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2 11:18 a.m.

3 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: All right. The
4 next case in our protest hearing status calendar,
5 case no. 22-PRO-00021. Union Oyster Bar and
6 Lounge, license no. 110747. Ms. Fashbaugh, can
7 you please elevate the rights of the parties in
8 this case, please?

9 MS. FASHBAUGH: The only person
10 present is Shyam Rao. Your rights have been
11 elevated. That is all.

12 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Thank you.
13 Shyam Rao, can you please, I can't see you. Can
14 you please. Do you have a camera? Yes, sir.
15 Can you please spell and state your name for the
16 record, please. You're on mute, sir. I can't
17 hear you.

18 MR. RAO: Yes. My first name is
19 Shyam, spelled S-H-Y-A-M, as in Mary. Last name
20 is R-A-O. I go by the name of Shyam Rao.

21 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: And what is
22 your relationship to this establishment, sir?

23 MR. RAO: I'm one of the members of
24 the Union Hospitality Group.

25 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: You're one of

1 the owners of the group, sir.

2 MR. RAO: Yes.

3 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Sir, this was
4 a substantial change application that was being
5 protested. And the protestant is not here. And
6 without, and I believe that the protestant had
7 contact. The protestant is not here. If the
8 protestant is not -- since the protestant is not
9 here, this matter was scheduled for a protest
10 hearing at, I'm sorry, a protest hearing status
11 for 10:30 this morning, it's 11:19, the
12 protestant is not here, and so I'm going to make
13 a motion that this protest be dismissed. And,
14 what that means, sir, and what this --

15 All right. Let me make the motion,
16 first, and then I'll explain to you. So I make
17 the motion that the protestant be dismissed based
18 on the failure off the protestant to show up at
19 the protest status hearing. Is there a second?

20 MEMBER CROCKETT: Ms. Crockett
21 seconds.

22 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Ms. Crockett
23 has seconded the motion. We will now have a roll
24 call vote on the motion. Mr. Short.

25 MEMBER SHORT: Mr. Short. I agree.

1 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Mr. Cato.

2 MEMBER CATO: Bobby Cato. I agree.

3 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Ms. Crockett.

4 MEMBER CROCKETT: Rafi Crockett. I
5 agree.

6 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Ms. Hansen.

7 MEMBER HANSEN: Jeni Hansen. I agree.

8 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Mr. Grandis.

9 MEMBER GRANDIS: Edward Grandis. I
10 agree.

11 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: And Mr.

12 Anderson. I agree. The matter passed 6, 0, 0.

13 All right. So, Mr. Rao, this is what this means.

14 The protestant will be given 10 days to give us
15 reason why they did not show up today. And, if
16 they do not respond with and file a motion for us
17 to reconsider within 10 days, based on their
18 failure to show today, the agency will move
19 forward with the process of towards approving
20 your substantial change request. Okay, sir?

21 So that's what it means. But the
22 protestant will have 10 days to respond. If not,
23 then the agency will move towards reviewing and
24 granting the application. All right? Thank you,
25 sir. Have a great day.

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MR. RAO: Thank you.

CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Bye-bye.

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