

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

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**In the Matter of:** )

Dupont Estates, Inc. )  
t/a Sign of the Whale )

Holder of a Retailer's )  
Class CT License )

at premises )  
1825 M Street, NW )  
Washington, D.C. 20032 )

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License No.: ABRA-116058  
Order No.: 2020-990

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

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**ORDER VACATING CANCELLATION OF LICENSE AND  
REINSTATING LICENSE**

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On November 18, 2020, the Alcoholic Beverage Control Board (Board) cancelled the Retailer Class CT License No. ABRA-116058 held by Dupont Estates, Inc., t/a [Sign of the Whale, because Dupont Estates, Inc. failed to pay the second year license fees. *See* Board Order No. 2020-836.

On November 27, 2020, Dupont Estates, Inc. (Petitioner), sought reinstatement of the Retailer's Class CT License No. ABRA-116058. In support of its request for reinstatement, the Petitioner indicated that all issues preventing the Petitioner from submitting its second year license fees have been resolved.

The Board finds that the reinstatement of the license is proper conditioned upon the requirement that the Petitioner pays the second year license fees.

Accordingly, it is this 2nd day of December 2020, **ORDERED** that the **ORDER CANCELLING LICENSE** issued against the Petitioner, by the Board on November 18, 2020, be and hereby is **VACATED**.

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that the Petitioner pay the required fees within two (2) weeks from the date of this Order.

A copy of this Order shall be sent to the Petitioner.

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Alcoholic Beverage Control Board

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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 St. 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).