DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

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ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE CONTROL BOARD

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IN THE MATTER OF:

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Meskerem Abebe, LLC :

t/a Right Spot

1917 9th Street NW : Roll Call Retailer CR ANC1B : Hearing

License No. ABRA-100631 : Case #19-PRO-00027 :

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Monday
May 20, 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, Board Agent LaVerne Fletcher presiding.

PRESENT:

LAVERNE FLETCHER, Board Agent

ALSO PRESENT:

THOMAS M. ABEBE, APPLICANT

DAN ORLASKEY, ANC1B

1	P-R-O-C-E-E-D-I-N-G-S
2	(10:14 a.m.)
3	MS. FLETCHER: Would the parties in the
4	matter of Right Spot please come forward? The parties
5	in the matter of Right Spot. This is case number
6	19-PRO-00027, Meskerem Abebe?
7	MR. ABEBE: Abebe.
8	MS. FLETCHER: Thank you.
9	MR. ABEBE: I am the representative I
10	have the powers for attorney.
11	MS. FLETCHER: Okay. I'll take that.
12	That's the what is that? Your
13	MR. ABEBE: Power of Attorney for my
14	sister.
15	MS. FLETCHER: Okay. Is that our copy?
16	MR. ABEBE: Yes.
17	MS. FLETCHER: Okay. I'll take it. I'll
18	take it. Thank you. Could you do me a favor? And
19	show that to Mr. Orlaskey for and then just bring
20	this
21	MR. ABEBE: Okay.
22	MS. FLETCHER: back to me? Thank you.

1 Okay. Thank you. Thank you very much. Okay. Thank 2 If you would state your name and spell it for the record, please? 3 4 MR. ABEBE: Thomas M. Abebe. T-H-O-M -A-5 S, M dot, A-B-E-B-E. 6 MS. FLETCHER: Thank you very much. And present on behalf of ANC1B? 7 Dan Orlaskey, Commissioner, 8 MR. ORLASKEY: 9 ANC1B-02. 10 MS. FLETCHER: Thank you. ANC1B has 11 standing as a protester. We need to set a date for a 12 status hearing, protest hearing and a mediation. I'11 13 give you the date of the status and protest hearing 14 first. 15 The date for the status hearing is June 16 That's June 26th at 9:30 a.m. The protest 17 hearing is scheduled for July 31st at 4:30 p.m. 18 I should tell you, you'll get an official notice of 19 these dates. 20 MR. ORLASKEY: But before you go on, we 21 actually already have a completed settlement 22 agreement.

1	MS. FLETCHER: Okay.
2	MR. ORLASKEY: We just need to go through
3	the ANC vote to approve it and it's our draft. So I
4	don't see
5	(Simultaneous speaking.)
6	MS. FLETCHER: And when does the ANC vote?
7	MR. ORLASKEY: Our next meeting's on the
8	6th. We can probably do it sooner, if that's
9	necessary. Not that we
10	MS. FLETCHER: No. That
11	MR. ORLASKEY: give it a vote.
12	MS. FLETCHER: So that'll be fine, Mr.
13	Orlaskey. What I'm going to do, I'm going to leave
14	the date for the status and protest hearing on the
15	record in case it doesn't work out. Although we
16	expect it to, but I won't set a date for mediation.
17	MR. ORLASKEY: Okay. That's fine. Thank
18	you.
19	MS. FLETCHER: So I'm not going to set a
20	date for mediation and once you get it signed, you can
21	submit it to Martha Jenkins, our general counsel.
22	MR. ORLASKEY: Uh-huh. Will do.

1	MS. FLETCHER: That's Martha, M-A-R-T- H-
2	A, J-E-N-K-I-N-S, martha.jenkins@anc.gov. And then,
3	we'll take it we'll put it on the Board's agenda
4	for approval
5	MR. ORLASKEY: Okay.
6	MS. FLETCHER: and cancel the status
7	hearing and the protest hearing.
8	MR. ORLASKEY: Okay. Sounds good. Thank
9	you.
10	MS. FLETCHER: Thank you very much. Any
11	questions, Mr. Abebe?
12	MR. ABEBE: No.
13	MS. FLETCHER: Okay. Thank you very much.
14	Well, thank you for coming.
15	MR. ABEBE: Thank you.
16	MS. FLETCHER: The Roll Call Hearing is
17	concluded. Mr. Orlaskey, you've got one more.
18	MR. ORLASKEY: Got one more? Okay.
19	(Whereupon, the above-entitled matter went
20	off the record at 10:14 a.m.)
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