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2 (11:06 a.m.)

3 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: The next case
4 on our calendar is Case No. 23-CMP-00084,
5 Buddy's, DC, License No. 123008.

6 Mr. Orellana, can you please elevate
7 the rights of the licensee in this case?

8 MR. ORELLANA: Sure. Grant Mason,
9 your access has been elevated.

10 That is all, Chairman.

11 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Thank you.

12 Mr. Mason, do you have a camera you
13 can turn on?

14 MR. MASON: Yes. Can you see me?

15 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Not yet, sir.
16 Yes.

17 All right. Good morning, Mr. Brown.
18 Can you please identify yourself for the record?

19 MR. BROWN: Good morning. Assistant
20 Attorney General Matthew Brown, that's M-A-T-T-H-
21 E-W B-R-O-W-N, on behalf of the District.

22 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Good morning,
23 again, Mr. Brown.

24 Mr. Mason, can you please spell and
25 state your name for the record and your

1 relationship to this establishment?

2 MR. MASON: Grant Mason, G-R-A-N-T M-
3 A-S-O-N, president of Buddy's, DC.

4 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Good morning,
5 sir.

6 Mr. Brown, are there any preliminary
7 matters in this case?

8 MR. BROWN: No, Mr. Chairman.

9 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: All right.
10 Since there are no preliminary matters, this
11 matter then is scheduled for a show cause hearing
12 on March 27th at 10:30 a.m.

13 What this means, Mr. Mason, since
14 you're contesting this case, seven days before
15 the hearing, both parties are required to submit
16 documents and witnesses that they will rely upon
17 at the hearing.

18 Failure by either side to exchange the
19 documents and identify the witnesses seven days
20 before the hearing, unless reasonable cause is
21 shown, the Board is empowered to prevent that
22 side from relying on those documents and those
23 witnesses if they have not been identified seven
24 days prior to the hearing.

25 Do you have any questions, sir? Do

1 you understand the process?

2 MR. MASON: Yes, I understand. No
3 questions at this time.

4 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: All right.
5 Thank you, sir.

6 Then, if this matter is not settled,
7 I will see then on March 27th at 10:30 a.m.
8 Thank you very much. Have a great day.

9 (Whereupon, the above-entitled matter
10 went off the record at 11:08 a.m.)

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