

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

**In the Matter of:** )  
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Family's, LLC )  
t/a Climaxx Bar and Restaurant )  
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Applicant for a Substantial Change to a )  
Retailer's Class CT License )  
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at premises )  
1414 9th Street, N.W. )  
Washington, D.C. 20001 )  
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Case No.: 22-PRO-00061  
License No.: ABRA-115645  
Order No.: 2022-622

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

**ALSO PRESENT:** Family's, LLC, t/a Climaxx Bar and Restaurant, Applicant  
  
John Guggenmos, Chairperson, Advisory Neighborhood  
Commission (ANC) 2F

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**ORDER DENYING APPLICANT'S MOTION FOR REINSTATEMENT**

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The Application filed by Family's, LLC, t/a Climaxx Bar and Restaurant (Applicant), for a Substantial Change to its Retailer's Class CT License, having been protested, came before the Alcoholic Beverage Control Board (Board) for a Roll Call Hearing on August 1, 2022. On August 1, 2022, the Board dismissed the Application because the Applicant failed to appear at the Roll Call Hearing. Subsequently, the Applicant filed for reinstatement; nevertheless, the motion failed to provide an adequate reason for failing to appear despite receiving appropriate notice.

**ORDER**

Therefore, the Board, on this 31st day of August 2022, hereby **DENIES** the motion for reinstatement. ABRA shall provide a copy of this Order 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, Reeves Center, 2000 14th Street, NW, 400S, Washington, D.C. 20009.

Also, pursuant to section 11 of the District of Columbia Administrative Procedure Act, Pub. L. 90-614, 82 Stat. 1209, D.C. 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. However, the timely filing of a Motion for Reconsideration pursuant to 23 DCMR § 1719.1 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).