## DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

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ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE CONTROL BOARD

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IN THE MATTER OF:

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Civil Penalty Rulemaking:

Wednesday November 20, 2019

The Alcoholic Beverage Control Board met in the Alcoholic Beverage Control Hearing Room, Reeves Building, 2000 14th Street, N.W., Suite 400S, Washington, D.C. 20009, Chairperson Donovan W. Anderson, presiding.

## PRESENT:

DONOVAN W. ANDERSON, Chairperson BOBBY CATO, JR., Member RAFI ALIYA CROCKETT, Member JAMES SHORT, JR., Member REMA WAHABZADAH, Member

## P-R-O-C-E-E-D-I-N-G-S

11:44 a.m.

CHAIR ANDERSON: We're back on the record. Our first matter is a public hearing on our civil penalty rulemaking.

We're here today pursuant to DC
Official Code Section 25-830 to conduct a public
hearing and take comment on a proposed rulemaking
that amends the existing ABRA civil penalty
schedule, set in Section 800 of Title 23 of the
District of Columbia Municipal Regulations. The
civil penalty schedule was last updated in July
2018.

The proposed rules are intended to update the existing schedule by, one, including new infractions and penalties, two, removing duplicate infractions, and three, amending the descriptions of existing of existing infractions.

By way of background, the Board approved the civil penalty schedule notice of proposed rulemaking on September 11, 2019, 4-0. On October 25, 2019, the proposed rulemaking was published in the DC Register for notice and public comment, see 66-DCR-14095 October 25, 2019.

ABRA did not receive any notification 1 from witnesses in advance of today's hearing 2 3 regarding their desire to address the Board. Therefore, the Board will entertain comments from 4 5 anyone present today who wishes to be heard. 6 Please limit your comments to no more than five 7 If there is any time left, we will minutes. grant additional time to the hearing. Is there 8 9 anyone here today in the audience who wants to testify on the civil penalty schedule? 10 11 Hearing none, this hearing is then 12 adjourned. There are no witnesses present today 13 and so, therefore, this matter was advertised in 14 the DC Register and no one is here to testify,

(Whereupon, the above-entitled matter went off the record at 11:47 a.m.)

and so, therefore, we will move forward with the

Thank you.

proposed rulemaking.

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