DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA + + + + + ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE CONTROL BOARD + + + + + + ROLL CALL HEARING -----= IN THE MATTER OF: : Taphouse Management, LLC,:

t/a Tap 99 : 1250 Half Street SE : Roll Call Retailer CT - ANC 6D : Hearing License No. ABRA-116883 : Case #22-PRO-00020 : Substantial Change :

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Monday April 4, 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:

SEAN MORRIS, Applicant Counsel

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2	10:01 a.m.				
3	MS. FLETCHER: This is Case Number 22-				
4	PRO-00020, Taphouse Management, LLC, trading as				
5	Tap 99, 1250 Half Street, Southeast. License				
6	Number ABRA-116883.				
7	This is a Retailer Class CT				
8	substantial change for an entertainment				
9	endorsement for live entertainment inside the				
10	premises. The protest issues are adverse impact				
11	on peace, order, and quiet.				
12	My name is LaVerne Fletcher,				
13	conducting the roll call hearing as the Board's				
14	Agent.				
15	And who is present on behalf of the				
16	Applicant, please?				
17	MR. MORRIS: Good morning, Ms.				
18	Fletcher. This is Sean Morris from the Morris				
19	Law Firm, LLC, on behalf of the Applicant.				
20	MS. FLETCHER: Thank you, Mr. Morris.				
21	Would you spell your name for the record, please?				
22	MR. MORRIS: Yes. First name is Sean,				
23	S-E-A-N. Last name is Morris, M- like Mary, O-R-				
24	R-I-S.				
25	MS. FLETCHER: Mr. Morris, have you				
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had any communication with ANC 6D in this case? 1 2 MR. MORRIS: Yes, I have. Both my 3 client, as well as myself, have been in touch 4 with both the ANC, as well as the protest group. 5 And we are very close to having a cooperative agreement in place. I expect that it 6 7 will be finalized today or tomorrow. 8 That might be the reason that they 9 have -- are not in attendance today, is because 10 they felt that we were just about -- had that 11 resolved. 12 But yes, I have been in touch. 13 MS. FLETCHER: Okay. Well, that's --14 that's good. I will, I'll wait until 10:10. 15 We're required to wait at least ten minutes to 16 give everyone a chance to appear. 17 And so I'll wait until 10:10, Mr. And then I'll take into consideration 18 Morris. 19 what you just said. 20 Thank you, Ms. Fletcher. MR. MORRIS: 21 MS. FLETCHER: You're welcome. Oh, 22 and one thing I'll just say for the record. Mr. 23 Morris, that group that you're referring to, of 24 course, we both know we're referring to a group 25 of protestors in a different case for Tap 99,

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related to that after hours. 1 MR. MORRIS: Related to that 2 3 application, Ms. Fletcher. 4 MS. FLETCHER: And that group, just so 5 that you -- I think you know this already, but 6 just for the record, I'll say it. 7 That group of 29 is not a protestant 8 group in this case. But, I am aware that there 9 are two Tap 99 cases. And that one -- one settlement 10 11 agreement may resolve both. In which case, that 12 group would be a party to the settlement 13 agreement. 14 MR. MORRIS: That's my understanding 15 as well, Ms. Fletcher. 16 MS. FLETCHER: Okay. 17 Either that, if they --MR. MORRIS: 18 they are either going to be a party -- let me -just to be precise. 19 20 They are either going to be a party, 21 or their concerns will be resolved by the 22 cooperative agreement we enter into with the ANC. 23 MS. FLETCHER: Okay. 24 MR. MORRIS: In which case they have 25 indicated they will dismiss their protest.

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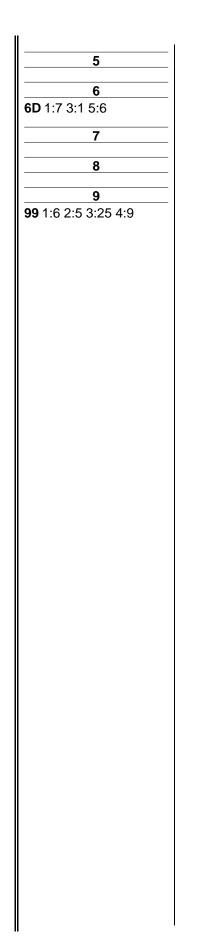
1	MS. FLETCHER: Oh, okay. Okay, thank				
2	you.				
3	(Long pause.)				
4	MS. FLETCHER: Well, it's about 10:10.				
5	And so, Mr. Morris, what happens next, is the				
6	ANC, that is ANC 6D, will have to be dismissed as				
7	a protestant because they're not present today.				
8	But, with the understanding that				
9	you're in the process of working on a settlement				
10	agreement, which may resolve this matter. So,				
11	the dismissal will the dismissal will be				
12	processed.				
13	But, you probably know that you would				
14	just go ahead and continue with your settlement				
15	agreement and submit it to the Board for				
16	approval.				
17	MR. MORRIS: Thank you, Ms. Fletcher.				
18	That's fine. We'll continue to work with the				
19	ANC, notwithstanding the dismissal.				
20	MS. FLETCHER: Exactly. Well then,				
21	with that understanding, Mr. Morris, we're done.				
22	MR. MORRIS: Okay. Well, you have a				
23	wonderful day.				
24	MS. FLETCHER: Well, you do the same.				
25	Take care.				
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1	MR. MORRIS: All right, thank you so
2	much.
3	MS. FLETCHER: You're welcome. The
4	roll call hearing is concluded.
5	(Whereupon, the above-entitled matter
6	went off the record at 10:09 a.m.)
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