



**RENEWAL CORPORATE FORM
APPLICATION FOR CITY RETAILER’S LICENSE TO SELL ALCOHOLIC LIQUORS**

The undersigned hereby makes (make) application for the issuance of a city retailer's license for the sale of alcoholic liquor for the term ending April 30, 20____, and hereby certifies (certify) to the following facts:

1. APPLICANT CORPORATE INFORMATION

- a. Applicant's corporate name and address: _____
- b. Name under which business is to be operated: _____
- c. State names of officers as indicated, with their respective residence addresses, giving street and number, city and state:

President _____ (Residence Address) _____

Vice President _____ (Residence Address) _____

Secretary _____ (Residence Address) _____

Treasurer _____ (Residence Address) _____

Director _____ (Residence Address) _____

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Are these officers identical to those listed on the previous application for liquor license? _____

- d. State names of stockholders and their respective residence addresses, giving street and number, city & State.
(If the total number of stockholders is twenty (20) or less, provide the names and addresses of ALL stockholders. If the number of stock holders is twenty-one (21) or more, list only those stock holders owning more than five percent interest in the corporation. Attach additional paper to application if space provided below is insufficient.)

Stockholder _____ (Residence Address) _____

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e. Date of incorporation _____ Under Laws of State of _____

If the state is a state other than Illinois, the date upon which the corporation was certified as a foreign corporation entitled to conduct business in Illinois _____

f. Object of corporation, as set forth in charter

(If Insufficient space, attach separate sheet)

g. Is the corporation a widely held corporation or a closely held corporation? _____

2. **BUSINESS INFORMATION**

(a) Name under which business is to be conducted _____

(b) Location and description of place of business for which license is sought: _____ Telephone No. _____
(Exact address by street and number)

(c). The character and principal type of the business: _____
(i.e. tavern, restaurant, grocery store, gas station, night club, etc.)

(d) If the applicant seeks a license to sell alcoholic liquor upon the premises as a restaurant is premises:
(i) Maintained and held out to the public as a place where meals are actually and regularly served? _____
(ii) Food service hours: _____

(ii) Provided with adequate and sanitary kitchen and dining room equipment and capacity with sufficient employees to prepare, cook and serve suitable food? _____

(e) Does the applicant beneficially own or have a contract to purchase the premises for which this license is sought? _____

If not, has applicant a lease on such premises covering the full period for which license is sought? If so, please provide:

(i) Name and address of lessor _____

(ii) Period covered by lease: From _____, 20____ to _____, 20__

(f) Is applicant licensed as a food dispenser? _____ If so, give number of license _____

(g) The length of time the applicant has been in the business of the character described above _____

(h) Is the premises for which a liquor license is sought comprised of a store or other place of business where the majority of customers are under the age of twenty-one (21) years or where the principal business transacted consists of the sale of school books, school supplies, food, lunches, or drinks for such customers?

(i) Will applicant be personally, actively involved in the on premises day-to-day operation of the business to be licensed? _____

(j) Is the business or will the business for which a liquor license is sought be managed by a manager or agent? _____
***If the answer is yes, all managers/agents must complete a background check and manager/agent application prior to the issuance of a liquor license.**

(k) What was the amount of alcoholic liquor sales as a percentage of gross annual sales of the business from May 1st of last year to date? _____

3. Is any law enforcing official, mayor, alderman or member of the city council, or city employee directly or indirectly interested in the business for which license is sought? _____

4. Has any manufacturer, importing distributor or distributor directly or indirectly paid or agreed to pay for this license, advanced money or anything else of value, or any credit (other than merchandising credit in the ordinary course of business for a period not to exceed 90 days), or is such person directly or indirectly interested in the ownership, conduct or operation of the place of business? (Interior decorations and signs complying with state law exempted.) _____

5. Is the applicant engaged in the manufacture of alcoholic liquors? _____
If so, at what location or locations? _____

6. Is the applicant conducting business of an importing distributor or distributor of alcoholic liquors? _____
If so, at what location or locations? _____

7. Do you hold any other current business licenses issued by the City of Rockford? _____

If so, what type of license do you currently hold and what is the address of the licensed premises?

_____ (type) _____ (address)

8. Does applicant hold or ever held a liquor license issued by the state of Illinois to any other political subdivision of Illinois or any other state? _____

(i) If yes, please list from which political subdivisions applicant has been issued a liquor license

(ii) Has any previous license issued to applicant by any state or subdivision thereof, or by the federal government been revoked, suspended, or a fine issued pursuant to violations of any regulations? _____ If yes, please list the dates of said revocation, suspension or fines and the reasons therefore.

9. Does the applicant agree to not violate any of the laws of the State of Illinois or of the United States, or any ordinance of the City of Rockford in the conduct of applicant's place of business? _____

10. Illinois Retailers Occupation Tax number currently assigned to the business or individual applicant: _____

11. Is the business for which a liquor license is sought or the individual applicant currently delinquent in payments to the Illinois Department of Revenue, City of Rockford or any other governmental entity? _____

12. Other than merchandising credit in the ordinary course of business for a period not to exceed ninety (90) days, as expressly permitted by the Liquor Control Act, has OR will the applicant received or borrowed any money or anything else of value, directly or indirectly, from any manufacturer, distributor(s) or importing distributor(s)? _____

13. Does the applicant state that she or he is not a party and will not be a party, in any way, directly or indirectly, to any violation by a manufacturer, distributor or importing distributors of the Act? _____

14. Will the applicant hire private security licensed by the State of Illinois upon the written request of the liquor commissioner? _____

15. If applicant is a club, has it the qualifications described in the Illinois Act relating to alcoholic liquors? _____
16. Has any officer, manager, or director of said corporation, or any stockholder or stockholders owning in the aggregate more than five per cent (5%) of the stock of such corporation, ever been convicted of any felony under any Federal or State law? If so, give name of person so convicted, stating date and offense _____

17. Has any officer, manager, or director of said corporation, or any stockholder or stockholders owning in the aggregate more than five per cent (5%) of the stock of such corporation, ever been convicted of a violation of any Federal or State liquor law since February 1, 1934? If so, give name of person so convicted, and give date _____

18. Has any officer, manager, or director of said corporation, or any stockholder or stockholders owning in the aggregate more than five per cent (5%) of the stock of such corporation, ever been convicted of gambling, keeping a gambling place, of being the keeper of a house of ill fame; or of pandering or other crime or misdemeanor opposed to decency and morality? _____

If so, give name of person so convicted, giving dates and stating offense _____
19. Has the corporation (applicant) or any officer, manager, or director of said corporation, or any stockholder(s) owning in the aggregate more than five per cent (5%) of the stock of such corporation, made application for a similar license for this period for any premises other than those described above? _____

If so, give name of applicant, location of premises, date and disposition of application _____

20. Does the licensed premises, corporation (applicant) or any officer, manager or director of said corporation or any stockholder(s) owning in the aggregate more than twenty per cent (20%) of the stock of such corporation currently hold a federal wagering stamp? _____
21. Has any license previously issued by State, Federal or local authorities to the corporation (applicant) or to any officer, manager, or director of said corporation, or any stockholder or stockholders owning in the aggregate more than five per cent (5%) of the stock of such corporation, been revoked? If so, give name of licensee and state reasons for and date of revocation.

22. Has the applicant added or expanded entertainment areas or uses at the licensed premises? _____
23. Has the nature, character or day to day operation of the licensed premises changed in any way from representations made on the original application, application for Special Use Permit where applicable, or any other documents presented to any city staff at the time the initial application for liquor license was made? (i.e. entertainment uses, expansion of use into night club or dance hall, hours of operation, hours of food service, the implementation of cover charges, etc.) _____ **If yes, please attach a detailed explanation of any changes.**

I, THE UNDERSIGNED APPLICANT OR AUTHORIZED AGENT THEREOF, SWEAR OR AFFIRM, UNDER PENALTY OF PERJURY, THAT: THE MATTERS STATED IN THE FOREGOING APPLICATION ARE TRUE AND CORRECT; THEY ARE MADE UPON MY PERSONAL KNOWLEDGE AND INFORMATION; THEY ARE MADE FOR THE PURPOSE OF REQUESTING THE CITY OF ROCKFORD TO ISSUE THE LICENSE HEREIN APPLIED FOR; THE APPLICANT IS QUALIFIED AND ELIGIBLE TO OBTAIN THE LICENSE APPLIED FOR; AND THE APPLICANT WILL NOT VIOLATE ANY OF THE LAWS OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA OR THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, IN PARTICULAR, THE ILLINOIS LIQUOR CONTROL ACT, AND THE CITY OF ROCKFORD CODE OF ORDINANCES.

Date: _____

Signature of Applicant