

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA  
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ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE CONTROL BOARD  
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MEETING

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IN THE MATTER OF:                   :  
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Family's Corporation                :  
t/a My Canton Restaurant           :  
1772 Columbia Road NW             :  
Retailer CR - ANC 1C               :  
License #75479                      :  
Case #19-251-00107                 :  
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(Failed to Allow an ABRA           :  
Investigator to Enter or           :  
Inspect Without Delay)             :  
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Wednesday  
August 4, 2021

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:

SIMONE ANDREWS, DC ABRA Staff

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

2 1:36 p.m.

3 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Good afternoon  
4 everyone, and welcome to the afternoon session of  
5 the ABC Board. My name is Donovan Anderson, I'm  
6 chairman of the board, we have five other members  
7 who are joining us this afternoon. They're James  
8 Short, Mr. Bobby Cato, Ms. Rafi Crockett, Ms.  
9 Jeni Hansen, and Mr. Edward Grandis. We have six  
10 board members today, so therefore we do have a  
11 quorum to conduct business.

12 Before we get started with this  
13 afternoon session, I would like to make a few  
14 instructions very clear, so that the conduct of  
15 these hearings is understood by everyone. There  
16 are three cases on our calendar. Once your case  
17 is called, I will take a moment for our IT  
18 specialist to elevate the rights for each party  
19 to enable their camera and microphone. Then, and  
20 only then, will you have the ability to enable  
21 your equipment.

22 If your case is not being heard, you  
23 will remain mute, and your camera will be  
24 disabled. At the conclusion of each case, the  
25 parties will have the option to leave. If the

1 party chooses to stay, all cameras and  
2 microphones when they conclude the case will be  
3 disabled. Should you have any questions or  
4 require technical assistance for the hearing,  
5 please submit them using the question and answer  
6 feature or email [simone.andrews2@dc.gov](mailto:simone.andrews2@dc.gov).

7 All right, our first order of business  
8 for this afternoon is a show cause hearing, the  
9 first case on our calendar is case number 19-251-  
10 00107, My Canton Restaurant, license number  
11 75479. This hearing is cancelled due to  
12 submission of an offer in compromise for the  
13 board's consideration and approval. The offer in  
14 compromise was accepted by the board and read in  
15 the record six to nothing this morning on our  
16 legal calendar.

17 (Whereupon, the above-entitled matter  
18 went off the record at 1:38 p.m.

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<b>A</b>	<b>Delay</b> 1:10 <b>disabled</b> 2:24 3:3 <b>DISTRICT</b> 1:1 <b>Donovan</b> 1:15,17 2:5 <b>due</b> 3:11	<b>morning</b> 3:15 <b>mute</b> 2:23	<b>technical</b> 3:4 <b>three</b> 2:16 <b>today</b> 2:10
<b>ABC</b> 2:5 <b>ability</b> 2:20 <b>above-entitled</b> 3:17 <b>ABRA</b> 1:9,23 <b>accepted</b> 3:14 <b>afternoon</b> 2:3,4,7,13 3:8 <b>Alcoholic</b> 1:2,14 <b>ALIYA</b> 1:18 <b>Allow</b> 1:9 <b>ANC</b> 1:7 <b>Anderson</b> 1:15,17 2:3,5 <b>ANDREWS</b> 1:23 <b>answer</b> 3:5 <b>approval</b> 3:13 <b>assistance</b> 3:4 <b>August</b> 1:12	<b>E</b>	<b>N</b>	<b>U</b>
<b>B</b>	<b>Edward</b> 1:19 2:9 <b>elevate</b> 2:18 <b>email</b> 3:6 <b>enable</b> 2:19,20 <b>Enter</b> 1:10 <b>equipment</b> 2:21	<b>name</b> 2:5 <b>number</b> 3:9,10 <b>NW</b> 1:7	<b>understood</b> 2:15
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*Neal R Gross*

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Court Reporter

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