

**Bureau of Alcoholic
Beverages, Liquor Licensing
& Enforcement Division**



BUREAU USE ONLY

License No. Assigned: _____

Class: _____

Deposit Date: _____

Amt. Deposited: _____

Promise by any person that he or she can expedite a liquor license through influence should be completely disregarded.

To avoid possible financial loss an applicant, or prospective applicant, should consult with the Division before making any substantial investment in an establishment that now is, or may be, attended by a liquor license.

Hotel Mini-bar Application

PRESENT LICENSE EXPIRES _____

Fee Schedule

Hotels with a current Liquor License.....\$100.00

Number of Mini-bars requested _____ X \$5.00 @ Mini-bar = _____ (not to exceed \$900.00)

Hotels without a Liquor License.....\$200.00

Number of Mini-bars requested _____ X \$10.00 @ Mini-bar = _____

Filing Fee.....\$10.00

ALL QUESTIONS MUST BE ANSWERED IN FULL

1. APPLICANT(S) –(Sole Proprietor, Corporation, Limited Liability Co., etc.)	2. Business Name (D/B/A)
DOB: _____	
DOB: _____	
DOB: _____	Location (Street Address)
Address	City/Town State Zip Code
	Mailing Address
City/Town State Zip Code	City/Town State Zip Code
Telephone Number Fax Number	Business Telephone Number Fax Number
Federal I.D. #	Seller Certificate #

3. Is applicant a corporation, limited liability company or limited partnership? YES ف NO ف

If YES, complete Supplementary Questionnaire

4. If manager is to be employed, give name: _____

5. If business is NEW or under new ownership, indicate starting date: _____

Requested inspection date: _____ Business hours: _____

6. Business records are located at: _____

7. Is/are applicants(s) citizens of the United States? YES ف NO ف

8. Is/are applicant(s) residents of the State of Maine? YES ف NO ف

9. List name, date of birth, and place of birth for all applicants, managers, and bar managers. Give maiden name, if married:
Use a separate sheet of paper if necessary.

Name in Full (Print Clearly)	DOB	Place of Birth

Residence address on all of the above for previous 5 years (Limit answer to city & state)

10. Has/have applicant(s) or manager ever been convicted of any violation of the law, other than minor traffic violations, of any State of the United States? YES NO

Name: _____ Date of Conviction: _____

Offense: _____ Location: _____

Disposition: _____

11. Will any law enforcement official benefit financially either directly or indirectly in your license, if issued?
Yes No If Yes, give name: _____

12. Has/have applicant(s) formerly held a Maine liquor license? YES NO

13. Does/do applicant(s) own the premises? Yes No If No give name and address of owner: _____

14. Does/do applicant(s) have all the necessary permits required by the State Department of Human Services?
YES NO Applied for: _____

15. What is the distance from the premises to the **NEAREST** school, school dormitory, church, chapel or parish house, measured from the main entrance of the premises to the main entrance of the school, school dormitory, church, chapel or parish house by the ordinary course of travel? _____ Which of the above is nearest? _____

16. Have you received any assistance financially or otherwise (including any mortgages) from any source other than yourself in the establishment of your business? YES NO
If YES, give details: _____

The Division of Liquor Licensing & Enforcement is hereby authorized to obtain and examine all books, records and tax returns pertaining to the business, for which this liquor license is requested, and also such books, records and returns during the year in which any liquor license is in effect.

NOTE: "I understand that false statements made on this form are punishable by law. Knowingly supplying false information on this form is a Class D offense under the Criminal Code, punishable by confinement of up to one year or by monetary fine of up to \$2,000 or both."

Dated at: _____ on _____, 20____
Town/City, State Date

Please sign in blue ink

Signature of Applicant or Corporate Officer(s)

Signature of Applicant or Corporate Officer(s)

Print Name

Print Name

All fees must accompany application, made payable to: **TREASURER, STATE OF MAINE. – LIQUOR LICENSING AND ENFORCEMENT DIVISION, 8 STATE HOUSE STATION, AUGUSTA ME 04333-0008.** Payments by check subject to penalty provided by Sec. 3, Title 28A, MRS.

STATE OF MAINE

Dated at: _____, Maine _____ SS
City/Town (County)

On: _____
Date

The undersigned being: ʘ Municipal Officers ʘ County Commissioners of the
ʘ City ʘ Town ʘ Plantation ʘ Unincorporated Place of: _____, Maine

Hereby certify that we have given public notice on this application and held public hearing thereon as required by Section 653 Title 28A, Maine Revised Statutes and herby approve said application.

THIS APPROVAL EXPIRES IN 60 DAYS

NOTICE – SPECIAL ATTENTION

§ 653. Hearings; bureau review; appeal

1. **Hearing.** The municipal officers or, in the case of unincorporated places, the county commissioners of the county in which the unincorporated place is located, shall hold a public hearing for the consideration of applications for new on-premise licenses and applications for transfer of location of existing on-premise licenses. The municipal officers or county commissioners may hold a public hearing for the consideration of requests for renewal of licenses, except that when an applicant has held a license for the prior 5 years and a complaint has not been filed against the applicant within that time, the applicant may request a waiver of the hearing.

- A. The bureau shall prepare and supply application forms. [1993, c.730, §27(amd).]
- B. The municipal officers or the county commissioners, as the case may be, shall provide public notice of any hearing held under this section by causing a notice, at the applicant’s prepaid expense, stating the name and place of hearing, to appear on at least 3 consecutive days before the date of hearing in a daily newspaper having general circulation in the municipality where the premises are located or one week before the date of the hearing in a weekly newspaper having general circulation in the municipality where the premises are located. [1995, c.140, §4 (amd).]
- C. If the municipal officers or the county commissioners, as the case may be, fail to take final action on an application for a new on-premise license, for transfer of the location of an existing on-premise license or for renewal of an on-premise license within 60 days of the filing of an application, the application is deemed approved and ready for action by the bureau. For purposes of this paragraph, the date of filing of the application is the date the application is received by the municipal officers or county commissioners. This paragraph applies to all applications pending before municipal officers or county commissioners as of the effective date of this paragraph as well as all applications filed on or after the effective date of this paragraph. This paragraph applies to an existing on-premise license that has been extended pending renewal. The municipal officers or the county commissioners shall take final action on an on-premise license that has been extended pending renewal with 120 days of the filing of the application. [1999, c589, §1 (amd).]

2. **Findings.** In granting or denying an application, the municipal officers or the county commissioners shall indicate the reasons for their decision and provide a copy to the applicant. A license may be denied on one or more of the following grounds:

- A. Conviction of the applicant of any Class A, Class B or Class c crime: [1987, c45, Pt.A§4 (new).]
- B. Noncompliance of the licensed premises or its use with any local zoning ordinance or other land use ordinance not directly related to liquor control; [1987, c.45, Pt.A§4(new).]
- C. Conditions of record such as waste disposal violations, health or safety violation or repeated parking or traffic violations on or in the vicinity of the licensed premises and caused by persons patronizing or employed by the licensed premises or other such conditions caused by persons patronizing or employed by the licensed premises that unreasonably disturb, interfere with or affect the ability of persons or businesses residing or located in the vicinity of the licensed premises to use their property in a reasonable manner; [1993, c.730, §27 (amd).]
- D. Repeated incidents of record of breaches of the peace, disorderly conduct, vandalism or other violations of law on or in the vicinity of the licensed premises and caused by persons patronizing or employed by the licensed premises; [1989, c.592,§3 (amd).]
- E. A violation of any provision of this Title; and [1989, c.592, §3 (amd).]
- F. A determination by the municipal officers or county commissioners that the purpose of the application is to circumvent the provisions of section 601. [1989, c.592, §4 (new).]

[1993, c730, §27 (amd).]

3. **Appeal to bureau.** Any applicant aggrieved by the decision of the municipal officers or county commissioners under this section may appeal to the bureau within 15 days of the receipt of the written decision of the municipal officers or county commissioners. The bureau shall hold a public hearing in the city, town or unincorporated place where the premises are situated. In acting on such an appeal, the bureau may consider all licensure requirements and findings referred to in subsection 2.

- A. [1993, c.730, §27 (rp).]

4. **No license to person who moved to obtain a license. (REPEALED)**

5. **(TEXT EFFECTIVE 3/15/01) Appeal to District Court.** Any person or governmental entity aggrieved by a bureau decision under this section may appeal the decision to the District Court within 30 days of receipt of the written decision of the bureau.

An applicant who files an appeal or who has an appeal pending shall pay the annual license fee the applicant would otherwise pay. Upon resolution of the appeal, if an applicant’s license renewal is denied, the bureau shall refund the applicant the prorated amount of the unus