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MEMORANDUM

TO: Mark Springer, Chair, and

Members of the Board

DATE: December 20, 2018

FROM: Erika McConnell, Director RE: Baked Alaska, #15800,

Product Manufacturing Facility

Baked Alaska is an operating product manufacturing facility located at 2745 Hanson Road, Unit B, in Fairbanks.

During the board's review of the Baked Alaska application in June of 2018, the board asked multiple questions about the garage area on the first floor that was labeled "unoccupied space" and not part of the licensed premises. The board did not discuss with the licensee the fact that there is a similar situation with a residential apartment on the second floor that can only be accessed from within the licensed premises. The licensee states in the application that the apartment will be left vacant. The fire marshal requires a sprinkler system to be installed to allow any occupancy, and the licensee decided they did not want to incur that expense.

I am concerned about having a large vacant space that is unlicensed and accessed only from within the licensed premises. While the access to the upstairs apartment will be covered by video camera, it is not practical for AMCO to request and review 40 days of video (perhaps more than once) to determine whether or not the apartment has been used.

I am asking the board to reconsider this situation and consider requiring a permanent wall at the bottom of the stairs, to eliminate access to the upstairs apartment.

Attachment: Baked Alaska Premises Diagram (original submittal)

Baked Alaska Premises Diagram (change approved post board meeting)





