

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

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In the Matter of:)
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Amde Sofenias)
t/a Queen Makeda)
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Holder of a Retailer's)
Class CR License)
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at premises)
1917 9th Street, N.W.)
Washington, D.C. 20001)
_____)

License No: ABRA-060510
Order No: 2013-361

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

ORDER TO CEASE AND DESIST

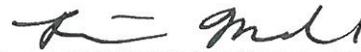
The Alcoholic Beverage Control Board (Board) has been notified by the Department of Consumer and Regulatory Affairs (DCRA) that Amde Sofenias, t/a Queen Makeda (Licensee), at premises 1917 9th Street, N.W., Washington, D.C., is operating without a valid Basic Business License. Specifically, the Licensee's license endorsement for "Restaurant" has not been issued for the period of January 1, 2011 to present. In accordance with the laws and regulations of the District of Columbia, the Licensee shall not engage in the sale or service of alcoholic beverages unless a certificate of occupancy and all other business licenses have been issued for the business.

Pursuant to D.C. Official Code § 25-829 you are therefore **ORDERED** by the Board on this 7th day of August, 2013, to **STOP selling, serving, or permitting the consumption of alcoholic beverages at 1917 9th Street, N.W., Washington, D.C.** You may not allow the sale of alcoholic beverages on the premises until your ABC license is reinstated by the Board.

Please be advised that a copy of this Order is being forwarded to the Metropolitan Police Department and District Wholesalers to ensure compliance. If it is found that you are continuing to sell, serve, or permit the consumption of alcoholic beverages at 1917 9th Street, N.W., Washington, D.C., without approval from the Board, you may be subject to the maximum civil penalties provided by the law.

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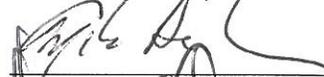
Ruthanne Miller, Chairperson



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Pursuant to D.C. Official Code § 25-829(b)(1), you may submit a written request to the Board for a hearing within fifteen (15) days of service of this Order. Additionally, you may submit a written request to the Board for an expedited hearing pursuant to D.C. Official Code § 25-829(c)(1) within ten (10) days of service of this Order. A written request for a hearing should be addressed to the Board and sent to the Alcoholic Beverage Regulation Administration, 2000 14th Street, N.W., Suite 400S, Washington, D.C., 20009.

GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER AND REGULATORY AFFAIRS
Business and Professional Licensing Administration
Business Licensing Division



CERTIFICATION

I **HEREBY CERTIFY** that a search of the official Business Licensing Division records for **Sofenias Amde t/a Queen Makeda** revealed that:

A Basic Business **Public Health Food Establishment** license endorsement for **“Restaurant”** has not been issued for **“1917 9th Street N.W., Washington, DC 20001”** for the period of **January 1, 2011 to present.**

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of this office to be affixed as of the **19th day of July 2013.**

Nicholas A. Majett
Director

By:

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Melanie", written over a horizontal line.

Melanie Henderson
Program Manager
Business Licensing Division

Vincent C. Gray
Mayor