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2 9:46 a.m.

3 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: All right. We
4 now move to our Show Cause Hearing (Status)
5 Calendar and the first case on our Show Cause
6 Hearing (Status) Calendar is Case No. 18-CMP-
7 00178, Vapiano, License No. 76727.

8 Would the parties, please, approach
9 and identify themselves for the record, please?

10 MS. SCHMIDT: Good morning. Amy
11 Schmidt, Assistant Attorney General on behalf of
12 the District of Columbia.

13 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Good morning,
14 Ms. Schmidt.

15 MR. WU: Good morning. My name is
16 Chen Wu, General Manager of Vapiano.

17 MR. MATTHEWS: Good morning. My name
18 is Mark Matthews, Assistant General Manager for
19 Vapiano.

20 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Good morning,
21 Mr. Wu, what's your last name, sir?

22 MR. WU: W-U.

1 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: W-U. And Mr.
2 Matthews. Mr. Wu, do you have a letter from the
3 establishment authorizing you to make decisions
4 binding this organization today?

5 MR. WU: I have verbal permission.

6 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: No, you can't
7 have verbal permission. Let me ask you a
8 question. Are there any preliminary matters in
9 this case, Ms. --

10 MS. SCHMIDT: No, there are not.

11 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: All right. All
12 right. So for this particular case, it doesn't
13 matter, but so this matter then is scheduled for
14 a Show Cause Hearing on February 6th at 11:00 a.m.

15 At the Show Cause Hearing, or prior to
16 the Show Cause Hearing, sir, you need to provide
17 the Agency with written authority, so if one of
18 the licensee is not going to be here on February
19 -- at the Show Cause Hearing, you need to provide
20 something in writing from one of the owners of
21 the establishment giving you permission to bind
22 the establishment to whatever decision is made.

1 Okay?

2 But because there are no -- because no
3 final decisions will be made at this hearing, it
4 is fine. But I'm just saying for the next
5 hearing, if you are going to be here and one of
6 the owners are not going to be here, then you
7 have to bring us something in writing. It can be
8 done prior to. You can have the owner send in to
9 our General Counsel just a letter saying that you
10 are authorized to represent the establishment at
11 the Show Cause Hearing.

12 MR. MATTHEWS: Okay.

13 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: So I will see
14 you on February the 6th at 11:00. Thank you.

15 MR. WU: Thank you.

16 (Whereupon, the Show Cause (Status)
17 Hearing was concluded at 9:49 a.m.)

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