DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA + + + + + ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE CONTROL BOARD + + + + + MEETING

IN THE MATTER OF: : : Los Cuates Restaurant, : Inc., : t/a Los Cuates Restaurant: 1564 Wisconsin Ave NW : Show Cause Retailer CR - ANC 2E : Hearing (Status) License No. 79261 : Case #19-CMP-00005 : (No ABC Manager on Duty) :

> Wednesday, May 1, 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:

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DONOVAN W. ANDERSON, Chairperson NICK ALBERTI, Member BOBBY CATO, JR., Member MIKE SILVERSTEIN, Member

JAMES SHORT, Member

REMA WAHABZADAH, Member

ALSO PRESENT:

FERNANDO RIVERO, OAG

SIDON YOHANNES, Licensee's Attorney

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1	P-R-O-C-E-E-D-I-N-G-S
2	9:45 a.m.
3	CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: The next case
4	on our Show Cause Hearing (Status) is Case No.
5	19-CMP-00005, Los Cuates Restaurant, License No.
6	79261.
7	Would the parties, please, approach
8	and identify themselves for the record, please?
9	MR. RIVERO: Good morning, Board
10	Members. Fernando Rivero for the District of
11	Columbia.
12	CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Mr. Rivero.
13	MS. YOHANNES: Good morning. Sidon
14	Yohannes on behalf of the licensee.
15	CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Good morning,
16	Ms. Yohannes.
17	Are there any preliminary matters in
18	this case?
19	MR. RIVERO: Yes, there are. The
20	parties have an Offer in Compromise to present to
21	the Board, at this time. And that offer consists
22	of a fine of \$2,000 payable in 30 days. If the

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fine is not paid in that time, the license will
 be suspended until payment is received. That is
 the offer.

4 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Ms. Yohannes, 5 it's my understanding that there is an Offer in Compromise. And the Offer in Compromise is that 6 7 there is a fine of \$2,000 payable in 30 days. If 8 the fine is not payable in 30 days, the license 9 will be suspended. Is this your understanding of the Offer in Compromise? 10 11 Yes, it is. MS. YOHANNES: 12 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: And is your 13 client aware that by accepting an Offer in 14 Compromise, that they are giving up their right 15 to a hearing? 16 MS. YOHANNES: Yes. 17 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Is your client 18 also aware that by accepting an Offer in 19 Compromise, that they are giving up their right 20 to appeal this matter? 21 MS. YOHANNES: Yes. 22 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: With that said,

1I then make a motion that the Offer in Compromise2of a fine of \$2,000 payable in 30 days be3accepted. If the fine is not payable in 30 days4the license will be suspended until the fine has5been paid. Is there a second?6MEMBER SILVERSTEIN: Second.7CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Mr. Silverstate8has seconded the motion.9All those in favor say aye.10ALL: Aye.11CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: The matter12passes 5-0-0. All right.13MS. YOHANNES: Thank you.	s,
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13 MS. YOHANNES: Thank you.	
14 (Whereupon, the Show Cause (Status)	
15 Hearing was concluded at 9:47 a.m.)	
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