

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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Booeymonger of Georgetown: :  
Corporation, t/a : :  
Booeymonger Restaurant : :  
3265 Prospect Street NW : Show Cause  
Retailer DR - ANC 2E : Hearing (Status)  
License #102904 : :  
Case #20-CMP-00102 : :  
: :  
(Failed to Comply with : :  
the Mayor's Orders) : :  
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Wednesday  
September 29, 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
- STEPHEN ORTIZ, DC OAG

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

2 10:59 a.m.

3 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: All right, the  
4 next case in our calendar is Case Number 20-CMP-  
5 00102, Boeeymonger Restaurant. License Number  
6 102904.

7 Ms. Andrews, can you please elevate  
8 the rights of the parties in this case please?

9 MS. ANDREWS: Sure. Standby. Mr.  
10 Chair, it doesn't look like there are any parties  
11 here for this case.

12 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: All right. Mr.  
13 Ortiz, can you state your name for the record  
14 please?

15 MR. ORTIZ: Stephen Ortiz on behalf of  
16 the District of Columbia. S-T-E-P-H-E-N, O-R-T-  
17 I-Z.

18 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: All right,  
19 thank you, sir. All right, now this is a show  
20 cause hearing status. So this matter then is  
21 scheduled for a show cause hearing on October  
22 27th, 2021 at 10:30 a.m.

23 I expect that the Government is aware  
24 of their, of the procedures. And I expect that,  
25 I know that the licensee was informed of the date

1 and time of this show cause hearing status, but  
2 it's not required for them to be here.

3 MR. ORTIZ: I want to rely that the  
4 parties have reached an offer in compromise, and  
5 so the Board should expect an offer in compromise  
6 for Board approval some time in the near future.

7 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: All right,  
8 thank you for that representation, Mr. Ortiz.  
9 And now, is this your case?

10 MR. ORTIZ: This is not my case  
11 either. This is my colleagues.

12 (Laughter.)

13 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: You know, I'm  
14 just having too much fun with you because I'm  
15 saying now, because you're offering a whole lot  
16 of information, so that's why.

17 MR. ORTIZ: I just know the questions,  
18 Mr. Chairperson, you're going to ask so I always  
19 like to be prepared in these proceedings. And  
20 so, it just makes it easier for everyone.

21 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: All right,  
22 thank you very much, Mr. Ortiz, for your  
23 representation and participation.

24 I'm looking at the rest of the  
25 calendar for the morning and I see that I have no

1 further matters for you to be here, so, at least  
2 during the morning session. Thank you very much,  
3 sir, for your appearance this morning and have a  
4 great day.

5 MR. ORTIZ: And thank you all as well.  
6 And I'll see you this afternoon.

7 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: All right.

8 MEMBER GRANDIS: Mr. Chairman?

9 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Yes. Yes, Mr.  
10 Grandis.

11 MEMBER GRANDIS: May I make just a  
12 small comment?

13 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Yes, Mr.  
14 Grandis.

15 MEMBER GRANDIS: Mr. Ortiz, we really  
16 enjoy your participation and you've always been  
17 very helpful in us understanding the Government's  
18 position. But you are the attorney of record  
19 today and so I think it's just easier for you  
20 just to say that because this is being recorded  
21 and it's viewed by the public around the world.

22 So we really understand that you may  
23 not be the attorney assigned, but you are the  
24 attorney of record today.

25 MR. ORTIZ: Understood.

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MEMBER GRANDIS: Thank you.

MR. ORTIZ: Thank you.

CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Thank you, Mr.  
Ortiz.

(Whereupon, the above-entitled matter  
went off the record at 11:02 a.m.)

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