

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
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 ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE CONTROL BOARD
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 MEETING

IN THE MATTER OF: :

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Partners at 723 8th :

Street SE, LLC, :

t/a The Ugly Mug Dining :

Saloon/Valor Brew Pub :

723 8th Street SE :

Retailer CR - ANC 6B :

License #71793 : Show Cause

Cases #20-CMP-00013, : Hearing (Status)

#20-AUD-00017, :

#20-CMP-00037 :

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(Operating After Hours, :

Violation of Settlement :

Agreement, No ABC Manager: :

on Duty, Failed to File :

Quarterly Statement, :

Failed to Have Warning :

Signs Posted) :

Wednesday
 March 31, 2021

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

PRESENT:

DONOVAN W. ANDERSON, Chairperson
 BOBBY CATO, JR., Member
 RAFI ALIYA CROCKETT, Member
 EDWARD S. GRANDIS, Member
 JENI HANSEN, Member
 JAMES SHORT, JR., Member

ALSO PRESENT:

WALTER ADAMS, DC OAG

SIMONE ANDREWS, DC ABRA Staff

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

2 10:37 a.m.

3 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: The next case in
4 our calendar is Case No. 20 CMP-00013. The Ugly
5 Mug Dining Saloon/Valor Pub. License No. 71793.

6 The other case in our calendar -- and
7 this is the same licensee, is Case No. 20-AUD-
8 00017, The Ugly Mug Dining Saloon, License No.
9 71793; and Case No. 20-CMP-00037, The Ugly Mug
10 Dining Saloon, License No. 71793.

11 Ms. Andrews, can you please elevate
12 the rights of the Government, Mr. Adams, and also
13 the licensee and his or her representative, too,
14 please. Thank you.

15 MS. ANDREWS: Sure. Stand by.

16 (Pause.)

17 MS. ANDREWS: Mr. Adams, your rights
18 have been elevated. That's all, Mr. Chair.

19 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: And the licensee
20 is not online?

21 MS. ANDREWS: No.

22 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Good morning,
23 Mr. Adams. Have you had any conversation with
24 the licensee? Do you know if the licensee will
25 appear today?

1 MR. ADAMS: Mr. Chairman, Members of
2 the Board, the District has had conversations
3 with the licensee and is not aware specifically
4 of his assertion to show up this morning --
5 here this morning. It appears, however,
6 (inaudible).

7 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Alright. Hold
8 on, please.

9 (Pause.)

10 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Alright. Mr.
11 Adams, can you please identify yourself for the
12 record, please.

13 MR. ADAMS: Good morning, Mr. Chairman
14 and Members of the Board. I am Walter Adams and
15 I represent the District of Columbia.

16 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Alright. The
17 first case on the calendar is Case No. 20-CMP-
18 00013. License No. 71793.

19 Any preliminary matters you would like
20 to bring to the attention of the Board, Mr.
21 Adams?

22 MR. ADAMS: No, Mr. Chairman. There
23 are no preliminary matters. The parties have not
24 -- cannot offer at this time an Offer in
25 Compromise.

1 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Okay. The
2 licensee is not here for this case and this
3 matter then will be scheduled for a show cause
4 hearing at a date to be determined.

5 The second case on our calendar, which
6 is the same licensee, is Case No. 20-AUD-00017.
7 License No. 71793.

8 Mr. Adams, can you please identify
9 yourself for the record, please.

10 MR. ADAMS: Yes, Mr. Chairman. I'm
11 Walter Adams for the District of Columbia.

12 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: And the licensee
13 is not here. I guess let me ask, Mr. Adams --
14 Mr. Adams, do you -- are you aware whether or not
15 the licensee was provided with -- provided notice
16 for this case?

17 MR. ADAMS: Yes, we are aware that the
18 licensee was provided notice for this, yes.

19 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Alright. This
20 matter then will be scheduled for a show cause
21 hearing at a date to be determined.

22 The third case on our calendar
23 regarding the same licensee is Case No. 20-CMP-
24 00037. The Ugly Mug. License No. 71793.

25 Again, Mr. Adams, can you please

1 identify yourself for the record, please.

2 MR. ADAMS: Mr. Chairman, I'm Walter
3 Adams representing the District of Columbia.

4 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: And, once again,
5 the licensee is not here. It's my understanding
6 notice was provided to the licensee for this
7 case. This matter then will be scheduled for a
8 show cause hearing at a date to be determined.

9 Thank you very much, Mr. Adams, for
10 your appearance this morning and have a great
11 day.

12 MR. ADAMS: You're welcome. Thank you
13 very much, Mr. Chairman.

14 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Alright. Thank
15 you. Alright. We're at the end of our morning
16 calendar. So, let's now do our legal agenda.

17 (Whereupon, at 10:42 o'clock a.m. the
18 hearing was adjourned.)

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