

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
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 ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE AND CANNABIS BOARD
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 MEETING

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IN THE MATTER OF:           :
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Kezira, Inc.                 :
t/a Kezira Lounge           :
3013 Georgia Ave NW        :
Retailer CR - ANC 1E       : Show Cause
License No. 117490         : Hearing
Case #23-CMP-00007         :
                               :
(Operating After Hours,    :
Interfered with an ABCA   :
Investigation, Provided   :
False or Misleading       :
Information)               :
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Wednesday
 January 24, 2024

The Alcoholic Beverage and Cannabis
 Board met via WebEx videoconference, Chairperson
 Donovan W. Anderson presiding.

PRESENT:

DONOVAN W. ANDERSON, Chairperson
 SILAS GRANT, JR., Member
 JAMES SHORT, JR., Member

ALSO PRESENT:

JOSE ORELLANA, DC ABCA Staff

1 P-R-O-C-E-E-D-I-N-G-S

2 1:48 p.m.

3 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: We're back on
4 the record.

5 Good afternoon, everyone, and welcome
6 to the afternoon session of the ABC Board. My
7 name is Donovan Anderson. I'm Chairman of the
8 Board. And joining me this afternoon are two
9 other Board Members, Mr. James Short and Mr.
10 Silas Grant. The Board has three members
11 participating today. And that constitutes a
12 quorum.

13 So, let us now go back to the
14 afternoon calendar.

15 For the first case on our afternoon
16 calendar is Case Number 23-CMP-00007, Kezira
17 Lounge, License Number 117490.

18 This case has been rescheduled to
19 January 31st at 10:30 a.m.

20 (Whereupon, this proceeding was
21 concluded at 1:49 p.m.)
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Before: DC ABCA

Date: 01-24-24

Place: teleconference

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