

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

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In the Matter of:	)	
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Eleana, LLC	)	Case No.: 19-PRO-00119
t/a Secret Lounge	)	License No: 107123
	)	Order No: 2020-109
Application for a Substantial Change to a	)	
Retailer's Class CT License	)	
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at premises	)	
1928 9th Street, N.W.	)	
Washington, D.C. 20001	)	

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**BEFORE:** Donovan Anderson, Chairperson  
James Short, Member  
Bobby Cato, Member  
Rema Wahabzadah, Member  
Rafi Aliya Crockett, Member  
Jeni Hansen, Member

**ALSO PRESENT:** Eleana, LLC, t/a Secret Lounge, Applicant

Dan Orlaskey, Commissioner, on behalf of Advisory Neighborhood  
Commission (ANC) 1B, Protestants

Martha Jenkins, General Counsel  
Alcoholic Beverage Regulation Administration

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**ORDER DENYING MOTION FOR RECONSIDERATION**

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In Board Order No. 2020-072, Eleana, LLC, t/a Secret Lounge, (Applicant) was dismissed for failing to appear at the required Protest Status Hearing on January 29, 2020. The Applicant filed a motion requesting reconsideration and reinstatement because mail providing notice of the hearing was allegedly sent to the wrong address. Nevertheless, as noted by the ANC, the Applicant was advised on multiple occasions as to the date and time of the hearing, including during the Roll Call Hearing and at mediation.

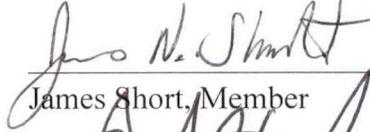
## **ORDER**

Therefore, the Board, on this 26th day of February 2020, hereby **DENIES** the motion filed by the Applicant as the failure to appear lacked good cause in accordance with 23 DCMR § 1604.3. A copy of this Order shall be provided to the parties.

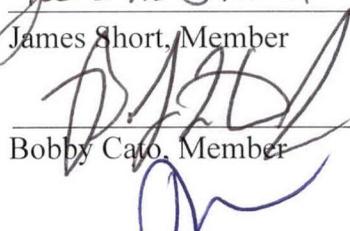
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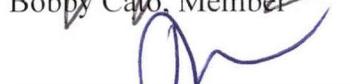
Donovan Anderson, Chairperson



James Short, Member



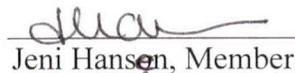
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Pursuant to D.C. Official Code § 25-433(d)(1), any party adversely affected may file a Motion for Reconsideration of this decision within ten (10) days of service of this Order with the Alcoholic Beverage Regulation Administration, Reeves Center, 2000 14th Street, NW, 400S, Washington, D.C. 20009.

Also, pursuant to section 11 of the District of Columbia Administrative Procedure Act, Pub. L. 90-614, 82 Stat. 1209, D.C. 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. However, the timely filing of a Motion for Reconsideration pursuant to 23 DCMR § 1719.1 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).