

**LICENSES AND CONSUMER SERVICES  
LICENSE INSPECTOR'S REPORT**

**License Number:** L247-50466      **Police File Number:** 13599

**Date of Application:**      October 16, 2014

**Inspector:**      Amy Duncan

**Applicant/Legal Entity:**      Himalayan Restaurant, LLC.

**DBA/Trade Name:**      Himalayan Restaurant

**Complete Address:**      2910 E Lake St. Minneapolis, MN 55406

**License Requested:**      On-Sale Wine, Class E with Strong Beer

**Purpose of Application:**      New License

**Responsible person within 75 miles of Minneapolis City Hall:**      Naveen Shrestha

**Public Hearing Requirement:**      Yes

**Neighborhood/Ward:**      Longfellow, Ward 3

**Zoning:**      C2

**7 acre requirement:**      Met

**Off-Street Parking:**      Zoning requirements have been met.

**Schools within 300 feet of the proposed premises:**      No

**Seating:**      They have seating for 74 patrons which exceed the 25 seat requirement.

**Hours of operation proposed:**      Tuesday –Sunday 11:00am – 9:30pm

**Metropolitan Council Service Availability Charges:**      Paid

**History of Location**

This location was previously licensed as a Restaurant named Kong's Café & Bakery, which closed 2012. Himalayan Restaurant, LLC. has purchased the building.

**Applicant**

The applicant is Himalayan Restaurant, LLC. who is incorporated under Minnesota Statute 322B, certificate number 2709090-2, file date February 8, 2012

<u>Name</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Shares</u>
Naveen Shrestha	President	50%
Pravin Shrestha	Vice President	50%

### **Manager**

The manager for Himalayan Restaurant will be Naveen Shrestha. Himalayan Restaurant, LLC. has operated a Restaurant with a Wine and Strong Beer license without complaint at 2401 Franklin Ave E Minneapolis, MN 55406 since 2008.

### **Police Review**

Minneapolis Police Licenses and 3rd Precinct reviewed the financial, criminal and security plans for Himalayan Restaurant. They have determined that Himalayan Restaurant, LLC. meets the minimum ordinance requirements for an alcohol license.

### **Premises**

The premises are located on Lake St E between 29<sup>th</sup> Ave S and 30<sup>th</sup> Ave S. Himalayan Restaurant will occupy the first floor. There will be interior seating for 74 patrons. No seats will be located at a food service bar. The seating will be at tables and booths. The main entrance, for the restaurant, is located by way of the parking lot, perpendicular to Lake St E. There will be no outside speakers. There will be no amusement devices. The applicant will not offer any mechanical amusement devices or charitable gambling on the premises. Himalayan Restaurant will not sponsor any local.

### **Business Plan/Operations**

Himalayan Restaurant is a full service restaurant that focuses on Nepalese cuisine. Himalayan Restaurant will have a Class E license which permits no live entertainment. Himalayan Restaurant, LLC.. will train all alcohol servers and management upon hire and as needed. They have operated at 2401 Franklin Ave E since 2008.

### **PUBLIC HEARING**

A public hearing will be held on Wednesday, January 14, 2015 at the CDRS committee meeting. 172 notices were sent on December 29, 2014 to residents and property owners within 600 feet of Himalayan Restaurant.

### **RECOMMENDATIONS**

Licenses and Consumer Services Division recommends the approval of an On-Sale Liquor with Sunday Sales, Class E license.