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ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE CONTROL BOARD  
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MEETING

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IN THE MATTER OF: :  
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JC7, LLC :  
t/a NY NY Diva : Protest  
Hearing :  
2406 18th Street, NW : (Status)  
Retailer CR, ANC 1C :  
License No. 92380 :  
Case No. 13-PRO-00128 :  
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Renewal Application :  
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Wednesday,  
November 20, 2013

The Alcoholic Beverage Control Board met in the Alcoholic Beverage Control Hearing Room, 2000 14th Street, N.W., Suite 400S, Washington, D.C. 20009, Chairperson Ruthanne Miller, presiding.

PRESENT:

- RUTHANNE MILLER, Chairperson
- NICK ALBERTI, Member
- DONALD BROOKS, Member
- MIKE SILVERSTEIN, Member

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9:41 A.M.

CHAIRPERSON MILLER: Next case is Case No. 13-PRO-00128, Diva, located at 2406 18th Street, N.W., License No. 92380, in ANC 1C and this is a renewal application.

Is the applicant here in this case? Before you get all settled. We had word that he's running late, so I think that we are going to come back to this case. We have many cases scheduled at the same time at 9:30, so we'll come back to this one.

(Whereupon, at 9:42 a.m., the proceeding was adjourned, to reconvene later in the morning.)

10:09 a.m.

CHAIRPERSON MILLER: That's the end of our Status Hearing cases and we're now returning to the ones that we called earlier where not everyone was here. So I'm going to go back in order and call Case No. 13-PRO-

1 00128, Diva, located at 2406 18th Street,  
2 N.W., License No. 92380, in ANC 1C.

3 Let's start with introductions.

4 MR. KHAN: Sammy Khan with NY NY  
5 Diva.

6 CHAIRPERSON MILLER: I'm sorry,  
7 could you give me your name again? Sammy --

8 MR. KHAN: Sammy Khan.

9 CHAIRPERSON MILLER: Okay, right.  
10 You're the owner?

11 MR. KHAN: Yes, ma'am.

12 CHAIRPERSON MILLER: All right.  
13 And with you?

14 MR. KAISER: Fahim Kaiser,  
15 manager.

16 CHAIRPERSON MILLER: Manager.  
17 Okay.

18 MR. HART: Brian Hart, ANC  
19 Commissioner for ANC 1C.

20 CHAIRPERSON MILLER: Okay, we were  
21 waiting for you. All right. I'm glad you're  
22 here. We don't have to dismiss you or

1 something drastic like that.

2 MR. JAMES: Dennis James  
3 representing Kalorama Citizens Association.

4 CHAIRPERSON MILLER: Okay.

5 MS. AUBURN: Benedicte Auburn  
6 representing Reed-Cooke Neighborhood  
7 Association.

8 MR. NIXON: My name is James  
9 Nixon. I'm the designated representative for  
10 a group of seven or more neighbors.

11 CHAIRPERSON MILLER: Great. So it  
12 looks like all the parties are represented  
13 here. Okay. Are there any issues you want to  
14 bring to our attention? Otherwise, I'm going  
15 to go forward and schedule you for your  
16 hearing and read you just a few instructions  
17 about that.

18 MR. HART: I just want to note for  
19 the record that I was here on time. We were  
20 waiting for the applicant.

21 CHAIRPERSON MILLER: Oh, I'm  
22 sorry.

1 MR. HART: That's okay.

2 CHAIRPERSON MILLER: That's good  
3 to know for the record. I'm glad you're all  
4 here. So not hearing any issues, I'm going to  
5 schedule this for Protest Hearing January 22,  
6 2014 at 4:30 p.m. You should have received a  
7 mailing from our Adjudication Assistant Tesha  
8 Anderson.

9 In that is a letter explaining the  
10 protest process and her phone number is 442-  
11 6942, if you have any questions between now  
12 and then. But in general, you would have  
13 received a protest information form or should  
14 have in that mailing and that is very  
15 important. You need to fill that out within  
16 seven days and serve it on all the parties and  
17 the ABC Board.

18 In that, you need to identify  
19 exactly at that point what the issues are  
20 going to be for the hearing, who your  
21 witnesses are. We don't want surprises at the  
22 hearing and it will help us to focus you all.

1                   So if you have any questions, you  
2                   can ask me now, but also after you leave, Ms.  
3                   Anderson, or our general counsel, Martha  
4                   Jenkins,  
5                   would be happy to answer them for you.

6                   Cases have been dismissed for  
7                   failure to submit this PIF and serve it on the  
8                   other parties, so pay attention to that most  
9                   of all and the seven-day deadline.

10                   Any questions? Thank you.

11                   (Whereupon, at 10:12 a.m., the  
12                   Protest Hearing (Status) was concluded.)  
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