DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

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ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE CONTROL BOARD

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IN THE MATTER OF: :

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Justin's Café, LLC, : t/a Justin's Café :

1025 First Street SE, : Show Cause

Retailer CR - ANC 6D : Hearing (Status)

License No. 83690 : Case #18-CMP-00093 :

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(Failed to Comply with :
Hours of Operation, :
Violation of Settlement :
Agreement) :

Wednesday August 8, 2018

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 DONALD ISAAC, SR., Member MIKE SILVERSTEIN, Member JAMES SHORT, Member REMA WAHABZADAH, Member

ALSO PRESENT:

WALTER ADAMS, DC OAG ALLISON KAYS, Licensee

1	P-R-O-C-E-E-D-I-N-G-S
2	9:57 a.m.
3	CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: The next case
4	on our Show Cause Hearing (Status) Calendar is
5	Case No. 18-CMP-00093, Justin's Café, License No.
6	83690.
7	Would the parties, please, approach
8	and identify themselves for the record, please?
9	MR. ADAMS: Good morning, Mr.
10	Chairman. Walter Adams representing the District
11	of Columbia.
12	CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Mr. Adams.
13	MS. KAYS: I'm Allison Kays, the
14	general manager of Justin's Café.
15	CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Ms. Kays, good
16	morning. Do you have a letter of representation?
17	MS. KAYS: I do.
18	CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Could we have
19	that, please?
20	MS. KAYS: Sure.
21	CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Thank you. Mr.
22	Adams, are there any preliminary matters in this

case?

MR. ADAMS: There is a preliminary matter, Mr. Chairman. The parties have discussed this case involving, it looks like there is, two charges here. We are willing to -- the parties have agreed to resolve the case for a fine in the amount of \$1,500 to be paid today. If the licensee fails to pay the fine today, the license shall be suspended indefinitely until such time the fine is paid.

How this breaks down, Mr. Chairman, is that for Charge 1, for failure to follow the terms of the Board-approved license, that they will pay -- that's where the fine will be applied of the \$1,500 to be paid today.

And for Charge 2, which is the settlement agreement charge, for that charge, we propose that the Board dismiss that charge.

CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: All right. Ms.

Kays, it's my understanding there is an Offer in

Compromise and the Offer in Compromise is that

there is a fine of \$1,500 payable today. If the

1 fine is not payable today, the license will be 2 suspended until the fine has been paid. Charge 2 has been dismissed. 3 4 Is this your understanding of the 5 Offer in Compromise? MS. KAYS: 6 Yes. 7 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Are you aware 8 that by accepting an Offer in Compromise, that 9 you are giving up your right to a hearing? MS. KAYS: 10 Yes. 11 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: You're also 12 aware that by accepting an Offer in Compromise, 13 you are giving up your right to appeal this 14 matter? 15 MS. KAYS: Yes. 16 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Okay. With 17 that said, I make a motion that the Offer in 18 Compromise of a fine of \$1,500 payable today, if 19 the fine is not payable today, the license will be suspended until the fine has been paid and 20 21 that Charge 2 will be dismissed.

Is there a second?

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1	MEMBER SHORT: Second.
2	CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Mr. Short has
3	seconded the motion.
4	All those in favor say aye.
5	ALL: Aye.
6	CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Those opposed?
7	The matter passes 6-0-0.
8	Thank you very much. I'll have you
9	sign-off on this. Once you sign this document,
10	then you can go pay the fine. All right. Thank
11	you.
12	MS. KAYS: Thank you.
13	(Whereupon, the Show Cause (Status)
14	Hearing was concluded at 10:00 a.m.)
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