, a licensed premise in the

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Case #:200820115

OtherEvent #: 20-LP-0333

City of Milwaukee, in order to see if the bar was complying with the order given by Governor Tony EVERS, regarding bars and the Coronavirus.

Upon arrival, I observed that the bar was closed for business.

End of report.

Officer (2)

Reporting Officer:	Letteer, David J (016078)	03/25/2020 19:22:00
Section: (Work Location):	54	
Approving Officer:	Raden, Chad M (010032)	03/27/2020 09:12:22
Section: (Work Location):	27	

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414-933-4444

Case #:200560083

OtherEvent #: 20-LP-0171

Incident

634 W NORTH AV Milwaukee, WISCONSIN 53212

Incident Date/Time:: 02/25/2020 07:30:00
CAD Number:: 200560521
District:: 5
Beat:: 540
Reporting Area:: 3505

Licensed Persons Involved (1)

HENDERSON, JEFFREY LEVELL

Person Involvement:: Agent (License Holder)
DOB:: 05/26/1978
Sex:: MALE
Race:: BLACK/AFRICAN AMERICAN
Address:: 634 W NORTH AV
City:: Milwaukee
State:: WISCONSIN
Zip Code:: 53212

Business Agent (1)

1

Person Involvement: (Must choose Agent
AGENT from drop down):

Licensed Premise Data (1)

LEVELS ON NORTH

Phone 1 Number:: (414)-509-7010
Address:: 634 W NORTH AV
City:: Milwaukee
State:: WISCONSIN
Zip Code:: 53212
License Type:: Alcohol
Licensee Notification Was Made:: No
Licensee Notified Date/Time:: 02/25/2020 10:00:00
Business Was Cited For Violation:: No
Licensee was cooperative: (If not
explain in narrative): Yes
Licensee or Manager was on
premises at time of
violation/incident:: No

Narrative (1)

INITIAL INVESTIGATION

Milwaukee Police Department

749 W. State Street Milwaukee, WI 53233

414-933-4444

Case #:200560083

OtherEvent #: 20-LP-0171

Schaefer, John H 018354

02/25/2020

This report was written by PO John SCHAEFER, assigned to District 5, Dayshift.

On Tuesday, February 25th, 2020 at approximately 7:30 AM, we assisted the FBI and IRS on a search warrant at this location. Found on the premise was the following items:

9.4 Grams of Heroin (Inventory # 20006866), 19 - PMC Bronze 357 Magnum Bullets, 50- Perfecta Bronze 223 REM bullets, 69-Tulammo Grey Steel 223 REM bullets, 2- Gamo GP Combat CO2 air pistols, 98 - CCI bronze 22 long rifle hollow point bullets, Digital scale, 85- CBC bronze 5.56 bullets, 8-Dice (inventory # 20006875).

Officer (2)

Reporting Officer:	Schaefer, John H (018354)	02/25/2020 13:13:00
Section: (Work Location):	51	
Approving Officer:	Sebestyen, Justin j (012429)	02/26/2020 06:38:22
Section: (Work Location):	51	



Thursday, November 19, 2020



Notice of Public Hearing

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HENDERSON, Jeffery L, Agent
Level's on North at 634 W North Av
Class B Tavern and Public Entertainment Premises License Renewal Applications

Tuesday, December 1, 2020 at 2:20 PM

To whom it may concern:

The above application has been made by the above named applicant(s). This requires approval from the Licenses Committee and the Common Council of the City of Milwaukee. The hearing before the Licenses Committee will take place virtually on 12/1/2020 at 2:20 PM. This is a public hearing. Those wishing to view the proceeding are able to do so via the City Channel – Channel 25 on Spectrum Cable – or on the Internet at <http://city.milwaukee.gov/citychannel>. Those wishing to provide oral testimony will be asked to do so by phone or internet and are asked to contact the staff assistant, Molly Kuether-Steele at (414) 286-2775 or molly.kuether-steele@milwaukee.gov for necessary information. Please make such requests no later than one business day prior to the start of the meeting. You are not required to attend the hearing, but please see the information below if you would like to provide testimony. Once the Licenses Committee makes its recommendation, this recommendation is forwarded to the full Common Council for approval at its next regularly scheduled hearing.

Important details for those wishing to provide information for the Licenses Committee to consider when making its recommendation:

1. The license application is scheduled to be heard at the above time. Due to other hearings running longer than scheduled, you may have to wait some time to provide your testimony.
2. You must testify as to matters that you have personally experienced or seen. (You cannot provide testimony for your neighbor, parent or anyone else; this is considered hearsay and cannot be considered by the committee.)
3. No letters or petitions can be accepted by the committee (unless the person who wrote the letter or the persons who signed the petition are willing to testify).
4. Persons opposed to the license application are given the opportunity to testify first; supporters may testify after the opponents have finished.
5. When you are called to testify, you will be sworn in and asked to give your name, and address. (If your first and/or last names are uncommon please spell them.)
6. You may then provide testimony.
 - a. Include only information relating to the above license application.
 - b. Include only information you have personally witnessed or seen.
 - c. Provide concise and relevant information detailing how this business has affected or may affect the peaceful enjoyment of your neighborhood.
 - d. If by the time you have the opportunity to testify, the information you wish to share has already been provided to the committee, you may state that you agree with the previous testimony. Redundant or repetitive testimony will not assist the committee in making its recommendation.
7. After giving your testimony, the members of the Licenses Committee and the licensee may ask questions regarding the testimony you have given or other factors relating to the license application.
8. Business Competition is not a valid basis for denial or non-renewal of a license.

Please Note: If you have submitted an objection to the above application your objection cannot be considered by the committee unless you personally testify at the hearing.

OCCUPANT	MAIL ADDRESS	CITY, STATE ZIP
CURRENT OCCUPANT	2224 N 7TH ST A	MILWAUKEE, WI 53205
CURRENT OCCUPANT	2332 N 7TH ST	MILWAUKEE, WI 53212
CURRENT OCCUPANT	616 W GARFIELD AVE	MILWAUKEE, WI 53212
CURRENT OCCUPANT	2351 N 6TH ST	MILWAUKEE, WI 53212
CURRENT OCCUPANT	2327 N 6TH ST	MILWAUKEE, WI 53212
CURRENT OCCUPANT	2354 N 7TH ST	MILWAUKEE, WI 53212
CURRENT OCCUPANT	2224 N 7TH ST B	MILWAUKEE, WI 53205
CURRENT OCCUPANT	2224 N 7TH ST	MILWAUKEE, WI 53205
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Total Records: 8

Radius: 250.0 feet and Center of Circle: 634 W North Ave

2020-2021 Plan of Operation for 634 W NORTH AV

1. Litter & Security Plans

How are the grounds kept clean? Sweep Pressure Wash Pick Up Litter Other:

How often will grounds be cleaned? Daily Weekly Other:

Who cleans the grounds? Licensee Building Owner Employees Hired Maintenance Other:

How are noise issues prevented and/or addressed? Security Manager approaches customer(s) Call Police Signs Posted Other:

Are there designated outdoor smoking areas? No Yes If Yes, Describe: Eastside rear of Building

Number of garbage cans: Inside 5 Locations: 1 in each Bathroom, 1 in front & 7 Behind the Bar
 Outside 1 Locations: In the front

Is a crowd control barrier used? No Yes If Yes, Describe:

Number of restrooms: 2 Name of solid waste contractor: egal

Are there parking spaces on the premises? No Yes If Yes, list number of spaces: _____ and describe security plans:

Are there designated loading areas? No Yes If Yes, describe security plans:

Do you have security personnel on the premise? No Yes If Yes, how many? 2
 AND What are their responsibilities? Checking ID's & Crowd Control
 What security equipment do they use? Security Wand
 List their licensing, certification or training credentials: Required for Hiring

Are there security cameras? No Yes If Yes, list all locations: 3 Outside, 4 inside

Are searches and/or identification checks conducted upon entry? No Yes If Yes, describe: Security Handles

2. Percentage of Sales (must total 100%)

Alcohol 70 % Food Sales 0 % Entertainment 15 % Other _____ %

3. Businesses On The Premises (choose all that apply):

Restaurant Cafe/Coffee Shop Cocktail Lounge Convenience Store Night Club Liquor Store Tavern Sports Facility
 Hotel Banquet Hall Supermarket Private/Fraternal/Veterans' Club Other:

4. Hours of Operation and Age Restriction

Are there any changes to the current hours of operation or age restriction? No Yes If Yes, Describe:

Please Note: If you will be open earlier or later than the hours listed on your current license for even one event or holiday (for example, St. Patrick's Day, Brewers Opening Day, etc.) during the license period, this must be reported and printed on your license.
 Your hours of operation and age restriction are listed on your current license.

5. Floor Plan and Capacity

Are you requesting any changes to your capacity or floor plan*? No Yes If yes, describe: _____ and submit a new floor plan with this renewal application. A sample plan can be found online at www.milwaukee.gov/licenses under License Forms and Related Information.

Alcohol/Food Establishments: A "Permanent Extension of Premises Application" is required if you are adding any square footage to the licensed premises.

6. Sidewalk Dining: Fee:

Are there any changes to the sidewalk dining site plan? No Yes If Yes, submit an updated site plan with this application.

7. Food License: Fee:

Your current food license includes the following food operations: Are there any changes to your food operations as listed above? No Yes, if Yes, explain _____

8. Weights and Measures: Fee:

Number/Type of Devices: _____
 Are there any changes to the number or types of devices? No Yes If yes, contact our office for further instructions.

1. CURRENT APPROVED ENTERTAINMENT

The following types of entertainment have been approved for your current Public Entertainment Premises license:

Comedy Acts, Poetry Readings, Jukebox, Karaoke, Instrumental Musicians, Bands, 4 Amusement Machines, 1 Pool Table

2. ADDING ENTERTAINMENT

If applicable, check any entertainment you wish to add: **ONLY CHECK ENTERTAINMENT TYPE(S) YOU ARE ADDING. YOUR CURRENT APPROVED ENTERTAINMENT IS LISTED ABOVE.**

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|---|--|---|---|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Instrumental Musicians | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Bands | <input type="checkbox"/> Battle of the Bands | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Comedy Acts |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Disc Jockey | <input type="checkbox"/> Magic Shows | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Poetry Readings | <input type="checkbox"/> Dancing by Performers |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Jukebox | <input type="checkbox"/> Wrestling | <input type="checkbox"/> Patron Contests | <input type="checkbox"/> Patrons Dancing |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Adult Entertainment/
Strippers/Erotic Dance | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Karaoke | <input type="checkbox"/> Bowling Alley | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pool Tables |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Motion Pictures (movies by admission)
How many screens? _____ | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Amusement Machines
How many? <u>4</u> | How many? _____ | How many? <u>1</u> |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Concerts | Approx. # per year? _____ | Approx. # per year? _____ |

No entertainment changes can take place until approved by Common Council and a new license has been issued and posted on the premises.

3. REMOVING ENTERTAINMENT

If applicable, list any entertainment you wish to remove:

4. PROMOTERS/SOUND AMPLIFICATION

Will promoters ever be used for any of the entertainment? No Yes If Yes, Describe:

At any time will sound amplification be used? No Yes If Yes, Describe: NO, only if attached to juice box

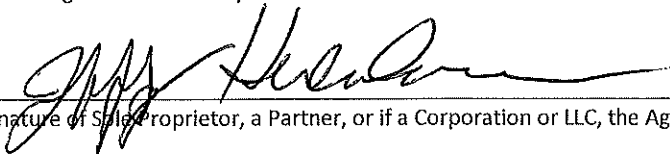
5. SIGNATURE

I understand that after the license has been issued, a change to the plan of operation will require a written request to change and approval from the Common Council.

I agree to inform the City Clerk within 10 days of any substantial changes in the information supplied in this application.

I understand that I shall not willfully refuse to provide the services offered under this license, or add charges or require deposits not required of the general public because of race, color, sex, religion, national origin or ancestry, age, handicap, lawful source of income, marital status, sexual orientation, gender identity or expression, familial status or the fact that a person is now or has been a member of the military service, whether dressed in uniform or not; and shall not seek such information as a condition of employment, or penalize any employee or discriminate in the selection of personnel for training or promotion on the basis of such information.

I have knowledge of the City Ordinances currently regulating public entertainment, and understand that the license may be subject to suspension, non-renewal or revocation, if I violate any rule, law or regulation of the city of Milwaukee and State of Wisconsin.


Signature of Sole Proprietor, a Partner, or if a Corporation or LLC, the Agent must sign