

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA  
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ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE CONTROL BOARD  
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MEETING

IN THE MATTER OF: :  
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S & W D.C., LLC :  
t/a Smith & Wollensky : Show Cause  
1112 19th Street, NW : Hearing  
Retailer CR - ANC-2B : (Status)  
License No. 60001 :  
Case #14-CC-00121 :  
:  
(Sale to Minor Violation, :  
Failed to Take Steps Necessary :  
to Ascertain Legal Drinking Age) :

January 14, 2015

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, Chairperson Ruthanne Miller, presiding.

PRESENT:

RUTHANNE MILLER, Chairperson  
NICK ALBERTI, Member  
MIKE SILVERSTEIN, Member  
HECTOR RODRIGUEZ, Member  
JAMES SHORT, Member

ALSO PRESENT:

FERNANDO RIVERO, OAG

1 P-R-O-C-E-E-D-I-N-G-S

2 9:50 a.m.

3 CHAIRPERSON MILLER: The next case is  
4 Case No. 14-CC-00121, Smith & Wollensky located  
5 at 1112 19th Street, N.W., License No. 60001, in  
6 ANC-2B.

7 MR. RIVERO: Good morning.

8 COURT REPORTER: Sir, can you turn on  
9 your microphone?

10 MR. RIVERO: Good morning, Board  
11 Members, Fernando Rivero for the District of  
12 Columbia standing in for Assistant Attorney  
13 General Gephardt.

14 MR. KLINE: Good morning, Andrew Kline  
15 on behalf of the licensee.

16 MR. MIRKOVIC: Good morning, Ned  
17 Mirkovic on behalf of Smith & Wollensky  
18 Restaurant at 1112 Northwest 19th Street.

19 CHAIRPERSON MILLER: Okay.

20 MR. KLINE: Madam Chair, Mr. Mirkovic  
21 is the ABC Licensed Manager and I have given to  
22 the Board's counsel a letter authorizing him,

1 signed by the CFO of the company, to be here  
2 today and represent the company.

3 CHAIRPERSON MILLER: Okay. And I  
4 actually have that letter in front of me, so we  
5 don't have any issues with that. Mr. Kline, did  
6 your client receive notice of this hearing?

7 MR. KLINE: Yes. Received the notice,  
8 read it, understood it and we waive any required  
9 formal reading.

10 CHAIRPERSON MILLER: Okay. Good. Are  
11 there any preliminary matters in this case?

12 MR. RIVERO: There are no preliminary  
13 matters in this case and the Government is ready  
14 to move forward to Show Cause Hearing.

15 CHAIRPERSON MILLER: Okay. The Show  
16 Cause Hearing is scheduled for February 11, 2015  
17 at 4:30 p.m. And that concludes this case.

18 MR. KLINE: Great. Thank you.

19 CHAIRPERSON MILLER: Thank you. Okay.

20 MR. RIVERO: Thank you.

21 (Whereupon, the Show Cause (Status)  
22 Hearing was concluded at 9:52 a.m.)

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