

**THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE CONTROL BOARD**

In the Matter of:)
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To the Heavens, LLC)
t/a Grand Duchess)
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Holder of a)
Retailer's Class CT License)
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at premises)
2337 18th Street, NW)
Washington, D.C. 20009)
)

License No.: ABRA-106575
Order No.: 2022-045

To the Heavens, LLC, t/a Grand Duchess, Licensee

Fiona Clem, Chairperson, Advisory Neighborhood Commission (ANC) 1C

Denis James, President, Kalorama Citizens Association (KCA)

BEFORE: Donovan Anderson, Chairperson
James Short, Member
Bobby Cato, Member
Rafi Crockett, Member
Jeni Hansen, Member
Edward S. Grandis, Member

ORDER ON SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT

The official records of the Alcoholic Beverage Control Board (Board) reflect that To the Heavens, LLC, t/a Grand Duchess (Licensee), ANC 1C, and KCA have entered into a Settlement Agreement (Agreement), dated January 30, 2022, that governs the operations of the Licensee's establishment.

The Agreement has been reduced to writing and has been properly executed and filed with the Board. The Licensee; Chairperson Fiona Clem, on behalf of ANC 1C; and Denis James, on behalf of KCA; are signatories to the Agreement.

Accordingly, it is this 9th day of February 2022, **ORDERED** that:

1. The above-referenced Settlement Agreement submitted by the parties to govern the operations of the Licensee's establishment is **APPROVED** and **INCORPORATED** as part of this Order;
2. This Settlement Agreement replaces and supersedes previous Settlement Agreements between the parties; and
3. Copies of this Order shall be sent to the Licensee, ANC 1C, and KCA.

District of Columbia
Alcoholic Beverage Control Board

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Pursuant to D.C. Official Code § 25-433(d)(1), any party adversely affected may file a Motion for Reconsideration of this decision within ten (10) days of service of this Order with the Alcoholic Beverage Regulation Administration, 2000 14th Street, N.W., Suite 400S, Washington, DC 20009.

Also, pursuant to section II of the District of Columbia Administrative Procedure Act, Pub. L. 90-614, 82 Stat. 1209, D.C. Official Code § 2-510 (2001), and Rule 15 of the District of Columbia Court of Appeals, any party adversely affected has the right to appeal this Order by filing a petition for review, within thirty (30) days of the date of service of this Order, with the District of Columbia Court of Appeals, 430 E Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20001; (202/879- 1010). However, the timely filing of a Motion for Reconsideration pursuant to 23 DCMR § 1719.1 (2008) stays the time for filing a petition for review in the District of Columbia Court of Appeals until the Board rules on the motion. See D.C. App. Rule 15(b) (2004).

**NEW SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT CONCERNING
ABC LICENSE FOR SALE OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES**

NEW AGREEMENT, made this 30 day of January 2022, by and among To The Heavens, LLC, t/a Grand Duchess (hereinafter "Applicant"), Advisory Neighborhood Commission 1C (hereinafter "ANC 1C"), and the Kalorama Citizens Association (hereinafter "KCA") (collectively, the "Parties"), witnesseth:

Whereas, Applicant is holder of CT-01, Retailer's Class "C" Tavern License Number ABRA-1065 at the address 2337 18th St. NW. and is the successor to the businesses Last Laugh, LLC, t/a High Dive, and Biznich, Inc., t/a Pharmacy Bar, at that same address, for which exist prior to this new agreement, two Settlement Agreements (approved by Board Order number 2005-41) and an amendment to those agreements, approved by Board Order number 2015-541. The parties wish to create this new settlement agreement to supersede all previous agreements between the parties.

Whereas, the restaurant and bar is located within the boundaries of ANC 1C and is within the membership boundaries of the KCA.

Whereas, the parties desire to enter into this New Agreement whereby Applicant agrees to adopt certain measures to address concerns of ANC 1C and KCA and to include this Agreement as a formal condition of its application to the Alcoholic Beverage Regulation Administration ("ABRA"). ANC 1C and KCA agree to the approval of these changes to the license, provided that this Agreement is incorporated into the Alcoholic Beverage Control Board's order approving such application.

Now, therefore, in consideration of the mutual covenants and undertakings memorialized herein, the Parties hereby agree as follows:

1. Operation

Applicant agrees to maintain a kitchen and kitchen staff for the preparation and service of prepared food menu items, and to promote food as part of the establishment's identity and essential offerings.

Applicant agrees to abide by all sections of D.C. laws and regulations with regard to "Taverns".

2. Hours of Operation

Hours of Operation - Inside

Sunday - Thursday: 6:00 am - 2:00 am

Friday and Saturday: 6:00 am - 3:00 am

Hours of Operation - Outside, on Sidewalk Cafe

Applicant may operate a sidewalk cafe in front of the premises during the following hours:

Sunday - Thursday: 6:00 am - 12:00 midnight

Friday and Saturday: 6:00 am - 2:00 am

Applicant agrees to not commence sale or service of alcoholic beverages until 8 am, either inside or on the Sidewalk Cafe.

Last call will be announced a half hour prior to closing, each night of operation.

There shall be no entertainment on the sidewalk cafe.

Applicant may register to participate in the "Holiday Extension of Hours" program listed by the Alcoholic Beverage Regulation Administration.

Applicant agrees to a daily one-hour extension of hours only, for its participation in the ABRA "Holiday Extension of Hours" program and may operate during those hours for only all the Fridays and Saturdays of any Holiday listed in the program, plus New Year's Eve until 4 am, no matter what day of the week it falls upon.

The Sidewalk Cafe and any other outside space shall not be included in the "Holiday Extension of Hours" program for the Applicant but shall operate only those hours listed elsewhere in this agreement.

3. Occupancy

The Applicant's inside capacity is forty-eight (48).

The Applicant's outside (Sidewalk Cafe) capacity is fourteen (14).

4. Entertainment

Applicant agrees that the establishment will not operate as a dance hall or music venue promoting amplified live music. Applicant agrees that any live music that is offered will include no more than three unamplified instruments. Vocal performances that occur with unamplified instruments may be amplified. Applicant agrees that any live music that is offered inside the establishment will comply with pertinent DC noise regulations.

There shall be no cover charges associated with entertainment at the establishment except for "special events," such as art shows or fundraisers, in which tables and seating can be moved to allow for better flow and ambiance within the establishment. There shall be no more than eight (8) "special events" allowed each month. Applicant agrees to maintain a logbook of the events described above and to provide the information at the request of ABRA investigators.

Entertainment at the establishment shall conclude one hour before closure each night of operation.

Doors and windows of the establishment shall be closed at any time that entertainment is being provided, except that doors may be opened only for ingress and egress when patrons are actually entering or exiting the establishment.

5. Noise

Applicant acknowledges familiarity with and agrees to comply with all applicable noise-control provisions of District of Columbia law and regulations. Applicant expressly agrees:

To prevent emissions of sound, capable of being heard outside the premises, by any amplification device or other device or source of sound or noise, in accordance with DC Official Code, section 25-725. Further, the Applicant agrees to abide by all relevant provisions of the DC Noise Control Act of 1977 (DC Law 2-53), including 20 DCMR, Chapters 27 and 28, as amended.

Sound from inside will not be audible in residential housing units.

6. Trash/Garbage/Rodents

Applicant shall maintain regular trash/garbage removal service, regularly remove trash from the trash and dumpster area, and see that the trash and dumpster areas remain clean. Frequency of pick-ups shall be half the days of operation or half the days of operation plus one, per week, depending on the number of days of operation per week of the establishment. Should Applicant's dumpsters not be adequate to contain the amount of trash generated, additional pick-ups shall be called for immediately. Applicant shall deposit trash and garbage only in rodent-proof dumpsters and shall see that dumpster covers fit properly and remain fully closed except when trash or garbage is being added or removed. Applicant shall make every reasonable effort to eliminate food sources for rodents to help eliminate the rat population.

Applicant shall paint the name of the establishment on their dumpsters, trash containers and recycling containers. No trash, garbage, waste or recycling shall ever be placed in another businesses' containers.

Applicant agrees to segregate recyclables from trash and to recycle cardboard, plastic bottles, jars and other containers as well as glass bottles and other glass refuse. Applicant agrees not to dispose of bottles and recyclables in a manner that would have an adverse effect on peace, order and quiet in the neighborhood and shall not dispose of bottles and recyclables in dumpsters between the hours of 11:00 pm and 8:00 am.

Applicant agrees not to place or cause to be placed any fliers, handbills or other similar advertisements in the public space, specifically on lampposts, street signs or any vehicle parked in the public space.

Applicant will provide for the proper removal of grease and fatty oils from the establishment and will not deposit grease or fatty oils in the trash dumpsters.

7. Exterior including public space

Applicant shall assist in the maintenance of the alleyway behind and the space in front of the establishment to at least 18 inches outward from the curb as needed to keep them free of trash and to remove snow and ice from the sidewalk and comply with all applicable DC laws and regulations in these respects.

Applicant shall make every reasonable effort to prevent or disperse loitering or any other source of noise or disturbance in the areas to the front and the rear of the premises during business hours and at closing, and to cause patrons to leave those areas quietly at closing.

Applicant shall make every effort to prevent the formation of a line either on the stairway into the establishment, or on the sidewalk in front of the establishment due to fire safety and noise concerns and the obstruction of the pedestrian passageway.

8. Third Party Events

Applicant agrees to operate the establishment under the terms of its license and will not rent out the establishment to third parties for events where the owner/manager is not present and managing the business.

9. Bar/Pub Crawls

Applicant agrees not to promote or participate in bar or pub "crawls", "tours", or similar events.

10. Consideration of Neighbors

Applicant will encourage employees and patrons to be considerate of neighboring residents at all times. Applicant will encourage employees and patrons leaving the establishment to keep conversations and noise to a minimum from 11:00 pm. to 8:00 am.

11. Modification

This Agreement can be modified only by the ABC Board, by mutual agreement of all the parties with the approval of the ABC Board, or as required by DC law. In the case of ANC 1C, any modification must be approved by a majority of the commissioners at a duly noticed public meeting, a quorum being present.

12. Regulations

In addition to the foregoing, Applicant shall operate in compliance with all applicable laws and regulations. Further, nothing in this Agreement shall preclude ANC or KCA from filing an objection to any request by the Applicant to the Board of Zoning Adjustment.


13. Availability of Settlement Agreement

Applicant agrees to keep available at all times a copy of this Agreement at the establishment and shall familiarize all employees with its conditions.

14. Final Agreement and Modification.

This agreement supersedes any other prior agreements concerning this license, and shall constitute the only agreement between the Parties, except to the extent it is subsequently modified by the Parties. For purposes of DC Official Code Section §25-446(d)(2)(B), the date of the ABC Board's approval of this agreement shall be considered its initial approval of this Agreement and shall commence the applicable period.

For To The Heavens. LLC

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Vinnie Rotondaro, Owner 1/30/2022 Date

For ANC 1C


Fiona Clum, Chairperson, ANC 1C 2/2/2022 Date

For Kalorama Citizens Association


Denis James, President 2-1-2022 Date

**THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE CONTROL BOARD**

In the Matter of:)	
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Last Laugh, LLC)	
t/a High Dive)	
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Applicant for Substantial Change)	Case No. 15-PRO-00068
(Sidewalk Café))	License No. ABRA-097821
to a Retailer's Class CT License)	Order No. 2015-541
)	
at premises)	
2337 18th Street, N.W.)	
Washington, D.C. 20009)	

Last Laugh, LLC, t/a High Dive (Applicant)

Ted Guthrie, Commissioner, Advisory Neighborhood Commission (ANC) 1C

Denis James, on behalf of A Group of Three Individuals

Denis James, President, Kalorama Citizens Association (KCA)

BEFORE: Donovan Anderson, Chairperson
Nick Alberti, Member
Mike Silverstein, Member
Ruthanne Miller, Member
James Short, Member

**ORDER ON FIRST AMENDMENT TO SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT AND
WITHDRAWAL OF PROTESTS**

The Application filed by Last Laugh, LLC, t/a High Dive, for a Substantial Change to include a Sidewalk Café to its Retailer's Class CT License, having been protested, came before the Alcoholic Beverage Control Board (Board) for a Roll Call Hearing on September 14, 2015, and Protest Status Hearing on October 21, 2015, in accordance with D.C. Official Code § 25-601 (2001).

The official records of the Board reflect that a previous holder of a license for the premises, ANC 1C, and KCA entered into two (2) separate Settlement Agreements dated

October 6, 2004 and November 3, 2004 (Agreements), and the Agreements were approved by the Board on February 14, 2005. *See* Board Order No. 2005-41. The Applicant, as the current holder of the ABC-license, is required to comply with the terms of the Agreements, dated October 6, 2004 and November 3, 2004, that govern the operation of the Applicant's establishment. This matter comes now before the Board to consider the Parties' First Amendment to Settlement Agreement (Amendment), signed on November 5, 2015, in accordance with D.C. Official Code § 25-446 (2001).

The Amendment has been reduced to writing and has been properly executed and filed with the Board. The Applicant; Commissioner Ted Guthrie, on behalf of ANC 1C; and Denis James, on behalf of KCA; are signatories to the Amendment.

This Amendment constitutes a withdrawal of the Protests filed by ANC 1C and the Group of Three Individuals.

Accordingly, it is this 18th day of November, 2015, **ORDERED** that:

1. The Application filed by Last Laugh, LLC, t/a High Dive, for a Substantial Change to include a Sidewalk Café to its Retailer's Class CT License, located at 2337 18th Street, N.W., Washington, D.C., is **GRANTED**;
2. The Protests of ANC 1C and the Group of Three Individuals in this matter are hereby **DISMISSED**;
3. The above-referenced First Amendment to Settlement Agreement, signed on November 5, 2015, submitted by the parties to govern the operations of the Applicant's establishment is **APPROVED** and **INCORPORATED** as part of this Order;
4. All terms and conditions of the original Agreements, not amended by the Amendment, shall remain in full force and effect; and
5. Copies of this Order shall be sent to the Applicant, ANC 1C, and KCA.

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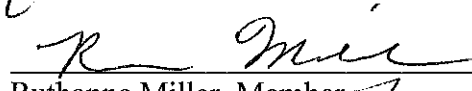
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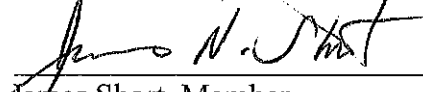
Nick Alberti, Member



Mike Silverstein, Member



Ruthanne Miller, Member



James Short, Member

Pursuant to D.C. Official Code § 25-433(d)(1), any party adversely affected may file a Motion for Reconsideration of this decision within ten (10) days of service of this Order with the Alcoholic Beverage Regulation Administration, 2000 14th Street, N.W., Suite 400S, Washington, DC 20009.

Also, pursuant to section 11 of the District of Columbia Administrative Procedure Act, Pub. L. 90-614, 82 Stat. 1209, D.C. Official Code §2-510 (2001), and Rule 15 of the District of Columbia Court of Appeals, any party adversely affected has the right to appeal this Order by filing a petition for review, within thirty (30) days of the date of service of this Order, with the District of Columbia Court of Appeals, 430 E Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20001; (202/879-1010). However, the timely filing of a Motion for Reconsideration pursuant to 23 DCMR §1719.1 (2008) stays the time for filing a petition for review in the District of Columbia Court of Appeals until the Board rules on the motion. See D.C. App. Rule 15(b) (2004).

FIRST AMENDMENT TO SETTLEMENT AGREEMENTS

Whereas, Last Laugh, LLC, t/a High Dive, 2337 18th Street, N.W. is holder of CT-01, Retailer's Class "C" Tavern License Number ABRA-097821, and is the successor business to Pharmacy Bar at that same address, for which the ABC license number was 25613.

Whereas, both Advisory Neighborhood Commission 1C and the Kalorama Citizens Association are party to separate Settlement Agreements approved by the Board in Board Order Number 2005-41.

The parties now wish to amend those agreements in the following manner:

SIDEWALK CAFÉ

Applicant may operate a sidewalk café in front of the premises during the following hours:

Sunday – Thursday: 11:00 am – 12:00 midnight

Friday and Saturday: 11:00 am – 2:00 am

There shall be no entertainment on the sidewalk café.

Patrons at the sidewalk café will be offered menus of the establishment's offerings upon being seated.

ENTERTAINMENT

Applicant agrees that it will not advertise or promote the establishment as a venue for dancing, and will not construct a dance floor or otherwise set aside any portion of the establishment for dancing.

Applicant agrees that any live music that is offered will include no more than three unamplified instruments. Vocal performances that occur with unamplified instruments may be amplified.

There shall be no cover charges associated with entertainment at the establishment.

Entertainment at the establishment shall conclude ½ hour before closure each night of operation.

**THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE CONTROL BOARD**

In the Matter of:

Biznich, Inc.

t/a The Pharmacy Bar

Application for a Retailer's Class CR

License – substantial change

at premises

2337 18th Street, N.W.

Washington, D.C.

Application no.: 60754-04/070P

Order no.: 2005-41

Biznich, Inc., Applicant

Alan Roth, Chairman, on behalf of Advisory Neighborhood Commission 1C, and Matt Forman, on behalf of the Kalorama Citizens Association, Protestants

BEFORE: Charles A. Burger, Chairperson

Vera M. Abbott, Member

Judy Moy, Member

Audrey E. Thompson, Member

Peter B. Feather, Member

Albert G. Lauber, Member

Eartha Isaac, Member

ORDER ON VOLUNTARY AGREEMENT AND WITHDRAWN PROTEST

The substantial change application for a change of license class from a Retailer's Class "CR" License to a Retailer's Class "CT" License, having been protested, came before the Board on July 21, 2004 and September 15, 2004, in accordance with D.C. Official Code § 25-601 (2001). Alan Roth, Chairman, on behalf of Advisory Neighborhood Commission ("ANC") 1C, and Matt Forman, on behalf of the Kalorama Citizens Association, filed timely opposition by letters on June 25, 2004 and July 6, 2004. On July 21, 2004, the Board noted that the Reed-Cooke Neighborhood Association did not file a timely protest pursuant to D.C. Official Code § 25-601 (2001).

The official records of the Board reflect that the Protestants and the Applicant have reached two (2) separate agreements that have been reduced to writing and have been properly executed and filed with the Board. Pursuant to the agreements, dated October 6, 2004 and November 3, 2004, the Protestants have agreed to withdraw their

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protests, provided, however, the Board's approval of the pending application is conditioned upon the licensee's continuing compliance with the conditions listed. The following conditions, as agreed to by the Protestants and the Applicant, are approved by the Board as part of the final agreement:

1. Operation

Applicant agrees to maintain a kitchen and kitchen staff for the daily preparation and service of prepared food menu items other than snack food, such as, but not limited to: appetizers, soups, salads, sandwiches, etc. For purposes of this section, "snack food" is defined as items such as: potato chips, peanuts, pretzels, etc.

Applicant agrees to offer food service during all hours of operation. Applicant may offer a reduced late-night menu after midnight each day of operation until closing. Applicant further agrees to continue to promote food sales at the establishment through the use of a sandwich board featuring food items, with no drink specials, and menu displays at tables.

Applicant agrees to not seek a license class change to a CN or DN.

Applicant agrees to not seek expansion to the upper floors at 2337 18th Street, or into other adjoining buildings.

Applicant agrees to maintain seating, consisting of tables, chairs, and bar-stools, in or about the same proportion as exists as of the date of this Cooperative Agreement.

Applicant agrees that there will be no cover charge.

Applicant agrees to abide by all sections of D.C. laws and regulations with regard to "Taverns".

2. Hours of Operation

Sunday through Thursday:	11:00 a.m. until 2:00 a.m.
Friday and Saturday:	11:00 a.m. until 3:00 a.m.

Last call will be announced ½ hour prior to closing, each night of operation.

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3. Seating

Currently, the Applicant's inside capacity is fifteen (15). It is understood that the Applicant intends to increase its Certificate of Occupancy for the first floor. But in no event shall the capacity exceed fifty (50) persons.

4. Noise/Music/Dancing

Applicant acknowledges familiarity with and will comply with all applicable noise-control provisions of D.C. laws and regulations, including but not limited to:

- a) Preventing emissions of sound, capable of being heard outside the premises, by any musical instrument or amplification device or other device or source of sound or noise, in accordance with all relevant D.C. laws and regulations, as amended. The Applicant agrees to abide by all Alcoholic Beverage Control laws and regulations, as amended.
- b) The doors and windows of the premises will be kept closed during business hours when music is being played, or when a sound amplification device is being employed in the premises, except when persons are in the act of using the door for ingress to or egress from the premises.
- c) Music from inside will not be audible at surrounding residential housing areas.
- d) Applicant agrees to not place outside in the public space any loudspeaker, tape player, CD player or other similar device, or to place any inside speaker in such a way that it projects loud sound into the public spaces.

5. Trash/Garbage/Rodent Control

Applicant shall maintain regular trash/garbage removal service, regularly remove trash from the trash and dumpster area, and see that the trash area remains clean. Applicant shall deposit trash and garbage only in a rodent-proof dumpster and shall see that dumpster covers fit properly and remain fully closed except when trash and garbage is being added or removed. Applicant will make every reasonable effort to eliminate food sources for rodents to help eliminate the rat population.

Applicant agrees to segregate and recycle bottles, cardboard and cans apart from trash as required by D.C. law, and agrees not to dispose of bottles and cans in the outside trash dumpsters or recycling containers between the hours of 11:00 p.m. and 8:00 a.m.

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6. Exterior, Including Public Space

Applicant shall assist in the maintenance of the alleyway behind and the space in front of the establishment to at least eighteen (18) inches outward from the curb as needed to keep them free of trash and to remove snow and ice from the sidewalk and comply with all applicable D.C. laws and regulations in these respects.

Applicant shall make every reasonable effort to prevent or disperse loitering or any other source of noise or disturbance in the areas in front or to the rear of the premises during business hours and at closing, and to cause patrons to leave those areas quietly during closing.

Applicant will provide for the proper removal of grease and fatty oils from the establishment and will not deposit grease or fatty oils in the trash containers. Applicant agrees to provide the Protestants with a copy of the contract to remove grease/fatty oils from the establishment.

7. Items Specific to Establishment

Applicant agrees to operate the establishment under the terms of its license and will not rent out or otherwise make available the establishment to third parties for events where the owner/manager is not present and managing the business.

Applicant agrees not to place or cause to be placed any fliers, handbills, or other similar advertisement in the public space, specifically on trees, lampposts, street signs or any vehicle parked in a public space.

8. Bar/Pub Crawls

Applicant agrees not to promote or participate in bar or pub "crawls", "tours", or similar events.

9. Consideration

Applicant will encourage employees and patrons to be considerate of neighboring residents at all times. Applicant will encourage patrons and employees leaving the establishment to keep conversations and noise to a minimum from 11:00 p.m. to 7:00 a.m.

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10. Modification

This Cooperative Agreement can be modified only by the ABC Board, or by mutual agreement of all parties with the approval of the ABC Board. If Applicant desires to modify the terms of this Cooperative Agreement by mutual agreement of the parties, then prior to implementing the changes, Applicant shall receive written agreement from ANC 1C after a majority of the Commissioners have voted in favor of changes at a full public meeting, with a quorum present.

11. Regulations

In addition to the foregoing, Applicant will operate in compliance with all applicable laws and regulations. Further, nothing in this agreement shall preclude the Protestants from filing an objection to any request by the Applicant to the Board of Zoning Adjustment.

12. Withdrawal of Protest

Protestants agree to the Substantial Change of the license and the withdrawal of their protests, *provided* that this Cooperative Agreement is incorporated into the Board's order granting the aforesaid application, which order is thereby conditioned upon compliance with such Cooperative Agreement.

Accordingly, it is this 14th day of February 2005, **ORDERED** that:

1. The protests of Alan Roth, Chairman, on behalf of ANC 1C, and Matt Forman, on behalf of the Kalorama Citizens Association, are **WITHDRAWN**;
2. The substantial change application of Biznich, Inc., t/a The Pharmacy Bar, for a change of license class from a Retailer's Class "CR" License to a Retailer's Class "CT" License at 2337 18th Street, N.W., Washington, D.C., is **GRANTED**;
3. The above-referenced final agreement, is **INCORPORATED** as part of this Order; and
4. Copies of this Order shall be sent to the Protestants and the Applicant.

District of Columbia
Alcoholic Beverage Control Board

Charles A. Burger

Charles A. Burger, Chairperson

Vera M. Abbott

Vera M. Abbott, Member

not voting

Judy Moy, Member

Audrey E. Thompson

Audrey E. Thompson, Member

Peter B. Feather

Peter B. Feather, Member

not voting

Albert G. Lauber, Member

not voting

Eartha Isaac, Member

Pursuant to 23 DCMR § 1719.1 (April 2004), any party adversely affected may file a Motion for Reconsideration of this decision within ten (10) days of service of this Order with the Alcoholic Beverage Regulation Administration, 941 North Capitol Street, N.E., Suite 7200, Washington, D.C. 20002.

**COOPERATIVE AGREEMENT CONCERNING
SUBSTANTIAL CHANGE OF ABC LICENSE FOR
SALE OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES**

AGREEMENT, made and entered into this 3rd day of November, 2004, by and between the following Parties: Biznich, Inc. T/A Pharmacy Bar (hereinafter the "Applicant") and the Kalorama Citizens Association (hereinafter the "KCA").

Whereas, Applicant has filed an Application (No. 60754) with the District of Columbia Alcoholic Beverage Control Board (hereinafter the "Board") for a change in license Class from CR-01 (restaurant) to CT-01 (Tavern) of ABC license No. 25613, located at 2337 18th Street, NW Washington, DC 20009.

Whereas, this is a matter of concern to the KCA due to the absence of a clear or statutory requirement for a "Tavern" to serve any measurable amount of food,

Whereas, Applicant wishes to seek expansion of the occupancy total of the first floor of 2337 18th Street, NW,

Whereas, the KCA agrees to the future Substantial Change of the license to allow for the above-referenced changes in the operation of the establishment, after the placarding period and ABC Board approvals,

Upon approval by the ABC Board, this Agreement shall replace and render null and void the previous agreement between the KCA and the Applicant, dated May 4, 1998.

Now, Therefore, the KCA agrees to the proposed change in License Class from CR-01 to CT-01, provided the Applicant abides by the following conditions:

1. Operation:

a.) Applicant agrees to maintain a kitchen and kitchen staff for the daily preparation and service of prepared food menu items other than snack food*, such as, but not limited to: appetizers, soups, salads and sandwiches, etc. As of the date of this agreement, Applicant's menu includes 21 such items. Applicant agrees to continue to feature a menu containing a substantial number of items, similar to the current menu, which is attached to this agreement as Addendum 1.

*For the purposes of this section, "snack food" is defined as such items as: potato chips, peanuts, pretzels.

b.) Applicant agrees to offer food service during all hours of operation. Applicant may offer a reduced late-night menu after midnight each day of operation until closing. Applicant further agrees to continue to promote food sales at the establishment through use of a sandwich board featuring food items, with no drink specials, and menu displays at tables.

c.) Applicant agrees to not seek license class change to CN or DN.

- d.) Applicant agrees to not seek expansion to the upper floors at 2337 18th Street, or into other adjoining buildings.
- e.) Applicant agrees to maintain seating, in tables, chairs, and bar-stools in or about the same proportion as exists as of the date of this agreement.
- f.) Applicant agrees that there will be no cover charge.
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Sunday through Thursday: 11:00 am until 2:00 am
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Previously, the capacity of the first floor dining room and bar in tables, chairs and bar-stools was: 15 persons. Upon approval by the Board after completion of the placarding for Substantial Change and with ABC Board approval, the Capacity will not exceed:

First floor dining room and bar in tables, chairs and bar-stools: 50 persons, or the number of persons allowed by DCRA on a Certificate of Occupancy for the First Floor only, **whichever number is smaller.**

Total as shown on DCRA-issued Certificate of Occupancy for the First Floor level at 2337 18th Street, NW, is: _____. To be filled in and initialed by the Parties upon issuance of new (if any) Certificate of Occupancy.

Accepted by: Applicant ____ Date ___, KCA ____ Date _____.

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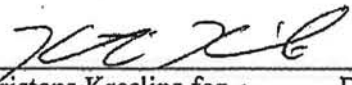
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For KCA Date
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OFFICE OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
BEVERAGE ADMINISTRATION

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Krispas Kreslins 10/6/04
Krispas Kreslins, Biznich Inc

Benjamin J. Jewell 10/6/04
Advisory Neighborhood Commission 1C

**THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE CONTROL BOARD**

In the Matter of:)

Biznich, Inc.)

t/a The Pharmacy Bar)

Application for a Retailer's Class CR)

License – substantial change)

at premises)

2337 18th Street, N.W.)

Washington, D.C.)

Application no.: 60754-04/070P

Order no.: 2005-41

Biznich, Inc., Applicant

Alan Roth, Chairman, on behalf of Advisory Neighborhood Commission 1C, and Matt Forman, on behalf of the Kalorama Citizens Association, Protestants

BEFORE: Charles A. Burger, Chairperson

Vera M. Abbott, Member

Judy Moy, Member

Audrey E. Thompson, Member

Peter B. Feather, Member

Albert G. Lauber, Member

Eartha Isaac, Member

ORDER ON VOLUNTARY AGREEMENT AND WITHDRAWN PROTEST

The substantial change application for a change of license class from a Retailer's Class "CR" License to a Retailer's Class "CT" License, having been protested, came before the Board on July 21, 2004 and September 15, 2004, in accordance with D.C. Official Code § 25-601 (2001). Alan Roth, Chairman, on behalf of Advisory Neighborhood Commission ("ANC") 1C, and Matt Forman, on behalf of the Kalorama Citizens Association, filed timely opposition by letters on June 25, 2004 and July 6, 2004. On July 21, 2004, the Board noted that the Reed-Cooke Neighborhood Association did not file a timely protest pursuant to D.C. Official Code § 25-601 (2001).

The official records of the Board reflect that the Protestants and the Applicant have reached two (2) separate agreements that have been reduced to writing and have been properly executed and filed with the Board. Pursuant to the agreements, dated October 6, 2004 and November 3, 2004, the Protestants have agreed to withdraw their

6. Exterior, Including Public Space

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7. Items Specific to Establishment

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Applicant agrees not to promote or participate in bar or pub "crawls", "tours", or similar events.

9. Consideration

Applicant will encourage employees and patrons to be considerate of neighboring residents at all times. Applicant will encourage patrons and employees leaving the establishment to keep conversations and noise to a minimum from 11:00 p.m. to 7:00 a.m.

10. Modification

This Cooperative Agreement can be modified only by the ABC Board, or by mutual agreement of all parties with the approval of the ABC Board. If Applicant desires to modify the terms of this Cooperative Agreement by mutual agreement of the parties, then prior to implementing the changes, Applicant shall receive written agreement from ANC 1C after a majority of the Commissioners have voted in favor of changes at a full public meeting, with a quorum present.

11. Regulations

In addition to the foregoing, Applicant will operate in compliance with all applicable laws and regulations. Further, nothing in this agreement shall preclude the Protestants from filing an objection to any request by the Applicant to the Board of Zoning Adjustment.

12. Withdrawal of Protest

Protestants agree to the Substantial Change of the license and the withdrawal of their protests, *provided* that this Cooperative Agreement is incorporated into the Board's order granting the aforesaid application, which order is thereby conditioned upon compliance with such Cooperative Agreement.

Accordingly, it is this 14th day of February 2005, **ORDERED** that:

1. The protests of Alan Roth, Chairman, on behalf of ANC 1C, and Matt Forman, on behalf of the Kalorama Citizens Association, are **WITHDRAWN**;
2. The substantial change application of Biznich, Inc., t/a The Pharmacy Bar, for a change of license class from a Retailer's Class "CR" License to a Retailer's Class "CT" License at 2337 18th Street, N.W., Washington, D.C., is **GRANTED**;
3. The above-referenced final agreement, is **INCORPORATED** as part of this Order; and
4. Copies of this Order shall be sent to the Protestants and the Applicant.

District of Columbia
Alcoholic Beverage Control Board

Charles A. Burger

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not voting

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Pursuant to 23 DCMR § 1719.1 (April 2004), any party adversely affected may file a Motion for Reconsideration of this decision within ten (10) days of service of this Order with the Alcoholic Beverage Regulation Administration, 941 North Capitol Street, N.E., Suite 7200, Washington, D.C. 20002.

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**COOPERATIVE AGREEMENT CONCERNING
SUBSTANTIAL CHANGE OF ABC LICENSE FOR
SALE OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES**

AGREEMENT, made and entered into this 3rd day of November, 2004, by and between the following Parties: Biznich, Inc. T/A Pharmacy Bar (hereinafter the "Applicant") and the Kalorama Citizens Association (hereinafter the "KCA").

Whereas, Applicant has filed an Application (No. 60754) with the District of Columbia Alcoholic Beverage Control Board (hereinafter the "Board") for a change in license Class from CR-01 (restaurant) to CT-01 (Tavern) of ABC license No. 25613, located at 2337 18th Street, NW Washington, DC 20009.

Whereas, this is a matter of concern to the KCA due to the absence of a clear or statutory requirement for a "Tavern" to serve any measurable amount of food,

Whereas, Applicant wishes to seek expansion of the occupancy total of the first floor of 2337 18th Street, NW,

Whereas, the KCA agrees to the future Substantial Change of the license to allow for the above-referenced changes in the operation of the establishment, after the placarding period and ABC Board approvals,

Upon approval by the ABC Board, this Agreement shall replace and render null and void the previous agreement between the KCA and the Applicant, dated May 4, 1998.

Now, Therefore, the KCA agrees to the proposed change in License Class from CR-01 to CT-01, provided the Applicant abides by the following conditions:

1. Operation:

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*For the purposes of this section, "snack food" is defined as such items as: potato chips, peanuts, pretzels.

b.) Applicant agrees to offer food service during all hours of operation. Applicant may offer a reduced late-night menu after midnight each day of operation until closing. Applicant further agrees to continue to promote food sales at the establishment through use of a sandwich board featuring food items, with no drink specials, and menu displays at tables.

c.) Applicant agrees to not seek license class change to CN or DN.

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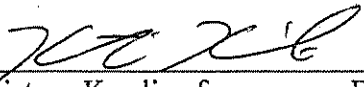
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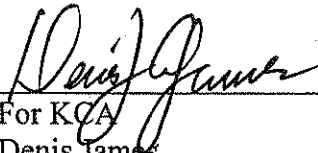
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Advisory Neighborhood Commission 1C