THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE CONTROL BOARD

In the Matter of:	)	
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PPT, Inc.	)	Case No. 10-PRO-00084
t/a Riverside Grill	)	License No. 017308
	)	Order No. 2010-414
Petition to Terminate a	)	
Voluntary Agreement for a	)	
Retailer's Class CR License	)	
	)	
at premises	)	
3050 K Street, N.W.	)	
Washington, D.C. 20007	)	
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PPT, Inc., t/a Riverside Grill, Petitioner

Jennifer Altemus, President, Citizens Association of Georgetown (CAG)

Julianne E. Dymowski, Esq., on behalf of a Group of Five or More Individuals

Ron Lewis, Chairperson, Advisory Neighborhood Commission (ANC) 2E

BEFORE: Charles Brodsky, Chairperson
Mital M. Gandhi, Member
Nick Alberti, Member
Donald Brooks, Member
Calvin Nophlin, Member
Mike Silverstein, Member

ORDER GRANTING REQUEST FOR REINSTATEMENT AND DENYING MOTION TO RE-PLACARD

The Petition filed by PPT, Inc., t/a Riverside Grill (Petitioner), to terminate the voluntary agreement that applies to its Retailer's Class CR License, having been protested, came before the Alcoholic Beverage Regulation Administration (ABRA) for a Roll Call Hearing on July 12, 2010, and is scheduled for a Status Hearing before the Alcoholic Beverage Control Board (Board) on August 11, 2010, and a Protest Hearing on September 22, 2010, in accordance with D.C. Official Code § 25-601 (2001).

On July 12, 2010, pursuant to Title 23 of the District of Columbia Municipal Regulations ("23 DCMR") § 1602.3 (2004), the Board dismissed the Protest of the Group of Five or More Individuals because two additional protestants from this Group of Five or More Individuals failed to appear at the Roll Call Hearing. The Group of Five or More Individuals was also dismissed because they are not signatories to the voluntary agreement.

The Group of Five or More Individuals timely filed a request for reinstatement with the Board on July 20, 2010. Upon consideration of this request to reinstate the protest of the Group of Five, the Board finds good cause to reinstate the Group of Five or More Individuals pursuant to 23 DCMR 1602.3. In addition, two additional Protestants from the Group of Five or More Individuals must appear at the Status Hearing on August 11, 2010.

Furthermore, Julianne E. Dymowski, Esq., representing the Group of Five or More Individuals, has alleged that the Petitioner did not comply with the placarding requirements. The Board takes administrative notice that ABRA's records indicate that ABRA properly posted the placard at the Petitioner's establishment on May 14, 2010. As such, the Board denies the Group of Five or More Individuals' request to re-placard the Petitioner's establishment.

ORDER

For these reasons, the Board does hereby, this 4th day of August, 2010, **REINSTATES** the Group of Five or More Individuals as a Protestant of the Application filed by PPT, Inc., t/a Riverside Grill, to terminate its voluntary agreement that applies to its Retailer's Class CR License. Further, two additional Protestants from the Group of Five or More Individuals must appear at the Status Hearing on August 11, 2010.

It is **FURTHER ORDERED** that the Group of Five or More Individual's motion to re-placard the Applicant is **DENIED**.

Copies of this Order shall be sent to the Protestants and the Applicant.

District of Columbia
Alcoholic Beverage Control Board

Charles Brodsky, Chairperson

Mital M. Gandhi, Member

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Pursuant to 23 DCMR § 1719.1 (April 2004), 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, 1250 U Street, N.W., Third Floor, Washington, D.C. 20009.