

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

In the Matter of:)	
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EMB International, LLC)	
t/a Cafe Georgetown)	
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Applicant for a Renewal of a)	Case No.: 22-PRO-00050
Retailer's Class CR License)	License No.: ABRA-106108
)	Order No.: 2022-678
at premises)	
3141 N Street, NW)	
Washington, D.C. 20007)	

EMB International, LLC, t/a Cafe Georgetown, Applicant

Evelyn Hanson, Designated Representative, on behalf of Isabella Harris, Abutting Property Owner, Protestant

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

ORDER DENYING REINSTATEMENT

The Application filed by EMB International, LLC, t/a Cafe Georgetown, (Applicant), for renewal of its Retailer's Class CR License, having been protested, came before the Alcoholic Beverage Control Board (Board) for a Roll Call Hearing on July 18, 2022, and a Protest Status Hearing on September 14, 2022. On September 14, 2022, the Board dismissed the Application because the Applicant failed to appear at the Protest Status Hearing.

Subsequently, the Applicant filed a motion for reinstatement. In its motion, the Applicant indicates that the owner was unaware of the hearing while she was engaged in international travel and did not receive the hearing notification link. The Protestant did not file a formal objection.

Nevertheless, ABRA's records show that an appropriate link was sent to the email address on record. Moreover, ABRA's records show that notice of the required hearing

was sent on July 20, 2022; therefore, the Applicant had ample notice of the hearing and had an opportunity to notify ABRA in advance of the hearing to address any technical issues with accessing the hearing or the failure to receive the appropriate link.

ORDER

Therefore, the Board does hereby, this 28th day of September 2022, **DENY** the Motion for Reinstatement. Copies of this Order shall be sent to the Parties.

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 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).