

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
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ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE CONTROL BOARD
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ROLL CALL HEARING

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IN THE MATTER OF: :
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Kookoovaya, Inc. :
t/a We, The Pizza :
305 Pennsylvania Ave SE : Roll Call
Retailer CR - ANC 6B : Hearing
License No. 082062 :
Case #22-PRO-00057 :
 :
(License Renewal) :
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Tuesday
July 5, 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:

BRIAN READY, ANC 6B

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

2 10:09 a.m.

3 MS. FLETCHER: The next case on the
4 calendar is We, The Pizza. This is Case No. 22-
5 PRO-00057, Kookoovaya, Inc. I hope I pronounced
6 that correctly. I don't know. But it's
7 Kookoovaya, Inc., 305 Pennsylvania Avenue, S.E.,
8 License No. ABRA-082062. This is a Retailer
9 Class CR. This is a license renewal. And the
10 protest issues are adverse impact on peace,
11 order, and quiet.

12 Is anyone present on behalf of We, The
13 Pizza? Is anyone present on behalf of ANC 6B?
14 Mr. Ready, are you still here?

15 Okay. So what has happened, Brian
16 Ready, ANC 6B, was just present for the previous
17 case. I believe he signed off because he
18 realized his first case was over but not that he
19 needed to stay on the line for his second case.
20 And so I am not going to dismiss ANC 6B. I'm
21 sure Mr. Ready just did not understand that he
22 needed to stay on the line.

23 When I concluded the other case, we
24 said goodbye, and he signed off. Otherwise, I
25 believe that he would be present. And so I am

1 not going to dismiss ANC 6B as a protestant. I
2 am going to grant standing to ANC 6B as a
3 protestant for the reason that I just explained.

4 Is anyone present on behalf of We, The
5 Pizza? Thank you. I'm going to conclude the
6 case of We, The Pizza for the moment. And I am
7 going to recall the case of -- no, I'm not going
8 to recall the case of Il Canale until 10:15. The
9 time is approximately 10:11.

10 (Whereupon, the above-entitled matter
11 went off the record at 10:11 a.m. and resumed at
12 10:15 a.m.)

13 MS. FLETCHER: I am recalling the case
14 of We, The Pizza. Is anyone present on behalf of
15 We, The Pizza?

16 The application in this matter is
17 dismissed because the Applicant is not present
18 today. ANC 6B has standing as a protestant. The
19 protest issues are adverse impact on peace,
20 order, and quiet. This matter is concluded.

21 (Whereupon, the above-entitled matter
22 went off the record at 10:16 a.m.)
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| a.m 2:2 3:11,12,22 above-entitled 3:10,21 ABRA 1:16 ABRA-082062 2:8 adverse 2:10 3:19 Agent 1:14,16 Alcoholic 1:2,13 ANC 1:7,18 2:13,16,20 3:1,2,18 Applicant 3:17 application 3:16 approximately 3:9 Ave 1:7 Avenue 2:7 | I | S | |
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| behalf 2:12,13 3:4,14 believe 2:17,25 Beverage 1:2,13 Board 1:2,13 Board's 1:14,16 Brian 1:18 2:15 | J | T | |
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C E R T I F I C A T E

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In the matter of: We, The Pizza

Before: DCABRA

Date: 07-05-22

Place: teleconference

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Court Reporter

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