

**THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE CONTROL BOARD**

In the Matter of:)
)
Multi-management, Inc.)
t/a Habana Village)
)
Applicant for Renewal of)
Retailer's Class CR License)
)
at premises)
1834 Columbia Road, N.W.)
Washington, D.C. 20009)
_____)

Case No. 13-PRO-00033
License No. ABRA-024197
Order No. 2013-345

Multi-management, Inc., t/a Habana Village (Applicant)
Denis James, President, on behalf of Kalorama Citizens Association (KCA)

BEFORE: Ruthanne Miller, Chairperson
Nick Alberti, Member
Donald Brooks, Member
Herman Jones, Member
Mike Silverstein, Member

**ORDER DENYING APPLICANT'S REQUEST
FOR DISMISSAL OF THE PROTEST OF KCA**

The Application filed by Multi-management, Inc., t/a Habana Village, for renewal of its Retailer's Class CR License, having been protested, came before the Alcoholic Beverage Control Board (Board) for a Roll Call Hearing on May 28, 2013, and a Protest Status Hearing on July 10, 2013, in accordance with D.C. Official Code § 25-601 (2001). A Protest Hearing is scheduled for September 11, 2013.

Mediation was scheduled for June 13, 2013. The Mediation was not held because KCA failed to appear. On June 18, 2013, Pedro Lujan, Jr., on behalf of the Applicant, submitted a request for dismissal of KCA's Protest due to the KCA's absence at Mediation.

Denis James, on behalf of KCA, submitted correspondence dated July 8, 2013, indicating that during the Roll Call Hearing, he incorrectly wrote down the date of Mediation as July 13, 2013. Mr. James did not realize that he failed to attend Mediation until he was informed by Mr. Lujan.

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Based upon the above, the Board finds that KCA's failure to attend Mediation was not intentional. As such, the Board denies the Applicant's request to dismiss KCA's Protest.

The Board's record reflects that Mediation was subsequently held on July 10, 2013, by agreement of the Parties.

ORDER

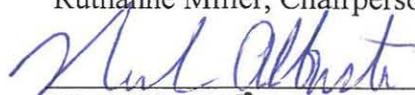
The Board does hereby, this 17th day of July, 2013, **DENY** the Applicant's request to dismiss KCA's Protest. Copies of this Order shall be sent to the Applicant and KCA.

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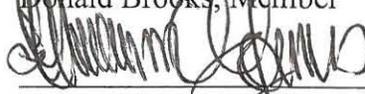
Ruthanne Miller, Chairperson



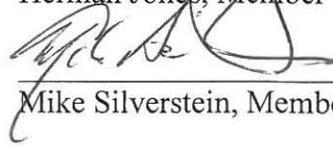
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Pursuant to D.C. Official Code § 25-433, any party adversely affected may file a Motion for Reconsideration of this decision within ten (10) days of service of this Order with the Alcoholic Beverage Regulation Administration, 2000 14th Street, N.W., Suite 400S, Washington, DC 20009.