DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

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ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE CONTROL BOARD

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IN THE MATTER OF: :

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Beirut Nights, LLC : t/a Beirut Nights :

1025-1027 31st Street NW : Protest Retailer CR - ANC 2E : Hearing

License No. 120090 : Case #22-PRO-00019 :

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(Application for : New License) :

Wednesday
May 25, 2022

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:

SARAH FASHBAUGH, DC ABRA Staff

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CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: The second case on our afternoon agenda is Case Number 22-PRO-00019, Beirut Nights, License Number 120091. This case has been cancelled due to the approval of a Settlement Agreement. See Board Order Number 22-239.

We are now at the end of our calendar for the day. And I am going to close our meeting, adjourn our meeting for the day.

As the Chairperson for the Alcoholic Beverage Control Board for the District of Columbia, and in accordance with D.C. Official Code Section 2575B, and 2575B14 of the Open Meetings Act, I move that the ABC Board hold a closed meeting on June 8, 2022 for the purpose of discussing and hearing reports concerning ongoing or planned investigations of alleged criminal or civil misconduct, or violations of law or regulations, and seeking legal advice from our legal counsel on the matters identified on the Board's Legal License and Investigative Agenda for June 8, 2022 as published in the D.C. Register on June 3, 2022.

1	Is there a second?				
2	MEMBER GRANDIS: Ed Grandis, I second.				
3	MEMBER SHORT: Mr. Short, I second.				
4	CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Mr. Short and				
5	Mr. Grandis have seconded the motion. I will now				
6	take a roll call vote on the motion before us now				
7	that has been seconded.				
8	Mr. Short?				
9	MEMBER SHORT: Mr. Short, I agree.				
10	CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Mr. Cato?				
11	MEMBER CATO: Bobby Cato, I agree.				
12	CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Ms. Crockett?				
13	MEMBER CROCKETT: Rafi Crockett, I				
14	agree.				
15	CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Ms. Hansen?				
16	MEMBER HANSEN: Jeni Hansen, I agree.				
17	CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Mr. Grandis?				
18	MEMBER GRANDIS: Edward Grandis, I				
19	agree.				
20	CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: And Mr.				
21	Anderson, I agree. As it appears that the motion				
22	has passed six, zero, zero, I hereby give notice				
23	that the ABC Board will hold this closed meeting				
24	pursuant to the Open Meetings Act.				
25	Notice will also be posted on the ABC				

1 Board Hearing Room Bulletin Board, placed on the electronic calendar on ABRA's website, and 2 3 published in the D.C. Register in as timely a 4 manner as practical. 5 We are now adjourned for the day. Ι 6 would like to thank the Board Members, the 7 members of the public who participated in this hearing today. 8 9 And since we are now are adjourned for the day, I now direct all Board Members return to 10 executive session for further development. 11 12 Have a good morning and have a happy 13 holiday. Thank you. 14 (Whereupon, the above-entitled matter 15 went off the record at 12:25 p.m.) 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25

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This is to certify that the foregoing transcript

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Before: DC ABRA

Date: 05-25-22

Place: teleconference

was duly recorded and accurately transcribed under my direction; further, that said transcript is a true and accurate complete record of the proceedings.

Court Reporter

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