

**ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE REGULATION ADMINISTRATION  
ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE CONTROL BOARD**

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARINGS  
CALENDAR**

**WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 26, 2020 at 10:30 AM  
2000 14<sup>TH</sup> STREET, N.W., SUITE 400S  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20009**

**Donovan W. Anderson, Chairperson**

**Members: James Short, Bobby Cato, Rema Wahabzadah, Rafi A. Crockett, Jeni Hansen,  
Edward S. Grandis**

**Summary Suspension Hearing\***

**10:30 AM**

**Case # 20-CMP-00091**

DC Live, LLC, t/a Elevate

15 K Street, NE

License #100316

Retailer CT

ANC 6C

**The ABC Board Closure - August 14, 2020**

*This meeting was governed by the Open Meetings Act. Please address any questions or complaints arising under this meeting to the Office of Open Government at [opengovoffice@dc.gov](mailto:opengovoffice@dc.gov)*

**ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE REGULATION ADMINISTRATION  
ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE CONTROL BOARD**

**NOTICE OF MEETING  
LEGAL AGENDA**

**WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 26, 2020, AT 10:30 AM  
2000 14<sup>th</sup> STREET, N.W., SUITE 400S, WASHINGTON, D.C. 20009**

1. Review of Request for an Advisory Opinion by Lehrman Beverage Law, regarding DC licensure by a CA wine importer, wholesaler and retailer. (Request originally before the Board on the Legal Agenda dated May 13, 2020)
- 

*\* In accordance with D.C. Official Code § 2-574(b) Open Meetings Act, this portion of the meeting will be closed for deliberation and to consult with an attorney to obtain legal advice. The Board's vote will be held in an open session, and the public is permitted to attend.*

*This meeting is governed by the Open Meetings Act. Please address any questions or complaints arising under this meeting to the Office of Open Government at [opengovoffice@dc.gov](mailto:opengovoffice@dc.gov)*

ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE REGULATION ADMINISTRATION  
ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE CONTROL BOARD

NOTICE OF MEETING  
LICENSING AGENDA

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 26, 2020 AT 10:30 AM  
2000 14<sup>TH</sup> STREET, N.W., SUITE 400S, WASHINGTON, D.C. 20009

1. Review Request to Remove license from Safekeeping for immediate reopening. Original Safekeeping Date: January 10, 2020. ANC 3B. SMD 3B02. No outstanding fines/citations. No outstanding violations. No pending enforcement matters. No conflict with Settlement Agreement. *Ghostline*, 2340 Wisconsin Avenue NW, Retailer CR, License No. 117089.

---

**\*In accordance with D.C. Official Code §2-547(b) of the Open Meetings Amendment Act, this portion of the meeting will be closed for deliberation and to consult with an attorney to obtain legal advice. The Board's vote will be held in an open session, and the public is permitted to attend. This meeting is governed by the Open Meetings Act. Please address any questions or complaints arising under this meeting to the Office of Open Government at [opengovoffice@dc.gov](mailto:opengovoffice@dc.gov).**



**APPLICATION DECISIONS**

**WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 26, 2020**

THE FOLLOWING APPLICATIONS WERE SUBMITTED TO THE ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE CONTROL BOARD FOR REVIEW.

APPLICANT	CLASS/CATEGORY	APPROVED	DENIED	DECISION PENDING
<b>1. CEDAR RESTAURANT, LLC</b> <b>T/A CEDAR</b> <b>444 8<sup>th</sup> SREET, NW</b> <b>LICENSE NO. 81157</b>	<b>RET. C RESTAURANT</b>  <b>LETTER OF REQUEST TO EXPAND TO BASEMENT WITH 119 SEATS AND TOTAL OCCUPANCY LOAD OF 125</b>			
<b>COMMENTS:</b>				
<b>2. HEMEN, LLC</b> <b>T/A ADDIS PARIS CAFE</b> <b>3103 MOUNT PLEASANT STREET, NW</b> <b>LICENSE NO. 110083</b>	<b>RET. C RESTAURANT</b>  <b>CHANGE OF HOURS APPLICATION</b>			
<b>COMMENTS:</b>				
<b>3. DEW DROP INN, LLC</b> <b>T/A DEW DROP INN</b> <b>2801 8<sup>TH</sup> STREET, NE</b> <b>LICENSE NO. 97569</b>	<b>RET. C TAVERN</b>  <b>ENTERTAINMENT ENDORSEMENT APPLICATION TO ADD DANCING AND COVER CHARGE ENDORSEMENTS</b>			
<b>COMMENTS:</b>				



**APPLICATION DECISIONS**  
**WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 26, 2020**

APPLICANT	CLASS/CATEGORY	APPROVED	DENIED	DECISION PENDING
<b>4. DESET ETHIOPIAN RESTAURANT, LLC            T/A DESET ETHIOPIAN RESTAURANT            6128 GEORGIA AVENUE, NW            LICENSE NO. 98818</b>	<b>RET. C RESTAURANT             CLASS CHANGE APPLICATION FROM CR TO CT</b>			
<b>COMMENTS:</b>				
<b>5. MGP DISTILLING, LLC            T/A NEW COLUMBIA DISTILLERS/GREEN HAT GIN/GREEN HAT DISTILLERY            1824-1832 FENWICK STREET, NE            LICENSE NO. 116565</b>	<b>MANUFACTURER A             CHANGE OF OFFICER APPLICATION            DAVID J. COLO,            MANAGER &amp; DIRECTOR</b>			
<b>COMMENTS:</b>				
<b>6. SHANGARI HOLDINGS, LLC            T/A JEFFERSON LIQUORS            5307 GEORGIA AVENUE, NW            LICENSE NO. 101642</b>	<b>RET. A             CHANGE OF OFFICER APPLICATION            KULDEEP GUPTA,            MANAGING MEMBER</b>			
<b>COMMENTS:</b>				



**APPLICATION DECISIONS**  
**WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 26, 2020**

APPLICANT	CLASS/CATEGORY	APPROVED	DENIED	DECISION PENDING
<b>7. DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA CVS PHARMACY, LLC            T/A CVS PHARMACY #2104            5013 CONNECTICUT AVENUE, NW            LICENSE NO. 83507</b>	<b>RET. B            LETTER OF REQUEST TO REMOVE ZENON P. LANKOWSKY AS PRESIDENT</b>			
<b>COMMENTS:</b>				
<b>8. DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA CVS PHARMACY, LLC            T/A CVS PHARMACY #2104            5013 CONNECTICUT AVENUE, NW            LICENSE NO. 83507</b>	<b>RET. B            LETTER OF REQUEST TO ADD THOMAS S. MOFFATT AS PRESIDENT</b>			
<b>COMMENTS:</b>				

**ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE REGULATION ADMINISTRATION  
ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE CONTROL BOARD**

**NOTICE OF CLOSED MEETING**

**Investigative Agenda**

**Wednesday, August 26, 2020 | 10:30 a.m.  
2000 14<sup>TH</sup> Street, NW, Suite 400 South, Washington DC 20009**

On Wednesday, August 26, 2020 at 10:30 a.m., the Alcoholic Beverage Control Board will hold a closed meeting regarding the matters identified below. In accordance with Section 405(b) of the Open Meetings Amendment Act of 2010, the meeting will be closed “to plan, discuss, or hear reports concerning ongoing or planned investigations of alleged criminal or civil misconduct or violations of law or regulations.” “This meeting is governed by the Open Meetings Act. Please address any questions or complaints arising under this meeting to the Office of Open Government at [opengovoffice@dc.gov](mailto:opengovoffice@dc.gov).”

Below is the draft agenda for the meeting. A final agenda will be posted at [abra.dc.gov](http://abra.dc.gov).

For additional information, please contact: John Suero, ABRA’s Enforcement Chief, at 202-442-6035 or [John.Suero@dc.gov](mailto:John.Suero@dc.gov).

1. Case# 20-CMP-00093, Kiss Tavern, 637 T ST NW Retailer C Tavern, License#: ABRA-104710