DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

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ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE CONTROL BOARD

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IN THE MATTER OF:

GoBrands, Inc. : t/a Go Puff-Rive :

1077 30th Street, NW : Protest (Status)

Retailer A (Internet) : Hearing

ANC 2E : License No. 101261 : Case #19-PRO-00001 :

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(Request to Transfer : License to a New : Location) :

Wednesday, February 27, 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 NICK ALBERTI, Member BOBBY CATO, JR., Member MIKE SILVERSTEIN, Member

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

9:38 a.m.

CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Good morning, everyone. I would like to welcome you to the regularly scheduled meeting of the District of Columbia Alcoholic Beverage Control Board.

Please know that today's hearings will be conducted in accordance with D.C. Official Code Section 2-574 of the Open Meetings Act.

Today is February 27, 2019. I would like to introduce Members of the Board with us today.

To my far right is Mr. Bobby Cato. To my immediate right is Mr. Nick Alberti. And to my far left is Mr. Mike Silverstein. My name is Donovan Anderson. I'm Chairman of the Board. We have four Members in attendance today. We do have a quorum to conduct business.

I would like to mention two things before we get started. First of all, if you have any electronic devices, pagers, cell phones or such, please, make certain that they are turned off to avoid any interruption of the proceedings.

1 Secondly, there is a piece of paper on 2 each table. When you come forward as your case is called, please, take a seat at the table and, 3 4 please, sign-in. This is to ensure the correct spelling of your name for the record. 5 Additionally, when you introduce 6 7 yourself for the record, please, spell your name aloud for the court reporter. 8 9 I will note the approximate time is 10 9:40 a.m. 11 I'm going by our schedule. The first 12 case on our calendar is a Protest Hearing 13 (Status) Case No. 19-PRO-00001, Go Puff-Rive, License No. 101261. 14 Will the parties, please, approach and 15 16 identify themselves for the record? 17 Seeing that the parties are not here, 18 this was a Protest Hearing (Status), since 19 neither party is here, I will make a motion that 20 we dismiss the protestant and we also dismiss the 21 applicant.

Is there a second?

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1	MEMBER SILVERSTEIN: Second.			
2	CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Mr. Silverstein			
3	has seconded the motion.			
4	All those in favor say aye.			
5	ALL: Aye.			
6	CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Those opposed?			
7	The matter passes 4-0-0.			
8	(Whereupon, the Protest (Status)			
9	Hearing was concluded at 9:40 a.m.)			
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Place: Washington, DC

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Court Reporter

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