THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE CONTROL BOARD

In the Matter of:)
2718 Corporation t/a Chuck & Bill Bison Lounge)
Applicant for a Renewal of a Retailer's Class CT License)))
at premises 2718 Georgia Avenue, NW Washington, D.C. 20001)

License No.: ABRA-014759 Order No.: 2020-175

BEFORE:

Donovan Anderson, Chairperson

James Short, Member Bobby Cato, Member

Rema Wahabzadah, Member

Rafi Crockett, Member Jeni Hansen, Member

Edward S. Grandis, Member

ORDER TO CEASE AND DESIST

The Alcoholic Beverage Control Board (Board) has determined that the Application for renewal filed by 2718 Corporation, t/a Chuck & Bill Bison Lounge (Licensee), located at 2718 Georgia Avenue, NW, Washington, D.C., a Retailer's Class CT License, was protested by the Advisory Neighborhood Commission (ANC) 1B and a Group of Five or More Individuals.

On February 26, 2020, a Protest Status Hearing was held and the Board dismissed the Application because the Licensee failed to appear at the Protest Status Hearing. *See* Board Order No. 2020-131.

The Alcoholic Beverage Regulation Administration (ABRA) has reviewed its records and determined that the Licensee did not file a Request for Reinstatement with the Board within ten (10) days from the date of Order No. 2020-131, dated February 26, 2020. Nor did the Licensee re-file a Renewal Application pursuant to Title 23 of the District of Columbia Municipal Regulations (DCMR) § 1606.

Pursuant to D.C. Official Code § 25-829 you are therefore **ORDERED** by the Board on this 18th day of March, 2020, to **STOP selling, serving, or permitting the consumption of alcoholic beverages at the Licensee's establishment**. The Licensee may not allow the sale, service, or permitting the consumption of alcoholic beverages on the licensed premises until the ABC License is reinstated by the Board.

A copy of this Order is being forwarded to the Metropolitan Police Department and the D.C. licensed wholesalers to ensure compliance. Failure to comply with this Order will subject the Licensee to the maximum civil penalties provided by law.

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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).