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RETAIL FOOD INSPECTION REPORT

Activity Type: **CHAPTER 24**

Evaluation: **CONDITIONAL**

Name of Owner(s), Partnership or Corporation TJ ENGLEWOOD CORP		Trade Name LA'MEZZA RESTAURANT		Reinspection ON or After:	
Establishment Location (Street Address) 60 NATHANIEL PLACE		City/State/Zip ENGLEWOOD, NJ 07631		County Bergen	Co/Mun Code 0215
Establishment Mailing Address (if different) 694 UNDERCLIFF ROAD		Telephone No		E-mail Address	
Name of Inspecting Official Jennifer Galarza		REHS Lic # B-102424	Name of Health Officer JAMES FEDORKO		Risk Type License No.

TIME/ACTIVITY REPORT (Codes: 1-Travel, 2-Inspection, 3-Administration)

Date	Code	Began	Ended	Date	Code	Began	Ended	Date	Code	Began	Ended
11/10/2014		10:55 AM									

FOOD BORNE ILLNESS RISK FACTORS AND INTERVENTIONS

RISK FACTORS are improper practices identified as the most common factors resulting in foodborne illness (FBI). **INTERVENTIONS** are control measures to prevent FBI.

Mark "X" in appropriate box: IN=In Compliance; OUT=Not in Compliance; NO=Not Observed; NA=Not Applicable; COS=Corrected On-site. R in OUT box=Repeat Violation

***** MANAGEMENT & PERSONNEL *****		IN	OUT	NO	NA	COS
1.	PIC demonstrates knowledge of food safety principles pertaining to this operation.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2.	PIC in Risk Level 3 Retail Food Establishments is certified by January 2, 2013.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3.	Ill or injured foodworkers restricted or excluded as required.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
***** PREVENTING CONTAMINATION FROM HANDS *****		IN	OUT	NO	NA	COS
4.	Handwashing conducted in a timely manner; prior to work, after using restroom, etc.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5.	Handwashing proper; duration at least 20 seconds with at least 10 seconds of vigorous lathering.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6.	Handwashing facilities provided in toilet rooms and prep areas, convenient, accessible, and unobstructed.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7.	Handwashing facilities provided with warm water; soap & acceptable hand drying method.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
8.	Direct bare hand contact with exposed, ready-to-eat foods is avoided.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
***** FOOD SOURCE *****		IN	OUT	NO	NA	COS
9.	All foods, including ice and water, from approved sources with proper records.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
10.	Shellfish/Seafood record keeping procedures; storage; proper handling; parasite destruction.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
11.	PHFs received at 41F or below. Except milk, shell eggs and shellfish (45F).	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
***** FOOD PROTECTED FROM CONTAMINATION *****		IN	OUT	NO	NA	COS
12.	Proper separation of raw meats and raw eggs from ready-to-eat foods provided.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
13.	Food protected from contamination.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
14.	Food contact surfaces properly cleaned and sanitized.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
***** PHFs TIME/TEMPERATURE CONTROLS *****		IN	OUT	NO	NA	COS
15.	SAFE COOKING TEMPERATURES (Internal temperatures for raw animal foods for 15 seconds) Except: Foods may be served raw or undercooked in response to a consumer order and for immediate service. 130F for 112 minutes: Roasts or as per cooking chart found under 3.4(a)2; 145F: Fish, Meat, Pork; 155F: Ground Meat/Fish; Injected Meats; or Pooled Shell Eggs; 165F: Poultry; Stuffed fish/meat/or pasta; Stuffing containing fish/meat.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
16.	PASTEURIZED EGGS: substituted for shell eggs in raw or undercooked egg-containing foods, i.e. Caesar salad dressing, hollandaise sauce, tiramisu, chocolate mousse, meringue, etc.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
17.	COLD HOLDING: PHFs maintained at Refrigeration Temperatures (41F)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
18.	COOLING: PHFs rapidly cooled from 135F to 41F within 6 hours and from 135F to 70F within 2 hours.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
19.	COOLING: PHFs prepared from ingredients at ambient temperature cooled to 41F within 4 hours.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
20.	REHEATING: PHFs rapidly reheated (within 2 hours) in proper facilities to at least 165F; or commercially processed PHFs heated to at least 135F prior to hot holding.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

21.	HOT HOLDING: PHFs Hot Held at 135F or above in appropriate equipment.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
22.	TIME as a PUBLIC HEALTH CONTROL: Approval; written procedures; time marked; discarded in 4 hours.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
23.	SPECIALIZED PROCESSING METHODS	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
24.	HIGHLY SUSCEPTIBLE POPULATIONS: Pasteurized foods used; prohibited foods not offered.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>



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***** SAFE FOOD & WATER/PROTECTION FROM CONTAMINATION *****		IN	OUT	NO	NA	COS
25.	Hot and cold water available; adequate pressure.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
26.	Food properly labeled, original container.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
27.	Food protected from potentially contamination during preparation, storage, display.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
28.	Utensils, spatulas, tongs, forks, disposable gloves provided & used to restrict bare hand contact.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
29.	Raw fruits & vegetables washed prior to serving.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
30.	Wiping cloths properly used and stored.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
31.	Toxic substances properly identified, stored and used.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
32.	Presence of insects/rodents minimized; outer openings protected, animals are allowed.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
33.	Personal cleanliness (fingernails, jewelry, outer clothing, hair restraint).	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
***** FOOD TEMPERATURE CONTROL *****		IN	OUT	NO	NA	COS
34.	Food temperature measuring devices provided and calibrated.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
35.	Thin-probed temperature measuring device provided for monitoring thin foods (i.e. meat patties and fish fillets),	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
36.	Frozen foods maintained completely frozen.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
37.	Frozen foods properly thawed.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
38.	Plant food for hot hot holding properly cooked to at least 135F.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
39.	Methods for rapidly cooling PHFs are properly conducted and equipment is adequate.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
***** EQUIPMENT, UTENSILS & LINENS *****		IN	OUT	NO	NA	COS
40.	Materials, construction, repair, design, capacity; location, installation, maintenance.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
41.	Equipment temperature measuring devices provided (refrigeration units, etc).	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
42.	In-use utensils properly stored.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
43.	Utensils, single service items, equipment, linens properly stored, dried, and handled.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
44.	Food and non-food contact surfaces properly constructed, cleanable, used.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
45.	Proper warewashing facilities installed, maintained, cleaned, used; sanitizer test strips available.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
***** PHYSICAL FACILITIES *****		IN	OUT	NO	NA	COS
46.	Plumbing system properly installed; safe and in good repair; no potential backflow or back siphonage conditions.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
47.	Sewage & waste water properly disposed.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
48.	Toilet facilities are adequate, properly constructed, properly maintained, supplied and cleaned.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
49.	Design, construction, installation & maintenance proper.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
50.	Adequate ventilation; lighting; designated areas used.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
51.	Premises maintained free of litter, unnecessary articles, cleaning and maintenance equipment properly stored; and garbage and refuse properly maintained.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
52.	All required signs (handwashing, inspection placard, etc) provided and conspicuously posted.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Item#	NJAC 8:24	REMARKS
Good		Walk-in refrigerator 38F
27	303q	Food items in the walk-in stored on the floor
27	3.3r	Eggs stored above vegetables
40	4.5c	Cutting boards must be replaced or resurfaced

40	4.5a	Low boy temp 40F- Leaking must be fixed
Good		Low Boy 41F
50	6.2i	Shield for lighting in the kitchen required
43	4.11e2ii	Utensils must face down to prevent bare hand contact
45	4.8k	Bleach test strips required- COS
30	4.1e	Sponges prohibited
49	6.2f	ceiling panel must be replaced
6	6.7n	Hand sink blocked
44	4.6c	Knife container must be cleaned sight to touch
43	4.11e2ii	Food containers must be inverted to prevent contamination
42	3.3k5	Scoop stored inside ice machine contaminating ice
43	4.11e1	Cutting boards stored on the floor next to ice machine. Clean items must be stored in a clean location
32	6.2k2	A few mice droppings observed throughout the restaurant
40	4.6g4i	Soda nozzles must be cleaned
Good		Restrooms stocked and operational
51	5.5m	Garbage outside must be in a closed container
51	6.5f	Mops should be placed in a position that allows them to air dry
46-47	5.2g-6.5e	Mop water is being dispensed in the drain part of the 3 compartment sink because mop sink is obstructed in the employee restroom
35	4.2c2	No food thermometer in the restaurant
Good		Servsafe John Hanna 6/18/17
27	3.3z	Arrived at La'Mezza Restaurant around 10:55am to find a food delivery left at the front of the restaurant. There was no one at the establishment to receive the shipment. Food observed outside 1 Box of lemons 2 box of parsley 2 bags of onions 2 boxes of arugula 2 boxes of tomatoes 4 boxes of citrus 1 box of mint 1 box of romaine lettuce 1 box of asparagus 1 box of green beans. Employees arrived at the locations at 10:58am
26	3.3d	Food items taken out its original container and placed into another one must be labeled.
50	6.3d2	Uniforms cannot be stored with food items
42	3.3k2	Scoops stored inside food containers
Good		Viking pest control last visit 11/16/14
Name of Inspecting Official		Signature of Inspecting Official
Jennifer Galarza		
		Name and Title of Person Receiving Copy of Report