In the matter of  
EXTENSION OF THE ANNUAL LICENSE  
EXPIRATION DATE FOR 2020 FROM APRIL 30, 2020 TO MAY 31, 2020 PURSUANT TO MCL 436.1501(2)

At the March 13, 2020 meeting of the Michigan Liquor Control Commission in Lansing, Michigan.

PRESENT:  Pat Gagliardi, Chair
             Geralyn A. Lasher, Commissioner

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER NO. 2020-05  
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Article IV, Section 40, of the Michigan Constitution (1963), permits the legislature to establish a Liquor Control Commission, which shall exercise complete control of the alcoholic beverage traffic within this state, including the retail sales thereof, subject to statutory limitations. MCL 436.1201(2) provides the Commission with the sole right, power, and duty to control the alcoholic beverage traffic and traffic in other alcoholic liquor within this state, including the manufacture, importation, possession, transportation and sale thereof.

Due to the state of emergency called by the Governor on March 10, 2020 due to the Coronavirus / Covid-19 pandemic, the Commission finds that the annual expiration date for 2020 should be extended from April 30, 2020 to May 31, 2020 pursuant to MCL 436.1501(2) which allows the Commission to fix the expiration date of licenses.
THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED that the annual expiration date for 2020 is extended from April 30, 2020 to May 31, 2020 pursuant to MCL 436.1501(2).

MICHIGAN LIQUOR CONTROL COMMISSION

Pat Gagliardi, Chair

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