

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA  
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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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A & A Restaurant Group, Inc. :

t/a Russia House : Show Cause

1800 Connecticut Ave., NW : Hearing

Retailer CR - ANC-2D : (Status)

License No. 80952 :

Case #11-CMP-00367 :

Case #11-CMP-00440 :

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(Allowed the Sale or :

Delivery of Alcoholic :

Beverages Outside of the :

Allowed Hours) :

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June 6, 2012

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

HERMAN JONES, Member

CALVIN NOPHLIN, Member

MIKE SILVERSTEIN, Member

ALSO PRESENT:

LOUISE PHILLIPS, OAG

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

2 (10:26 a.m.)

3 CHAIRPERSON MILLER: The next case  
4 on our calendar is Case No. 11-CMP-00367 and  
5 11-CMP-00440, Russia House, located at 1800  
6 Connecticut Avenue, N.W., License No. 80952,  
7 located in ANC-2D.

8 The OAG attorney has stepped out  
9 for some reason, so we have been requested to  
10 come back to you as soon as she gets back.

11 MR. McGOVERN: Okay. Thank you.

12 CHAIRPERSON MILLER: Okay.

13 (Whereupon, at 10:27 a.m. a recess  
14 until 10:29 a.m.)

15 CHAIRPERSON MILLER: Ms. Phillips  
16 you are back.

17 MS. PHILLIPS: Thank you. I  
18 apologize if I kept you waiting.

19 CHAIRPERSON MILLER: Okay. All  
20 right. This is Russia House, Case No. 00440.

21 So why don't we start with  
22 introductions?

1 MR. McGOVERN: Good morning, Madam  
2 Chair and ABC Board. My name is Aaron  
3 McGovern. I am the president and owner of A  
4 & A Restaurant Group t/a Russia House.

5 CHAIRPERSON MILLER: Okay.

6 MS. PHILLIPS: Louise Phillips,  
7 Assistant Attorney General for the District of  
8 Columbia. And, Madam Chair, you're dropping  
9 your voice so, I can't tell when you called  
10 two cases.

11 CHAIRPERSON MILLER: Oh.

12 MS. PHILLIPS: Did you call 367  
13 and 440?

14 CHAIRPERSON MILLER: I'm sorry,  
15 you know what, I actually called them when you  
16 weren't here.

17 MS. PHILLIPS: Oh.

18 CHAIRPERSON MILLER: That's why  
19 you didn't hear them.

20 MS. PHILLIPS: Oh, that's okay.

21 CHAIRPERSON MILLER: So and then  
22 we -- okay. So this is, yes, 00367 and 00440.

1 And let me ask, Mr. McGovern, this is a Show  
2 Cause (Status) Hearing, did you receive notice  
3 of the hearing?

4 MR. McGOVERN: We did.

5 CHAIRPERSON MILLER: Did you read  
6 it?

7 MR. McGOVERN: Yes, I did.

8 CHAIRPERSON MILLER: Did you  
9 understand it?

10 MR. McGOVERN: I did.

11 CHAIRPERSON MILLER: And do you  
12 waive our reading of the notice into the  
13 record?

14 MR. McGOVERN: I do.

15 CHAIRPERSON MILLER: Okay. Okay.  
16 I think we are ready to go.

17 MS. PHILLIPS: There are no  
18 preliminary matters, Madam Chair.

19 CHAIRPERSON MILLER: Okay.

20 MS. PHILLIPS: We will go to Show  
21 Cause Hearing, which I believe is scheduled on  
22 the 18th?

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CHAIRPERSON MILLER: July 18, 2012

at 3:30 p.m. Okay? All set?

MR. McGOVERN: Yes.

CHAIRPERSON MILLER: Okay.

MS. PHILLIPS: Thank you.

CHAIRPERSON MILLER: Thank you.

(Whereupon, the Show Cause  
(Status) Hearing in the above-entitled matter  
was concluded at 10:31 a.m.)

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