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INDEPENDENT REGULATORY REVIEW COMMISSION 333 Market Street, 14th Floor, Harrisburg, PA 17101

October 21, 2004

Honorable Jonathan H. Newman, Chairman Pennsylvania Liquor Control Board 502 Northwest Office Building Harrisburg, PA 17124

Re: Regulation #54-59 (IRRC #2411) Pennsylvania Liquor Control Board Revisions to Codify Practices and Procedures Resulting from Legislative Amendments

Dear Chairman Newman:

The Independent Regulatory Review Commission approved the subject regulation today. Our Order is enclosed and will be available on our website at <u>www.irrc.state.pa.us</u>.

We appreciate the joint effort that went into producing a regulation that meets the criteria and intent of the Regulatory Review Act.

Sincerely,

Alvin C. Bush

Vice Chairman wbg Enclosure cc: Honorable

Honorable Joe Conti, Chairman, Senate Law and Justice Committee
Honorable Sean F. Logan, Minority Chairman, Senate Law and Justice Committee
Honorable Ron Raymond, Majority Chairman, House Liquor Control Committee
Honorable Robert C. Donatucci, Democratic Chairman, House Liquor Control Committee

INDEPENDENT REGULATORY REVIEW COMMISSION APPROVAL ORDER

Commissioners Voting:

Public Meeting Held October 21, 2004

Alvin C. Bush, Vice Chairman Daniel F. Clark, Esq. Arthur Coccodrilli Murray Ufberg, Esq. Regulation No. 54-59 Pennsylvania Liquor Control Board Revisions to Codify Practices and Procedures Resulting from Legislative Amendments

On June 18, 2004, the Independent Regulatory Review Commission (Commission) received this proposed regulation from the Pennsylvania Liquor Control Board (Board). This rulemaking amends 40 Pa. Code Chapters 1-15. The proposed regulation was published in the July 3, 2004 *Pennsylvania Bulletin* with a 30-day public comment period. The final-form regulation was submitted to the Commission on September 22, 2004.

This final-form regulation codifies numerous practices and procedures of the Board and incorporates various legislative changes to the Liquor Code.

We have determined this regulation is consistent with the statutory authority of the Pennsylvania Liquor Control Board (47 P.S. § 2-207(i)) and the intention of the General Assembly. Having considered all of the other criteria of the Regulatory Review Act, we find promulgation of this regulation is in the public interest.

BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION:

This regulation is approved.



Alvin C. Bush, Vice Chairman