

# CITY OF LONG BEACH

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT

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November 15, 2005

HONORABLE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL  
City of Long Beach  
California

## RECOMMENDATION:

Receive the supporting documentation into the record, continue the hearing and extend the Temporary Permit until December 13, 2005 on the application of Perlman Inc., DBA Hush Restaurant and Banquet Facility, 217 Pine Avenue, for a Permit for Entertainment With Dancing by Patrons at an existing restaurant. (District 2)

## DISCUSSION

The Long Beach Municipal Code (LBMC) requires an application be filed and a hearing be held before the City Council whenever this type of activity is requested and before a license or permit is granted or denied.

The LBMC also requires that the City Council make a determination that the application is complete and truthful; the applicant, the persons interested in the ownership and operation of the entity, and the officers and trustees of the entity are law-abiding persons who will operate and conduct the business activity in a lawful manner; and, that the public peace, welfare, and safety will not be impaired. If this is so, the application shall be approved; if not, it shall be denied.

The new owner of this location applied for a restaurant with alcohol business license in May 2005 and is waiting for City approval. City Staff has received new information concerning the business and requires additional time to complete their investigation. Both the Police Department and the Department of Financial Management agree to extend the Temporary Entertainment Permit to allow time to complete the Police investigation.

## TIMING CONSIDERATIONS

The hearing date of November 15, 2005, has been posted on the business location, with the applicant and property owners within 300 feet notified by mail. Hush Restaurant and Banquet Facility is operating on a temporary permit that expires on December 1, 2005.

FISCAL IMPACT

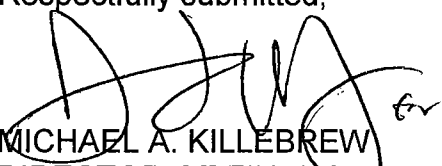
The following fees were collected with the application: Building Inspection \$194 and Zoning Review \$14 (Planning and Building Department), Police Investigations \$750 (Police Department), Temporary Permit \$225, Labels \$48.72 (Financial Management Department), and Health/Noise Control \$94 (Health and Human Services Department). The following fees will be collected if the application is approved: Business License \$275.37 and Regulatory \$765 (Financial Management Department).

All fees are deposited in the General Fund.

SUGGESTED ACTION:

Approve recommendation.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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ATTACHMENTS

APPROVED:

  
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