

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

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**In the Matter of:** )  
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Kono Gemechu )  
t/a Kearney's Grocery )  
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Holder of a Retailer's )  
Class B License )  
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Mailing address )  
1327 Kenyon Street, NW )  
Washington, D.C. 20010 )  
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License No.: ABRA-078591  
Order No.: 2018-719

**BEFORE:** Donovan Anderson, Chairperson  
Nick Alberti, Member  
Mike Silverstein, Member  
James Short, Member  
Bobby Cato, Member  
Rema Wahabzadah, Member

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**ORDER CANCELLING LICENSE IN SAFEKEEPING**

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The Alcoholic Beverage Regulation Administration (ABRA) has reviewed its records and determined that Kono Gemechu, t/a Kearney's Grocery (Licensee), currently in Safekeeping, has failed to pay the safekeeping fee for his license.

On October 24, 2018, the ABRA's Licensing Division mailed a written notice to the Licensee notifying the Licensee that the safekeeping fee must be remitted within thirty (30) days of the date of the notice, or the license will be cancelled, pursuant to the District of Columbia Official Code § 25-791(c-1)(1). The Licensee failed to make the payment despite being notified by ABRA of the payment due date.

It is hereby **ORDERED** on this 5th day of December, 2018, that Kono Gemechu's License No. ABRA-078591 is **CANCELLED**. A copy of this Order shall be sent to the Licensee.

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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, 2000 14<sup>th</sup> Street, N.W., Suite 400S, Washington, DC 20009.

Also, pursuant to section 11 of the District of Columbia Administrative Procedure Act, Pub. L. 90-614, 82 Stat. 1209, D.C. 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, 430 E Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20001; (202/879-1010). However, the timely filing of a Motion for Reconsideration pursuant to 23 DCMR §1719.1 (2008) 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).