

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
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 ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE CONTROL BOARD
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 ROLL CALL HEARING

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 IN THE MATTER OF: :
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 Lidl US Operations, LLC :
 t/a Lidl :
 2224 Town Center Dr SE : Roll Call
 License #119890 : Hearing
 Retailer A - ANC 7B :
 Case #22-PRO-00004 :
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 (New Application) :
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Monday
 February 7, 2022

The Alcoholic Beverage Control Board
 met via WebEx videoconference, LaVerne Fletcher,
 Board's Agent, presiding.

PRESENT:

LAVERNE FLETCHER, ABRA Board's Agent

ALSO PRESENT:

TIFFANY BROWN, ANC 7B
 STEPHEN O'BRIEN, Applicant's Counsel

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

2 (10:03 a.m.)

3 MS. FLETCHER: Good morning, everyone.
4 I'd like to thank everyone for joining ABRAS roll
5 call hearings via the Webex platform provided by
6 the DC Office of Open Government. There are
7 three cases on the calendar today.

8 First case is Lidl. This is Case No.
9 22-PRO-00004, Lidl US Operations, LLC, 2224 Town
10 Center Drive SE, License No. ABRA-119890. This
11 is a Retailer Class A new application. The
12 protest issues are adverse impact on peace,
13 order, and quiet. Is anyone present on Lidl?

14 MR. O'BRIEN: Stephen O'Brien.

15 MS. FLETCHER: Good morning, Mr.
16 O'Brien. Mr. O'Brien, would you spell your name
17 for the record please?

18 MR. O'BRIEN: Yes. First name is
19 Stephen, S-T-E-P-H-E-N, last name is O'Brien, O-
20 '-B-R-I-E-N.

21 MS. FLETCHER: Thank you. Present on
22 behalf of ANC 7B? Ms. Brown, I see you.

23 MS. BROWN: Yes.

24 MS. FLETCHER: Can you hear me?

25 MS. BROWN: Yes, I can hear you now.

1 MS. FLETCHER: There you are, okay.

2 MS. BROWN: Yes. Tiffany Brown,
3 Commission of 7B -- ANC Commissioner 7B02. Also
4 here on ANC 7B. My name is spelled T-I-F-F-A-N-
5 Y, middle initial L, last name Brown, B-R-O-W-N.

6 MS. FLETCHER: Thank you, Ms. Brown.
7 ANC 7B does have standing as a Protestant. We
8 need to set a date for mediation, a status
9 hearing, and a protest hearing. And I'll give
10 you the dates for the status and protest hearing
11 first. The status hearing is scheduled for March
12 the 9th, 2022 at 10:30 a.m. -- March 9, 2022 at
13 10:30. The protest hearing is set for April 6,
14 2022 at 1:30 p.m.

15 I'll give the next available date for
16 mediation. The next available day is next
17 Monday, February 14. Pretty much any time that
18 day. Is that a good day for you, Mr. O'Brien or
19 you, Ms. Brown?

20 MR. O'BRIEN: That's probably not the
21 best day for a lot of people.

22 MS. FLETCHER: Then I will move to the
23 next available day. The next available day is
24 Wednesday --

25 MS. BROWN: The 16th?

1 MS. FLETCHER: -- February 16th or the
2 18th, which is that Friday.

3 MR. O'BRIEN: The 16th would be all
4 right. Do you have a 11 o'clock slot for that?

5 MS. FLETCHER: Yes.

6 MR. O'BRIEN: If that's convenient
7 with Commissioner Brown --

8 MS. BROWN: Yes.

9 MR. O'BRIEN: -- the 16th at 11:00
10 would be fine by me.

11 MS. BROWN: That date and time works
12 for me.

13 MS. FLETCHER: That works for you too?
14 So let's see, one second. Mediation is set for
15 Wednesday, February 16th at 11:00.

16 MS. BROWN: Yep.

17 MS. FLETCHER: Thank you very much and
18 I'll send the Webex invitation.

19 MS. BROWN: Okay.

20 MR. O'BRIEN: If I may, Ms. Fletcher.
21 Commissioner Brown, I did get your email over the
22 weekend.

23 MS. BROWN: Okay.

24 MR. O'BRIEN: If you can give me a
25 number where I could call you later today -- If

1 you can email me a number where I can call you
2 later today, I'll certainly do that.

3 MS. BROWN: Okay. Are you available
4 now? I mean, I'll send you my number but --

5 MR. O'BRIEN: No, I'm not available.

6 MS. BROWN: -- now is good for me.

7 MR. O'BRIEN: I have something I have
8 to do right now.

9 MS. BROWN: Okay. Well then later.
10 All right.

11 MR. O'BRIEN: You'll email me a phone
12 number then?

13 MS. BROWN: Yep.

14 MR. O'BRIEN: Thank you.

15 MS. FLETCHER: And so Ms. Brown, you
16 have Mr. O'Brien's email address already?

17 MS. BROWN: Yes.

18 MR. O'BRIEN: Yes, she does.

19 MS. FLETCHER: Okay.

20 MR. O'BRIEN: We've communicated by
21 email.

22 MS. FLETCHER: Okay. Well, thank you
23 for coming. I'll see you on the 16th.

24 MR. O'BRIEN: Thank you.

25 MS. BROWN: Thank you.

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MS. FLETCHER: Okay. The roll call hearing is concluded.

(Whereupon, the above-entitled matter went off the record at 10:08 a.m.)

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