

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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Visionary Management :
Association, LLC, :
t/a Aurora Market :
500 Irving Street NW : Show Cause (Status)
Retailer A - AND 1E : Hearing
License #121619 :
Case # 22-CMP-00104 :
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(Permitted the :
Consumption of Alcohol :
Beverages on the Licensed:
Premises Under an :
Off-Premises License, :
Expansion to Another :
Floor) :
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Wednesday
April 3, 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
ANTHONY P. CELO, DC OAG

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

2 10:48 a.m.

3 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: The next case on  
4 our calendar is Case Number 22-CMP-00104, Aurora  
5 Market, License Number 121619.

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

8 MR. ORELLANA: The licensee does not  
9 appear to be in the waiting area.

10 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Thank you, sir.

11 Mr. Celo, can you please introduce  
12 yourself for the record?

13 MR. CELO: Assistant Attorney General  
14 Anthony Celo, A-N-T-H-O-N-Y C-E-L-O.

15 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Good morning  
16 again, sir.

17 This matter is scheduled for a show  
18 cause hearing on May 15, at 1:30 p.m. I once  
19 again would like to remind the parties that seven  
20 days prior to the hearing, the parties are  
21 required to exchange documents and witnesses that  
22 will be relied upon at the hearing.

23 Failure by either side to timely  
24 exchange documents and witnesses, unless good  
25 cause is shown, the Board is empowered to prevent

1 that side from relying on documents and witnesses  
2 that have not been previously, that have not been  
3 disclosed seven days prior to the hearing.

4 Any questions, sir?

5 MR. CELO: No, Mr. Chair.

6 I would note just for the Board's  
7 edification, that the parties have agreed to  
8 terms in principle, and we expect no IC to be  
9 submitted before the hearing.

10 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Well, thank you  
11 for that representation, sir.

12 (Whereupon, the above-entitled matter  
13 went off the record at 10:49 a.m.)  
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