

**STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS  
INTER-OFFICE MEMO**

**October 3, 2016**

**TO: Robert Hull, Director**

**DEPT: Department of Revenue**

**FROM: James Botvin, Chairman**

**DEPT: Motor Vehicle Dealers' License & Hearing Board**

**SUBJECT: MOTOR VEHICLE DEALERS' LICENSE & HEARING  
BOARD**

**RESULTS-SEPTEMBER 21, 2016**

**Please be advised of the following matters which were heard before the Board on Wednesday, September 21, 2016. Board members present: James Botvin, William Jeffrey, Marc Levasseur and Joseph Solomon, Esq. Also present was Bradford Booth, Esq., Deputy Chief of Legal Services, Division of Motor Vehicles.**

**Absent: Lt. David Doucet of the Rhode Island State Police.**

**MEETING OF SEPTEMBER 21, 2016 AT 12:30 PM AT THE  
DIVISION OF MOTOR VEHICLES -3RD FLOOR, CONFERENCE ROOM,**

**600 NEW LONDON AVENUE, CRANSTON, RI 02920**

**1. REVIEW AND ACCEPTANCE OF THE MINUTES OF THE MEETING  
OF: SEPTEMBER 7, 2016 BOARD HEARING.**

**Joseph Solomon, Esq. abstained from voting on this matter.**

**The Board reviewed and approved the minutes of September 7, 2016.**

**2. BALISE CBG, LLC DBA HURD AUTO MALL ( James E. Balise Jr.  
President / Joshua Teverow, Esq.)**

**FIRST APPLICATION – CASE # KR-160-370  
TO DEAL IN NEW CHEVROLET, BUICK, GMC AND USED MOTOR  
VEHICLES ONLY AT 1705 HARTFORD AVENUE, JOHNTON, RI 02919**

**James Botvin recused himself from this matter.**

**Decision: The Board approved this application subject to receipt of a  
copy of approval from the manufacturer, copies of secondhand  
licenses for both 1705 Hartford Avenue and 1669 Hartford Avenue, an  
amended operating agreement and finalization of all outstanding  
issues within 30 days. The Board granted**

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**dealer plates 112 A-P, 91 A-S, and 63 A-P. The dealership must return to the**

**Dealers' License and Regulations Office the three motorcycle dealer plates issued to the previous Dealer. The Board authorized the sale of only used motor vehicles at 1669 Hartford Avenue.**

**3. 910 AUTO SALES, LLC ( Scott Oatley, Member)**

**REQUEST FOR 3 ADDITIONAL USED DEALER PLATES**

**CASE # KR-160-289**

**HAVE BEEN LICENSED SINCE 2015; HAVE 3 USED DEALER PLATES.**

**Decision: The Board approved Dealer's request for three (3) additional dealer plates.**

**4. THE RHODE ISLAND DEALERS LICENSE & REGULATIONS OFFICE VS. ELMWOOD AUTO SALES ( Michael Ayoub, Owner / Casby Harrison, Esq.)**

**CASE # KR-160-352 SHOW CAUSE HEARING**

**Decision: The Board ordered Dealer to pay fines totaling \$1250.00 for the following violations: (1) A fine of \$250.00 for failing to report five (5) employees to the Dealers' License and Regulations Office in violation of Rules and Regulations § VI (L) (\$50.00 fine for each employee not reported); and (2) a fine of \$1000.00 for unconscionable business practices relating to the issuance of temporary plates in violation of RIGL § 31-5-11 (10).**

**5. MCM AUTO SALES, LLC DBA ELMWOOD AUTO SALES II ( Michael Ayoub, Owner/ Casby Harrison, Esq.)**

**FIRST APPLICATION – CASE # KR-160-293**

**TO DEAL IN USED MOTOR VEHICLES ONLY**

**AT 975 CHARLES STREET, NORTH PROVIDENCE, RI 02904**

**Decision: The Board continued this matter to its October 5, 2016 hearing.**

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**6. THE RHODE ISLAND DEALERS LICENSE & REGULATIONS OFFICE  
VS K.B. MOTORS INC (Artin Bedrosian, President / Christopher  
Maselli, Esq.)**

**CASE # KR-160-240**

**SHOW CAUSE HEARING**

**Decision: The Board continued this matter.**

**7. \*EXECUTIVE SESSION PURSUANT TO RIGL§ 42-46-5 (a) (2)  
–Litigation**

**GARCIA AUTO SALES, INC. VS. DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE,  
PC-2016-3847**

**The Board voted to convene in executive session. Upon  
reconvening in open session the Board voted to seal the minutes of  
the executive session.**

**James Botvin, Chairman**

**Cc: Bradford Booth, Esq., Deputy Chief of Legal Services, Division of  
Motor Vehicles**