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ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE CONTROL BOARD

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MEETING

| IN THE MATTER OF: | $:$ |
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| Holiday Family Liquor, | $:$ |
| t/a Holiday Liquors | : |
| 3505 Wheeler Road, S.E. | Protest Status |
| License \#91095 | : Hearing |
| Retailer A - ANC 8C | $:$ |
| Case \#21-PRO-00025 | $:$ |
| (Application for License |  |
| Renewal) |  |

> Wednesday
> June 30,2021

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

## PRESENT:

DONOVAN W. ANDERSON, Chairperson
RAFI ALIYA CROCKETT, Member
EDWARD S. GRANDIS, Member
JENI HANSEN, Member
JAMES SHORT, JR., Member
ALSO PRESENT:
VICTORIA AKINSEYE, ANC 8C
SIMONE ANDREWS, DC ABRA Staff
VICTORIA BALL, Protestant
CHRISTOPHER CONRAD, Protestant
CASSANDRA HARRIS, Protestant
JERMAINE JORDEN, Protestant
KYUNG LEE, Applicant's Counsel
HAROLD TAYLOR, Protestant
P-R-O-C-E-E-D-I-N-G-S
10:43 a.m.

CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: All right. Our next case on our calendar is Case Number 21-PRO00025, Holiday Liquors, License Number 091095.

Ms. Andrews, can you please elevate the rights of the participants. Mr. Lee is also the Counsel, I realize. So Mr. Lee is the Counsel for the next two cases, and he can stay online for the next two cases, Ms. Andrews.

MS. ANDREWS: Okay.
CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Thank you.
MS. ANDREWS: Mr. Lee's rights have been elevated.

MR. LEE: Yes.
CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: So for this case, it's a group of five or more, and also ANC 8 C .

MS. ANDREWS: Yes, one second. There are a lot of call-ins for this case. Mr. Conrad, your rights have been elevated.

Mr. Conrad, you're unmuted, you can now unmute yourself.

Mr. Jordan, your line has been unmuted.

Mr. Taylor, your line has been unmuted.

Ms. Harris, your line has been unmuted.

Ms. Ball, your rights have been unmuted.

That's all, Mr. Chair.
CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: I need everyone, if you're not speaking, to please mute your telephone, please.

Mr. Conrad, do you have a camera? If you have a camera, can you turn your camera on please, sir? Mr. Conrad?

Ms. Andrews, has he unmuted himself, because I'm not hearing from him, although I think he

MS. ANDREWS: Yes, he has been unmuted. Mr. Conrad, you can announce yourself?

CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Mr. Conrad?
MS. ANDREWS: Mr. Conrad, is your device connected to a bluetooth, like, airpod or a bluetooth device? That may be what's happening. I think $I$ just want to call him.

CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: All right. I see him. Mr. Conrad?

MS. ANDREWS: He said he's going to call in. I'll ask all parties, if you are a call-in, please announce yourself and spell your name for the court reporter when called upon. Thank you.

Okay, Mr. Chair, I do see Mr. Conrad has called in. I'm going to unmute his line.

MR. LEE: Thank you.
MS. ANDREWS: And Mr. Conrad, you can announce yourself.

MR. CONRAD: Yes. Can you hear me now?

MS. ANDREWS: Yes.
CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: I can hear, Mr. Conrad.
(Simultaneous speaking.)
CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Okay, hold on.
MR. CONRAD: I apologize for the delay, we're having some technical difficulties with the WebEx platform on my computer. But we are present in our group of five.

CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: All right, hold on. Okay, good morning.

All right, good morning everyone. This is a protest hearing for Holiday Liquors.

The protest is from ANC, from Mr. Conrad, who is the designated representative of a group of five or more, and ANC 8C. I still do not -- ANC 8C is not on the call.

MS. AKINSEYE: I'm present.
CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: I'm sorry?
MS. AKINSEYE: This is Commissioner Victoria Akinseye from ANC 8C.

CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Okay, fine. All right, so let me have all the parties. Before we meet, it's my understanding that the group of five or more was given conditional standing at the roll call. It's also my understanding that Mr. Conrad was the only representative at the ANC. So I need four additional people from -- Mr. Conrad, you need to add four additional people from the ANC. State and spell you name for the record, please. MR. CONRAD: Yes, my name is

Christopher Conrad, C-H-R-I-S-T-O-P-H-E-R. My group of five is on the line.

CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Just hold on, sir, hold on.

So you're Christopher Conrad. And you are the designated representative for the group
of five or more. Is that correct?
MR. CONRAD: That is correct.
CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: So can you
please --
(Simultaneous speaking.)
CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Hello? Please, hello? Hello? I do not need --
(Simultaneous speaking.)
CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: I'm sorry, hello? Your phone lines are unmuted. I do not need anyone to speak until you are directed to speak. I can hear things in the background, so unless you are directed to speak while you're online, if you're going to speak, and you do not want us to hear what's being said, please mute your line.

I need Mr. Conrad to tell me to call who the additional members are. Once he calls your name, I need you then to come online and state and spell your name for the record.

So, Mr. Conrad, who is the first member of the group that is here today?

MR. CONRAD: Yes, I'm going to start off with Harold Taylor. I'll defer to Mr. Taylor.

CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: And, Mr. Taylor, can you please state and spell your name for the record, please?

MR. TAYLOR: Good morning, my name is Harold Taylor, H-A-R-O-L-D, first name, last name, $\mathrm{T}-\mathrm{A}-\mathrm{Y}-\mathrm{L}-\mathrm{O}-\mathrm{R}$.

CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: All right. Thank you. Mr. Conrad, who is the other member, sir?

MR. CONRAD: Yes, we have Cassandra Harris.

CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Ms. Harris, can you please spell and state your name for the record, please?

MS. HARRIS: Good morning. My name is Cassandra Harris, C-A-S-S-A-N-D-R-A, last name Harris, H-A-R-R-I-S.

CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Thank you. Mr. Harris, I'm sorry, Mr. Conrad, who is the next member, please?

MR. CONRAD: Yes, the next member is going to be Jermaine Jorden.

## CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Jermaine

 Jorden, can you please state and spell your name for the record, please?MR. JORDEN: Yes, sir, Jermaine Jordan, J-E-R-M-A-I-N-E, last name, J-O-R-D-E-N. CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Mr. Conrad, who is your next member, please?

MR. CONRAD: We have Victoria Ball.
CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Ms. Ball, can you please -- I'm sorry, can you please state and spell your name your name for the record, please?

MS. BALL: Yes, Victoria Ball, that's spelled V-I-C-T-O-R-I-A, last name Ball, B-A-L-L.

CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Good morning, Ms. Ball.

Mr. Conrad, are there any other members that you wish to identify?

MR. CONRAD: Yes, we may actually have a sixth, Chris Newton also signed. And so I'm not sure if he's present or whether his significant other is present, Shante.

CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Is that person on the line?
(No audible response.)
CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: All right, the person -- I'm sorry. All right.

MS. ANDREWS: Mr. Chair, I do not have a phone number for that person. So $I$ can't see.

CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: All right, thank you, Ms. Andrews.

The group of five or more only needed four members to be identified today. And the four other members Harold Taylor, Cassandra Harris, Jermaine Jorden, and Victoria Ball. So therefore, $I$ make a motion that full standing be granted to the group of five or more. Is there a second?

MEMBER SHORT: James Short, I second.
CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Ed Grandis will second.

MEMBER SHORT: Mr. Short, I second. CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Mr. Short and Mr. Grandis have seconded the motion. We'll now have a roll call vote on the motion that's been properly seconded.

Mr. Short?
MEMBER SHORT: Mr. Short, I agree.
CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Mr. -- I'm
sorry, Ms. Hansen?
MEMBER HANSEN: Jeni Hansen, I agree.
CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Ms. Crockett?
MEMBER CROCKETT: Rafi Crockett, I agree.

CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Mr. Grandis? MEMBER GRANDIS: Edward Grandis, I agree.

CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: And Mr. Anderson, I agree. The matter passes 5, 0, 0. So full standing is now granted to the group of five or more. And Christopher Conrad is the designated representative.

All right. So let me have the other parties identify themselves for the record, starting with the representative of the Licensee.

MR. LEE: Good morning, Board members. My name is Kyung Lee, K-Y-U-N-G L-E-E. I am an attorney for the Holiday Liquors.

CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Good morning, Mr. Lee.

MR. LEE: Good morning.
CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: And who do we have on the line from the ANC?

MS. AKINSEYE: Yes, good morning. My name is Commissioner Victoria Akinseye for 8C.

CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Can you spell your name, ma'am?

MS. AKINSEYE: Sure, first name is spelled V-I-C-T-O-R-I-A, last name is spelled A-

K-I-N-S-E-Y-E.
CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: And you
represent ANC 8C?
MS. AKINSEYE: Yes, that is correct. CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: All right, thank you. All right, are there any other preliminary matters that should be brought to the attention of the Board?

Let's start with you, Mr. Lee?
MR. LEE: Yes. We are currently working on the possible settlement agreement. And the Licensee suggested to meet before the protest hearing at the site so we just walk through it together. We suggest it, and we'll arrange a meeting with the ANC, and the group of five.

CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: All
right, thank you, Mr. Lee.
Mr., I'm sorry, Ms. Akinseye, are there any preliminary matters you want to bring to, at least from ANC's position, that you want to bring to the Board?

MS. AKINSEYE: No. We just haven't reached a settlement agreement at this time.

CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: All right,
thank you.
Mr. Conrad, are there any preliminary matters you want to bring to the attention of the Board?

MR. CONRAD: No, I agree with everything everyone's said. The agreement's still in process.

CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: All right then. Thank you, sir.

All right, $I$ encourage the parties to settle this matter if it can be settled. Because as I've always stated that you live in a community, you know what your concerns are. And it's better if you are able to come to a consensus on an agreement rather than leave it for the Board to make a decision. But if there is not agreement, then the Board will make its determination.

Mr. Conrad, I just want to let you know, just as an FYI, if there is a settlement agreement that's signed between the Licensee and the ANC, and if you can agree with the -- Mr. Lee, please put your line on mute, please. And if your group doesn't agree with the settlement agreement, by operation of law your protest will
fall.
So I just want to let you know that if there is a settlement agreement between the ANC and the Licensee, and if your group is not a part of the settlement agreement, or you do not agree with the settlement agreement, your right to protest this matter will fall by operation of law, just as an FYI. Okay, sir?

MR. CONRAD: Sounds good, sir, and I appreciate and understand that we are preempted by the ANC's decision in the settlement matters, and I believe that the ANC and the group of five are on the same page with regards to that.

CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: All right.
Thank you.
All right. This matter then is scheduled for a protest hearing on August 18th at 3:30 p.m., August 18th at 3:30 p.m. All right.

MR. LEE: Mr. Chair?
CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Yes, Mr. Lee?
MR. LEE: Yes, I just found that initially the group of five, there was four other people. Victoria Ball was not on the list of the protestant letter. So it was Christopher Newton (phonetic). But I think he is not there today.

So that is a factor, that full standing for group of five?

CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Mr. Lee?
MR. LEE: I just found it on the
letter here.
CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Mr. Lee, now I have the Protestants, all the names who made up this group.

MR. LEE: Okay.
CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: I had them go through all the names. You did not object. I made a motion to grant them standing. The Board voted to grant them standing. We have now moved almost to the end of the case, and now you're bringing to my attention, for the first time, that Victoria Ball did not sign the letter.

So, Mr. Conrad, can you please respond to the allegation that was made by Mr. Lee?

MR. CONRAD: Yes, Mr. Anderson. That is your position is mine, which is that the objection was untimely. In addition, these are members of the same household. So this is formalistic and not substantive in terms of the dispute.

CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: So, Mr. Conrad,
are you then stating that Ms. Ball did not sign the petition?

MR. CONRAD: Ms. Ball did not sign the petition. We thought that it was unnecessary to have multiple members of the same household sign the petition. Again, these are individuals that are at the same exact address.

And so I think today is mere issues of schedule convenience for Ms. Ball versus Mr. Newtown. Again, there was an opportunity to object on these kind of narrow formalistic grounds. And I see no basis to deny standing on really a mere technicality.

I'm happy to follow-up and amend the initial letter if that's necessary. Ms. Ball has offered to stand in the shoes of Mr. Newton if there's any issue.

But, you know, frankly I think we should try and get to the merits of this and try and get to a resolution for the community rather than quibbling over individuals in the same household and whether their name was or wasn't on the protest letter that was initially filed, especially after we've already granted conditional standing.

CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Mr. Conrad, is there anyone else on the line who has signed the petition who has not been represented so far?

MR. CONRAD: No, everybody is exactly the same. Mr. Taylor was on the --

CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: No, I'm sorry, sir. Do you have another member, do you have another member who has signed the petition who has not been identified so far through this hearing who's on the line?

MR. CONRAD: Oh, no, no, no. So we stopped at five, and the only issue is, as I understand Mr. Lee's point, the fifth individual and Ms. Ball are of the same household which, again, $I$ think is a more formalistic issue that we can resolve beyond that as needed.

CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Mr. Lee, any other comments you want to make before I make a recommendation of what we're going to do, sir?

MR. LEE: I just recall both the decision about the resignation (audio interference) of Protestant that's missing, and then there is kind of replacement for that. And I didn't mention about the first time, after the (audio interference) just follow-up and (audio
interference). And I found that, sir. It's up to the Board to just follow that.

CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: All right. Mr.
Conrad, the regulation requires, and it's not procedural, sir, it's substantive. Although Mr. Lee was late in bringing this to the Board's attention, it's because of the substantive, it's a substantive violation.

And it is required by the law that, for a group of five or more, five people must be at the roll call hearing. I'm sorry, either at the roll call hearing or at the status hearing. And all five people must sign the petition. At the roll call hearing, you were the only person at the roll call hearing, and the other four people were not there.

You were specifically informed by the Board's agent that four additional members must be present today at the roll call, at the status hearing. Unfortunately, you did not present four members today at the status hearing who had signed the petition.

And although the Board had granted standing, full standing to your group, the Board has to legally, by law, has to revisit this
issue.
And so therefore, $I$ am making a motion that because Ms. Ball did not sign the petition, and -- because she did not sign the petition, and by law, in order for the group to be granted standing, all four members today should have been on the petition. And they are not.

So I will ask to make a motion that the Board now deny standing to the group of five or more, because they have not complied with the regulation that all five members who are present between the roll call and the status hearing be present. I ask is there a second.

MEMBER GRANDIS: Yes, sir. I second it.

CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Mr. Grandis has seconded the motion. I will now take a roll call on the motion. Mr. Short?

MEMBER SHORT: Mr. Short, I agree.
CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Ms. Crockett?
MEMBER CROCKETT: Rafi Crockett, I agree.

CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Ms. Hansen?
MEMBER HANSEN: Jeni Hansen, I agree.
CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Mr. Anderson,

I agree. The matter passed 5, 0, 0. And so the Board will not grant full standing to the Conrad group. However, Mr. Conrad, the Board will issue a decision, and we'll issue a decision, and you have ten days to ask the Board to reconsider its determination.

So if you have any legal reasons why you believe that the decision that the Board made this morning, you have ten days to appeal our decision, and the Board will reconsider its position, sir.

One thing I'll say to you, if standing is not granted to your group, you can still work with the ANC. And if it goes to a protest hearing you can still, the ANC can contact you or other members of your group as witnesses or you can still work with the ANC on a settlement agreement. But currently, you do not have standing as a group of five or more to participate in this matter formally, sir.

Mr. Conrad?
MR. CONRAD: Okay. So I understand that this a case that's moving forward, but without the group of five and only being prosecuted, so to speak, by the ANC. Is that
correct?
CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Yes, sir. However, as I stated before, you have ten days where the Board will -- you will get a written decision, and you have ten days to ask the Board to reconsider its position.

And whatever arguments that you want to make, if you decide to contest the decision by the Board, you can do so. You have ten days once we issue the decision in writing to contest that.

MR. CONRAD: Yes, sir. Can I ask on which grounds are bases for overturning the decision? Mr. Newton is, you know, they have a newborn, and this is the reason why there was a changeout in the individual that was representing that household. I just want to understand what good cause constitutes in this context, sir.

CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Well, I don't know what, $I$ can't tell you, sir, what the cause you have to, you have to tell us.

But the regulation clearly states that, the group of five or more, that they have to sign the petition. And they have to sign the petition, and all five members must appear. All five members who signed the petition must appear
either at the roll call hearing or at the status hearing.

So we give you two opportunities for the five members. Also, if you if you review the code, the code will provide you, our regulations will provide you the condition of what is considered good cause so -
(Simultaneous speaking)
CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Yes, so the regulations will give you examples of what's considered good cause. Unfortunately, at least your oral reason right now is not sufficient. It's not one of the conditions listed.

But you can revisit the regulation, and it will provide you with what's considered good cause. And if one of those conditions exist, the Board will revisit its position. But as I stated before, once we issue this written decision, you have ten days, sir, to contest it and give us good cause why we should change our decision.

MR. CONRAD: Yes, sir. Now can I ask one more question, Mr. Anderson?

CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Yes, sir.
MR. CONRAD: Is there any means by
which we can retroactively amend the original petition so as to bring into compliance Ms. Ball's appearance here today?

CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: No, sir. It is too late. You cannot amend the petition. You have 45 days. The petition clearly states that the parties have 45 days to contest, to protest the renewal or the issuance of the license. And if we do not receive that notice within the 45day timeline, you have lost that right.

So no, you are unable to amend. If the 45 days had not expired, then yes, you can amend it if it was within the 45 days through the petition period. But since the 45 days has expired, you are unable to, right. You cannot go back and retroactively amend the petition, sir.

MR. CONRAD: I understand completely, Mr. Anderson. And I apologize, I have one last question, and then I will stop pestering you, but I just

CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: No, sir. Not a problem, ask as many questions. I don't want anyone to ever say that they were denied standing and that the Board did not listen to their position. So what other questions do you have,
sir?
MR. CONRAD: Yes, sir, thank you. I appreciate the time. May the ANC proceed with, can they proceed represented in the matter ahead without the group of five, meaning can they acquire a pro bono counsel for example?

CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: I'm sorry, can they do what?

MR. CONRAD: Can they be counseled, the ANC members, do they have to prosecute the protest individually or can they do so with the assistance of counsel?

CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: No, it's between you and the ANC, sir. So the ANC can do whatever it wants to do. So the ANC, if the ANC is, they have standing to represent the community. And if the ANC so designates you, or the ANC decides that, well, at least through -the ANC votes and decides that you are counsel or you represent them and they advise us this is what their position is, that's up to the ANC.

So you can speak to the ANC, and the ANC can advise us what it is that's their position. But that's not up to the Agency to tell the ANC who they can utilize. As long as
the ANC provides written notice to us who is their designated representative is, then that's up to the ANC.

Or if we have a protest hearing, the ANC can do whatever it wants to do. But as long as reasonable notice is provided to the Agency, the Agency will never question the authority of the ANC in who it is that they're going to use to represent them, sir.

MR. CONRAD: Thank you for the thorough response, Mr. Anderson. So I understand that any of the ANCs that are connected with this matter, they represent me and delegate me to prosecute the action on their behalf if that is their decision.

CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: If that is their decision, sir, that is the decision of the ANC. And the Agency will not question the decision of the ANC as long as it provides to us, in writing, who their representative is, sir.

MR. CONRAD: All right, sounds good. Thank you very much, Mr. Anderson. I appreciate your guidance on this matter. And I want to confirm with the rest of the Board if that's the case.

CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Mr. Conrad, I speak for the Board, and so it's not up to each individual Board member to respond to you, sir. Unfortunately, that's the way this works.

MR. CONRAD: No, that's okay. That's okay.

CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: The Board members --
(Simultaneous speaking.)
CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: The Board members can, if there is a question presented then, if a Board member wants to speak, then I will authorize them to speak, sir. We have some procedures that we follow here, and that's how it is. So I speak for the Board. And as you see, a decision was made, and the Board voted to confirm the decision on the recommendation of the Chair, sir. And it was --

MR. CONRAD: Oh, that's absolutely
fine. No, no, I'm not asking for any sort of relitigation of the decision on the group of five standing. I just want to confirm that $I$ can, in fact, be delegated, that the ANC can delegate their responsibilities to me. And you confirmed that, so $I$ appreciate that.

CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: You're welcome.
All right.
Okay, so are there any other preliminary matters by either the ANC or by the Applicant?

MR. LEE: No, that's all.
CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Ms. Akinseye?
Ms. Akinseye?
MS. AKINSEYE: Yes, I'm here.
CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: All right.
Now, are there any other preliminary matters that you wish to raise, ma'am?

MS. AKINSEYE: No, just that we haven't come to a settlement agreement yet with Holiday Liquor. That's it.

CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: All right, that's fine.

All right. As I stated before, this matter is scheduled for a protest hearing on August 18th at 3:30 p.m.

All right. Now that we have scheduled this matter for a protest hearing, there a few things that $I$ would like to instruct you about, because the work practices under the COVID-19 restrictions have changed.

As you know, the Board's hearings are conducted virtually. So it is more important than ever that the protest hearings are focused and address only those issues that are being protested.

Following this hearing you will receive an email from Assistant General Counsel April Randall that will include a copy of a protest information form, PIF, and a copy of an exhibit form, as well as specific instructions for the hearing.

You are required to complete the PIF, complete and submit the PIF and exhibit forms at least seven days before the date of the hearing. If we do not receive a copy of your forms seven days before the hearing, your application or your protest may be subject to dismissal.

These documents need to be submitted to abra.legal@dc.gov and to the opposing parties. Please note that these documents greatly assist the Board in narrowing the protest issues, facilitating the process, and keeping the parties on point during the hearing.

Each side is limited to no more than five witnesses, and you will only have 60 minutes
to present your case. This includes all direct and cross examination. The Board does not intend to hear testimony in matters that are not relevant to those issues that are being protested.

Are there any questions?
MS. AKINSEYE: No.
CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Hearing none, Mr. Lee, no?

MR. LEE: There are none.
CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: All right. We thank you greatly for your cooperation. If at any time you have any questions, if you have any questions that are timely enough for the hearing, please do not hesitate to contact Assistant General Counsel April Randall at 202-329-6354 or contact her by email.

Thank you very much. Again, I ask the Board to a support settlement agreement with the parties. If the parties are able to settle this matter, then the Board welcomes that. If the parties are unable to settle this matter, then we will have a protest hearing.

And as I stated, Mr. Conroy, you have ten days once the decision is written to give the

Board good cause why we should revisit not providing standing to your group, sir. Okay, sir?

MR. CONRAD: Thanks very much. CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: All right, thank you.

All right. You can stay on the line, Mr. Lee.

So we will now move to -- so all the other parties are dismissed. And I'm about to call the next case.
(Whereupon, the above-entitled matter went off the record at 11:17 a.m.)

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