

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

In the Matter of:)	
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Gordon Restaurant Group, LLC)	Case No.: 19-PRO-00048
t/a Drafting Table)	License No.: ABRA-089190
)	Order No: 2019-606
Holder of a Retailer Class CR)	
License)	
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1529 14 th Street, N.W.)	
Washington, D.C. 20005)	

TO: Gordon Restaurant Group, LLC
c/o Aaron Gordon, Managing Member
1529 14th Street, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20005

ORDER TO CEASE AND DESIST

On June 12, 2019, the Alcoholic Beverage Control Board (Board) dismissed the renewal application of Gordon Restaurant Group, LLC t/a Drafting Table located at 1529 14th Street N.W., for failing to appear at the Roll Call Hearing on the renewal of the license as required by DCMR § 1603.3. *See Board Order No 2019-475.* As a result of the dismissal of the renewal application, the Licensee is deemed to be operating on an expired license.

ORDER

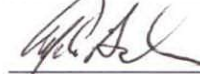
In light of these facts, under the authority granted by D.C. Official Code § 25-829, the Board, on this 14th day of August 2019, hereby orders the Licensee, Gordon Restaurant Group, LLC t/a Drafting Table, to **CEASE AND DESIST** selling, serving, distributing, or permitting the consumption of alcohol at its licensed premises.

Please be **ADVISED** that a copy of this Order is being forwarded to the Metropolitan Police Department to ensure compliance. The Licensee is reminded that the continued sale, service, or consumption of alcohol at the premises violates D.C. Official Code §§25-102 and 25-830(i), and constitutes a nuisance pursuant to D.C. Official Code § 25-805. If it is found that the Licensee is in violation of this Order, the Licensee may be subject to both civil and criminal penalties. ABRA shall serve notice by certified mail or personal delivery on the Licensee.

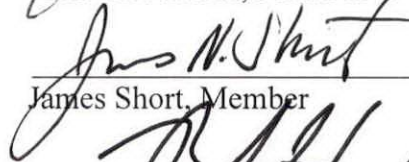
District of Columbia
Alcoholic Beverage Control Board



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You have the right to request a hearing before the Board conducted in accordance with subchapter I of Chapter 5 of Title 2. Pursuant to D.C. Official Code § 25-829(b)(1), you may submit a written request to the Board for a hearing within fifteen (15) days of service of this Order. Additionally, you also have the option of submitting a written request to the Board for an expedited hearing pursuant to D.C. Official Code § 25-829(c)(1) within ten (10) days of service of this Order. Please note that if you fail to request a hearing, this Order shall be deemed final. D.C. Official Code § 25-829(d).

If you request a hearing, you may appear personally at the hearing, and you and the establishment, may be represented by legal counsel. You have the right to produce witnesses and evidence on your behalf and to cross-examine witnesses. You may examine evidence produced, and have subpoenas issued on your behalf to require the production of witnesses and evidence.

All hearings are conducted in the English language. If you, any corporate officer, or any witnesses to be called are deaf, have a hearing impediment, or cannot readily understand or communicate the spoken English language, an application may be made to the Board for the appointment of a qualified interpreter.

Your failure to appear at the time and place set for the hearing, if requested, either in person or through counsel, or both, will not preclude the Board from proceeding in this matter. Should you have any questions, contact ABRA Adjudication Specialist Danette Walker at 202-442-4418.

Finally, pursuant to section 11 of the District of Columbia Administrative Procedure Act, Pub. L. 90-614, 82 Stat. 1209, District of Columbia 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, 500 Indiana Avenue, 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).