

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

<b>In the Matter of:</b>	)	
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BSF Franchise, LLC	)	
t/a Bombay Street Food 2	)	
	)	
Holder of a	)	License No.: ABRA-113664
Retailer's Class CR License	)	Order No.: 2019-572
	)	
at premises	)	
524 8th Street, SE	)	
Washington, D.C. 20003	)	

BSF Franchise, LLC, t/a Bombay Street Food 2, Licensee

Chander Jayaraman, Chairperson, on behalf of Advisory Neighborhood Commission (ANC) 6B

**BEFORE:** Donovan Anderson, Chairperson  
Mike Silverstein, Member  
James Short, Member  
Bobby Cato, Member  
Rema Wahabzadah, Member  
Rafi Crockett, Member

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**ORDER ON SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT**

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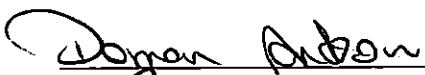
The official records of the Alcoholic Beverage Control Board (Board) reflect that BSF Franchise, LLC, t/a Bombay Street Food 2 (Licensee), and ANC 6B have entered into a Settlement Agreement (Agreement), dated July 9, 2019, that governs the operation of the Licensee's establishment.

The Agreement has been reduced to writing and has been properly executed and filed with the Board. The Licensee and Chairperson Chander Jayaraman, on behalf of ANC 6B, are signatories to the Agreement.

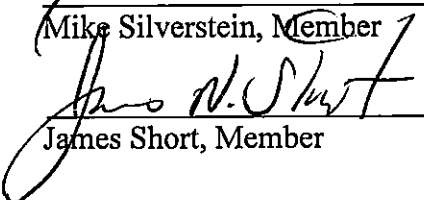
Accordingly, it is this 30th day of July, 2019, **ORDERED** that:

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 and ANC 6B.

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 14<sup>th</sup> 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).

SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT BY AND BETWEEN  
ADVISORY NEIGHBORHOOD COMMISSION 6B  
and  
BSF Franchise, LLC d/b/a Bombay Street Food 2.

Pursuant to this Settlement Agreement, ("Agreement"), by and between BSF Franchise, LLC d/b/a Bombay Street Food 2 ("Applicant") and Advisory Neighborhood Commission 6B ("ANC6B"), effective as of the date of its adoption by ANC6B, the parties hereto hereby agree to be legally bound by the terms and conditions of this Settlement Agreement (SA) as it relates to conduct of business located at 524 8<sup>th</sup> Street SE (on the ground floor), Washington, DC 20003 ("Premises"); and,

WHEREAS, Applicant has applied before the District of Columbia Alcoholic Beverage Regulatory Administration ("ABRA") to effect, and is seeking its approval of, a renewal of its Retailers' Class "CR" License (ABRA-113664) ("License") with a sidewalk café; and,

WHEREAS, Applicant and ANC6B are desirous of voluntarily entering into and mutually memorialize in this SA the terms and conditions upon which ANC6B has agreed to support Applicant's License, pursuant to the provisions of D.C. Code § 25-446, for the operation and maintenance of Applicant's business at the Premises in such a manner as to further promote the peace, order and quiet of the neighborhood as well as maintain security and sanitation of the alley immediately behind the Premises; and,

WHEREAS, this is intended to replace in its entirety any and all previously existing Settlement Agreements between the Parties, and all such previous agreements are hereby declared superseded, null and void and of no further effect. Agreement may only be modified by written agreement of all the parties or their successors, or otherwise in accordance with law.

NOW, THEREFORE, Applicant and ANC 6B agree as follows:

1. Recitals Incorporated. The recitals set forth above are incorporated herein by reference.
2. Nature of the Business. Applicant will manage and operate a full-service seated restaurant ("Establishment") at the Premises. Applicant currently seeks a total seating for up to 93 patrons, inclusive of 69 indoor seating and 24 sidewalk café seating. In no event shall Applicant operate or seek to operate the Establishment in excess of the maximum number of patrons that may lawfully occupy the Premises pursuant to its Certificate of Occupancy.
3. Hours of Operation, Sales, Service, and Consumption. Applicant's hours of operation, and alcoholic beverage sales, service, and consumption may be changed from time to time in Applicant's discretion, as may be otherwise permitted by its License, but in no event shall exceed or extend beyond the following:

Applicant's hours of Operation, Sales and Service in the interior of the Establishment shall be as follows:

Sunday through Thursday: 8:00 a.m. – 1:00 a.m.  
Friday and Saturday: 8:00 a.m. – 2:00 a.m.



Applicant's hours of Sales, Service, and Consumption of alcohol on the exterior Sidewalk Café shall be as follows:

Sunday through Thursday: 8:00 a.m. – 11:00 p.m.  
Friday and Saturday: 8:00 a.m. – 1:00 a.m.

Provided, however, that: (1) on days designated by the DC ABC Board as "extended Hours for ABC Establishments," Applicant may serve alcoholic beverages for one additional hour; (2) in the event the Council of the District of Columbia or the ABC Board grant licensees in general extended operating hours for particular event(s), Applicant may avail itself of such extended hours; and, (3) on January 1 of each year Applicant may serve alcoholic beverages and provide entertainment until 3 a.m. Applicant must submit, as required by regulation, any forms or document to the authorizing agency for such extended hours. These extended hours are for inside the establishment.

4. **Requirements for Operation of Sidewalk Café.** Applicant shall operate its Sidewalk Café consistent with the terms and conditions of its Public Space Management Branch Certification for such space, and shall cause its employees to maintain the Sidewalk Café in a clean and orderly manner, and not to cause or permit storage of any refuse, foodstuffs, perishable or odiferous materials in or adjacent to the Premises. Applicant shall cause the area extending from the front door(s) to the curb in front of the Establishment to be regularly swept, power-washed, and shall remove litter and debris on not less than a daily basis, weather permitting. Applicant shall provide exterior receptacles for extinguishing and disposing of smoking materials, and such supplemental refuse disposal receptacles as may be reasonably required to contain and minimize public disposal of waste and litter originating from the Premises.

5. **Refuse Storage and Disposal.** All trash and recyclable waste (glass, plastic, cardboard, and metals that have been rendered free of organic materials) shall be disposed of, separately, in sealed bags that are placed in appropriate waste receptacles capable of being sealed with closing lids and otherwise designed for that purpose. Exterior receptacles shall be kept closed and secured at all times except when actively used to deposit or collect recyclable materials.

Applicant shall comply with DCMR 21-704.3-704.5 by utilizing and regularly maintaining one or more food waste (garbage) grinder(s) adequate in capacity to dispose of all readily grindable food wastes produced. For the storage of any residual or non-grindable food wastes and all grease will be stored in appropriate containers in the rear alley.

Applicant's trash and recycling is arranged for and managed by its building management and, thus, Applicant does not have direct control over all aspects of trash management. Applicant agrees to work in partnership with its building management to assure adherence to these conditions with respect to trash management, disposal.

a. Garbage shall be collected seven (7) days per week and recycling a minimum of six (6) days per week (or such more frequent schedules as may be necessary to prevent the receptacles from exceeding their capacity); Applicant will ensure timely waste disposal that is the least disruptive to the neighbors. Garbage, recyclable, and grease collections shall not occur before 7:00 a.m. or after 10:00 p.m.



- b. All receptacles used for garbage, recyclables, and grease shall be maintained in good repair, safe and sanitary condition and any damaged or leaking containers shall be promptly repaired or replaced;
- c. All receptacles, any waste enclosure, and the adjacent alleyway shall be power washed no less often than once every two weeks. No power-washing shall take place between the hours of 7:00 p.m. and 9:00 a.m. on weekdays or 7:00 p.m. and 12:00 noon on weekends;

Applicant has direct control over the following aspects of trash handling and management:

- a. Applicant shall not place glass in any exterior receptacle nor otherwise disposed after 10:00 p.m. or before 7:00 a.m. Any glass material needing to be recycled or otherwise disposed between 10:00 p.m. and 7:00 a.m. shall be stored inside Applicant's establishment until at least 7:00 a.m. the following day.
- b. Applicant shall not store or place any kegs, foodstuffs, or other consumable goods of any type in the rear of the Premises or on the public alley. No waste of any type shall be placed on or against the abutting property;
- c. Any receptacle for recyclables or restaurant supplies such as linens, kegs or firewood will be placed such that it does not encroach on the abutting property owners. Applicant shall ensure that no recyclable waste is not placed outside the establishment other than in a fully closed receptacle. Applicant shall ensure that the lids or doors on all receptacles are fully closed at all times.
- d. All receptacles (for garbage, grease, and recyclables) shall be secured with lids (as per their design). Applicant shall not place waste in any waste receptacle in any manner that would prevent the full closure of the receptacle.
- e. Garbage, grease and/or recycling spills shall be cleaned up as soon as practicable after they occur, but in no event more than two (2) hours after such spill. Any leak or spillage of grease shall be promptly cleaned utilizing standard industry practices such as solvents and power washing for such uncontained grease;
- f. Applicant will daily check the alley and full area behind the Premises and pick up or hose down any debris or liquid waste left behind after garbage, grease or recycling receptacles have been emptied;
- g. Applicant shall cooperate and permit inspection of the Premises, as may be reasonable, pursuant to ABRA regulations or as may be reasonably requested by any authorized District of Columbia governmental entity; and;
- h. Applicant is encouraged to join in any coordinated effort with the adjacent tenants to address any rodent issues regardless of the source of such issues.

6. Noise Mitigation. No objectionable noises, sounds, odors, or other conditions that are publicly observable or emitted beyond the immediate proximity of the Premises will be created by Applicant. Applicant will strictly comply with D.C. Official Code § 25-725 and to that end shall make architectural improvements to the property and take all necessary actions to ensure that music, noise and vibration from the Establishment are not audible outside the establishment at any time. Applicant agrees to keep its doors and windows closed when music is being played at the establishment, but may open its window panels during such times, provide that the music is not audible beyond the street curbside. If necessary, Applicant will take reasonable steps to reduce noise emanating from the Establishment from the opening of the entry or exit doors.

Applicant specifically agrees that it shall adhere to and be accountable under the provisions of D.C. Code §25-725 as it pertains to residential dwellings in the contiguous physical block on which the Premises are located (except for those residential dwellings located within the CHC/C2A overlay), notwithstanding the fact that such neighboring residential units may not fall within the zoning classification otherwise entitled to enforcement of that provision under D.C. Code §25-725(b)(3). Applicant will work with building management to take all reasonable steps necessary to mitigate noise emanating from mechanical equipment associated with Applicant's operations (e.g. HVAC, grease fan) — including installing sound absorbing and dampening material on the roof between the HVAC and kitchen equipment and the residential properties along the rear of the Premises. Sound absorbing and dampening material will be sufficient to reduce noise to levels that meet DCMR noise regulations [DCMR Title 20 § 2701] at the rear property line.

7. Odor and Emission Control. Applicant shall ensure that regularly scheduled maintenance and cleaning of exhaust hoods, fans and vents are undertaken in accordance with manufacturer's specifications for the type and amount of cooking undertaken. Applicant will also clean and/or exchange the filters as often as necessary to ensure optimal grease and particulate removal and odor mitigation for the type and quantity of cooking undertaken. Applicant will ensure that any mechanical issues that develop with the equipment are promptly addressed.

8. Rodent and Vermin Control. Applicant shall maintain in force a contract for regular and recurring application of a plan for pest control that includes baiting or similar rodent abatement procedures abutting the rear entrance to the Premises. Applicant shall provide rat and vermin control for its property. Applicant shall provide proof of its rat and vermin control contract and of regular inspection and treatment pursuant to such contract, upon request from the Board. Applicant shall maintain property and take landscaping steps, such as removing thick ground cover, trimming bushes, closing rat holes, and using pond stones where needed, to reduce habitat for rats and vermin.

9. Delivery of Vendor Shipments. Applicant will comply with all District of Columbia laws and regulations governing the delivery of food and restaurant supplies to the Premises. Applicant will encourage all commercial third party vendors to park in designated commercial loading zones during any deliveries Applicant will notify commercial delivery vendors about the above prohibition and will not accept deliveries of food or other restaurant supplies from such vendors if, after such notice, the vendor continues to violate this provision. Further, Applicant will notify commercial delivery vendors about the above prohibition by affixing a sign on the exterior of the Premises and near the access point for deliveries that states: "Delivery Trucks: Do Not Park in the Alley."

10. Security Cooperation in Stemming Loitering and Illegal Drugs. Applicant shall to the full extent permissible by law discourage loitering in the vicinity of the Premises. Applicant shall not permit its employees to take breaks in the alley behind the Premises. Applicant agrees to monitor for and prohibit sales of illegal drugs within or about the Premises and cooperate with MPD and other enforcement officials when known or suspected drug activities occur.

11. Compliance with ABRA Regulations. Applicant understands, agrees, and promises that they will maintain compliance with all laws and regulations of the District of Columbia at all times. Specifically, Applicant will ensure strict adherence to ABRA, Department of Consumer



**Settlement Agreement**


**ANC 6B**

and Regulatory Affairs (DCRA), Department of Health (DOH), Department of Public Works (DPW) and other applicable DC Agency regulations regarding (a) conduct of its business and (b) the ownership of the license and all other provisions applicable to liquor licenses.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have affixed hereunto their signatures.

Applicant:

BSF Franchise, LLC d/b/a Bombay Street Food 2  
ABRA# 113664  
524 8<sup>th</sup> Street SE (Ground floor)  
Washington, DC 20003  
Asad Sheikh, OWNER [title]  
E-mail: trangroupinc@yahoo.com

Signature:  \_\_\_\_\_

Date: 7/9/19

ANC:

Advisory Neighborhood Commission 6B,  
921 Pennsylvania Avenue, SE  
Washington, DC 20003  
Chander Jayaraman, Chairperson

Signature:  \_\_\_\_\_

Date: 7-9-2019