

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
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ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE CONTROL BOARD
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MEETING

IN THE MATTER OF: :

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La Villa Restaurant, Inc.:
t/a La Villa Café :
6115 Georgia Avenue NW : Show Cause
Retailer CR - ANC 4B : Hearing (Status)
License No. 94826 :
Case #18-CIT-00199 :
:
(No ABC Manager on Duty, :
Failed to Post Name, :
Class and License Number :
on the Front Window or :
Front Door) :

Wednesday
August 15, 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:

FERNANDO RIVERO, DC OAG

ISIDORO AMAYA, Licensee

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

2 10:16 a.m.

3 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: All right. The
4 next case in our calendar is Case number 18-CIT-
5 000199, La Villa Café, License number 94826.
6 Will the parties approach and identify themselves
7 for the record, please?

8 MR. RIVERO: Good morning, Board
9 Members. Fernando Rivero for the District of
10 Columbia, standing in for Assistant Attorney
11 General Amy Schmidt.

12 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Good morning,
13 Mr. Rivero.

14 MR. AMAYA: Good morning. My name is
15 Isidoro Amaya.

16 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Good morning,
17 Mr. Amaya. Are there any preliminary matters in
18 this case?

19 MR. RIVERO: Yes. The parties have an
20 offer in compromise to present to the Board at
21 this time.

22 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: And what is

1 that, sir?

2 MR. RIVERO: The offer consists of,
3 for Charge 1 dismissal of the charge.

4 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Yes.

5 MR. RIVERO: For Charge 2 a fine of
6 \$850 dollars payable within 30 days. And if the
7 fine is not paid within 30 days the license will
8 be suspended until the payment is received. That
9 is the offer in compromise.

10 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: All right.
11 Thank you. Mr. Amaya, it's my understanding that
12 there's an offer in compromise, sir. The offer
13 in compromise is that Charge 1 will be dismissed.
14 For Charge 2 there is a fine of \$850 dollars,
15 payable in 30 days.

16 If the fine is not payable in 30 days
17 the license will be suspended until the fine has
18 been paid. Is this your understanding, sir, of
19 the offer in compromise?

20 MR. AMAYA: Yes.

21 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Are you aware
22 that by accepting an offer in compromise you're

1 giving up your right to a hearing?

2 MR. AMAYA: Yes.

3 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: And are you
4 also aware that by accepting an offer in
5 compromise that you are giving up your right to
6 appeal this matter?

7 MR. AMAYA: Yes.

8 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: With this said,
9 I then make a motion that the offer in compromise
10 of, the offer in compromise, that Charge 1 will
11 be dismissed.

12 For Charge 2 there is a fine of \$850
13 dollars payable in 30 days. If the fine is not
14 payable in 30 days the license will be dismissed
15 until the fine has been paid. Is there a second?

16 MEMBER SHORT: Second.

17 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Mr. Short has
18 seconded the motion. All those in favor say aye.

19 (Chorus of aye.)

20 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: All those
21 opposed.

22 (No response)

1 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: The matter
2 passed 6-0-0. All right. We'll have you sign
3 off on this paperwork, sir. And then you're free
4 to go. Thank you.

5 MR. RIVERO: Just a minor correction.
6 The Board Chair indicated that the license will
7 be dismissed if payment is not received --

8 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: The license
9 will be suspended until payment has been made.

10 MR. RIVERO: Right.

11 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Thank you.
12 Since today is our last hearing before our
13 vacation, maybe I've started our vacation mood
14 already. Maybe that's what goes on this Board.
15 But thank you, Mr. Rivero.

16 MR. RIVERO: Sure.

17 (Off microphone comments)

18 MR. AMAYA: Thank you. Thank you all.

19 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Thank you.
20 Have a good day, Mr. Amaya.

21 (Whereupon, the above-entitled matter
22 went off the record at 10:19 a.m.)

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