DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA + + + + + ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE CONTROL BOARD + + + + + ROLL CALL HEARING

IN THE MATTER OF: : : Wet Dog, LLC, : t/a Wet Dog Tavern : 2100 Vermont Ave, NW : Roll Call Retailer CT : Hearing License No. ABRA-096176 : Case #19-PRO-00126 : : (License Renewal) :

> Monday December 2, 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, LaVerne Fletcher, Board's Agent, presiding.

PRESENT:

LAVERNE FLETCHER, ABRA Board's Agent

ALSO PRESENT:

FRANK ECONOMIDES, Applicant SIDON YOHANNES, Counsel for Applicant DAN WINSTON, ANC Commissioner

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1	P-R-O-C-E-E-D-I-N-G-S
2	10:14 a.m.
3	MS. FLETCHER: Would the parties in
4	the matter of Wet Dog Tavern, excuse me, Mr.
5	Winston, are you here for all of ANC 1B cases?
6	MR. WINSTON: No, just for 1B.
7	MS. FLETCHER: Just for that one?
8	MR. WINSTON: Yes.
9	MS. FLETCHER: Okay. There are others
10	on the calendar. Maybe there's somebody else
11	here for the others. So, just so that you know
12	there are
13	MR. WINSTON: If my presence here will
14	cause ANC 1B to have standing
15	MS. FLETCHER: Yes, it would be.
16	MR. WINSTON: Then I'll remain
17	present.
18	MS. FLETCHER: Okay, thank you. You
19	have four other cases on the calendar for today.
20	MR. WINSTON: There's one other in my
21	SNB file which is one that I definitely appeared
22	here for
23	MS. FLETCHER: Okay. So, you're going
24	to stand in for the remainder?
25	MR. WINSTON: I'll stand in for the
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remainder.

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2 MS. FLETCHER: Okay, good, thank you. 3 Ms. Yohannes, you are the representative for Wet 4 Dog? 5 Yes, and the owners are MS. YOHANNES: also here. Sidon Yohannes on behalf of the 6 7 Applicant. 8 MS. FLETCHER: Okay. Ms. Yohannes, 9 would you spell your name for the record, please? 10 MS. YOHANNES: S-I-D-O-N, Y-O-H-A-N-N-11 E-S. 12 MS. FLETCHER: And your name, sir? 13 MR. ECONOMIDES: Frank Economides, E-14 C-O-N-O-M-I-D-E-S. 15 Thank you very much. MS. FLETCHER: 16 And present on behalf of ANC 1B? 17 MR. WINSTON: Commissioner Dan 18 Winston, D-A-N-I-E-L, W-I-N-S-T-O-N. 19 MS. FLETCHER: Thank you. Mr. 20 Winston, and so what I'll do with your contact 21 information on the sign in sheet from the 22 previous case, we'll just communicate with you for the other cases. 23 24 And if you change the designated 25 representative you can just let us know.

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1	MR. WINSTON: Yes, I will be doing				
2	that.				
3	MS. FLETCHER: Okay, thank you. ANC				
4	1B has standing as a protestant. I'm going to				
5	give you the date for a status and protest				
6	hearing and then I'll give you some dates for				
7	mediation.				
8	The status hearing is set for February				
9	5, 2020, at 9:30. The status hearing is February				
10	5, 2020, at 9:30. The protest hearing is set for				
11	March 18th. March 18, 2020, at 1:30 for the				
12	protest hearing.				
13	I'll give you the next available date				
14	for mediation. We're now into the week of				
15	Christmas. Is anybody available that week or				
16	I'll keep moving through the calendar?				
17	I'm now down to December 31st, should				
18	I keep going?				
19	MS. YOHANNES: Yes, please.				
20	MS. FLETCHER: Okay, moving into				
21	January. The next available day, well I guess I				
22	should move to the week of January 6th because				
23	now we're into New Year's.				
24	I'm going to give you the first				
25	available date the week of January 6th. The				

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first available day is Monday, January 6th at 1 2 1:00 or 2:00 in the afternoon or if you prefer 3 something earlier we can move to Thursday, 4 January 9th. 5 MS. YOHANNES: We're fine with the 6th. 6 7 MR. WINSTON: Yes. MS. FLETCHER: You're fine with the 8 9 6th, 1:00 or 2:00, do you have a preference? Mr. 10 Winston, any preference? 11 MR. WINSTON: No, not at this time. 12 MS. FLETCHER: Okay. Well, let's just 13 make it 1:00. Mediation is set for Monday, 14 January 6th at 1 o'clock. Any questions? 15 MS. YOHANNES: No questions. 16 MS. FLETCHER: Mr. Winston? 17 MR. WINSTON: No. Okay. 18 MS. FLETCHER: Ms. Yohannes, is 19 the other case yours as well? 20 MS. YOHANNES: Yes. 21 MS. FLETCHER: Is the next case yours 22 as well? 23 MS. YOHANNES: I believe so, yes. 24 The next case is Unity. MS. FLETCHER: 25 Is that you?

1	MS. YOHANNES: No, I'm going to stand
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3	(Whereupon, the above-entitled matter
4	went off the record at 10:19 a.m.)
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