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Liquor Control Division Attn: Jaci Lewis 450 Columbus Boulevard Suite 901 Hartford, CT 06103

Re: 75 Center Street, Southington, CT

To Whom It May Concern:

On March 23, 2024 the Southington Police Department responded to 75 Center Street Southington, CT on a report of a large fight/altercation. Upon arrival officers found that two employees of 75 Center Street had been stabbed in the head, neck and face with a blunt object that was brought into the establishment by the patron that committed the assault. As a result of being stabbed, these two employees sustained serious injuries that required medical care at a hospital. In addition to the weapons used in the stabbing, the suspect was found to be in possession of a bottle of pepper spray that was also used during the assault.

If proper safety procedures/protocols had been followed such as the searching of bags or wanding of patrons for weapons prior to entering the establishment there would have been no weapons that inflicted such serious injuries. During the investigation of this incident several patrons of 75 Center Street that had recently exited the establishment appeared to have been extremely intoxicated. Including one of the suspects that had been arrested in relation to this incident.

A review of recent calls for service at 75 Center Street Southington, CT in the past year found the following concerning calls for service:

CFS 2400005158, 2300062186, 2300055051, 2300034485, 2300034191,
2300029605,2300022846, 23000020360, 2300014010 these calls for service include: patrons overdosing on drugs inside the establishment, physical altercations that started inside the establishment and spill out onto the sidewalk in front of the establishment, intoxicated patrons passing out inside the establishment and needing medical attention, two

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calls where patrons were leaving the establishment and then pulled firearms out and pointed them at people in front of the establishment, patrons with firearms inside the establishment.

The current security practices/policies of 75 Center Street Southington, CT have caused an immediate and imminent danger to the public safety and welfare of those visiting this establishment. The possession of firearms and other dangerous instruments and deadly weapons by patrons of 75 Center Street is a great cause of concern from a public safety perspective. If these safety concerns are not remediated immediately it is likely that someone visiting this establishment or walking past this establishment will incur physical injury or bodily harm. It is respectfully requested a summary of suspension be issued as it pertains to this establishments permit for the sale of alcoholic beverages.

Should you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact me.

Regards,

Chief Jack Daly John Daly, Chief of Police