

**THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE AND CANNABIS BOARD**

In the Matter of:)	
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Holiday Family Liquor, Inc.)	Case No.: 21-PRO-00025
t/a Holiday Liquors)	License No.: ABRA-091095
)	Order No.: 2023-339
Application to Renew a)	
Retailer’s Class A License)	
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at premises)	
3505 Wheeler Road, S.E.)	
Washington, D.C. 20032)	

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

ALSO PRESENT: Holiday Family Liquor, Inc., t/a Holiday Liquors, Applicant

Stephen O’Brien, Counsel, on behalf of the Applicant

Salim Adofo, Chairperson, Advisory Neighborhood Commission (ANC) 8C, Protestants

Martha Jenkins, General Counsel
Alcoholic Beverage Regulation Administration

ORDER DISMISSING PROTEST

The Alcoholic Beverage and Cannabis Board (Board) previously received an order from the District of Columbia Court of Appeals vacating and remanding Board Order No. 2021-518 for additional proceedings. *Conrad v. Dist. of Columbia Alcoholic Beverage Control Bd.*, 21-AA-748, 2023 WL 163964, at *9 (D.C. Jan. 12, 2023). In response to this court decision, the Board ordered the parties to appear at a second mediation in accordance with Board Order No. 2021-518, issued on February 1, 2023.

Nevertheless, the ANC was not able to attend a mediation session and did not appear at the required Protest Status Hearing on May 24, 2023. In light of the failure to attend mediation and failure to appear at the status hearing, the protest of the ANC merits dismissal pursuant to D.C. Official Code § 25-445(d) and 23 DCMR § 1604.3 (West Supp. 2023).

ORDER

Therefore, the Board, on this 24th day of May 2023, hereby **DISMISSES** the protest of ANC 8C.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that where there are no remaining protests in this case, the application shall be referred to ABCA's Licensing Division for processing as a non-protested Application in accordance with D.C. Official Code § 25-311(a).

The ABRA shall deliver a copy of this order to the Parties.

District of Columbia
Alcoholic Beverage and Cannabis 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).