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ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE CONTROL BOARD
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MEETING

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IN THE MATTER OF:        :
Tomy Liquor, LLC,        :
t/a Union Liquor        :
1537 Good Hope Road S.E. : Protest Status
License #109197          : Hearing
Retailer A - ANC 8A      :
Case #21-PRO-00028       :

(Application for License :
Renewal)
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Wednesday
June 30, 2021

The Alcoholic Beverage Control Board
met via WebEx videoconference, Chairperson
Donovan W. Anderson presiding.

PRESENT:
DONOVAN W. ANDERSON, Chairperson
RAFI ALIYA CROCKETT, Member
EDWARD S. GRANDIS, Member
JENI HANSEN, Member
JAMES SHORT, JR., Member

ALSO PRESENT:
SIMONE ANDREWS, DC ABRA Staff
KYUNG LEE, Applicant's Counsel
Chairperson Anderson: All right, the next case on our calendar is Case Number 21-PROC-00028, Union Liquor, License Number 109197.

Ms. Andrews, can you please elevate the rights of the Licensee and the Protestants in this case, please?

Ms. Andrews: Sure, stand by.

Mr. Lee has been elevated.

(Pause.)

Ms. Andrews: That's all, Mr. Chair.

Chairperson Anderson: The Licensee in this -- I'm sorry, the Protestant in this case is ANC 8A. And who I have here is Jamila White. If Ms. Jamila White, if she's on this case, can you please identify yourself in the chat, please.

(No audible response.)

Chairperson Anderson: If there a representative for ANC 8A on the line, on the call, can you please identify yourself and we'll elevate your rights.

(No audible response.)

Mr. Lee, can you mute your line, please. Thank you.
All right, what I'm going to do, Mr. Lee, I will recall this case. I will go to the calendar, and I will recall this case. And if the ANC is not there, I'll make a motion that we dismiss their protest.

MR. LEE: All right, thanks.

CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Thank you.

Ms. Andrews, can you do what you need to do, please?

MS. ANDREWS: Sure, stand by.

CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Thank you.

(Whereupon, the above-entitled matter went off the record at 10:43 a.m. and resumed at 12:02 p.m.)

CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: All right. The next case in our calendar that I'm recalling is Case Number 21-PRO-00028. This is Union Liquor, License Number 109197.

Ms. Andrews, can you please elevate the rights of the Licensee and the Counsel, I think, Mr. Kevin Lee, and the Protestant which is ANC 8A?

MS. ANDREWS: Sure. Mr. Lee, your rights have been elevated. That's all, Mr. Chair.

CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: All right. All
right, just let me see something here. It's just one as before. I'm trying to clarify something in my mind.

All right. This case was scheduled for a protest hearing at 10:30. I called the case at 10:30, and ANC 8A did not appear. And it is now 12:04, and I'm recalling the case. And ANC 8A, it still didn't appear. Is there a motion that you wish to make, Mr. Lee? Mr. Lee?

MR. LEE: Hey, can you me?

CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: I cannot hear you, Mr. Lee.

MR. LEE: Hello?

CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Yes, sir.

MR. LEE: Yes, hi. Good afternoon, Board members. My name is Kevin Lee representing Union Liquors in the matter of a protest.

CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Is there, I see that ANC is the Protestant. I'm recalling the case, and the ANC is not here. Is there a motion you wish to make, sir?

MR. LEE: Yes.

CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: What is that, sir?

MR. LEE: Yes, a motion to dismiss,
because they are absent to the status hearing.

CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: As I said before, this matter was scheduled for a protest hearing at, a status hearing at 10:30. This case was called at 10:30. ANC failed to appear.

The Licensee was here the first time the case was called. It is now 12:05. I'm recalling the case. I'm sorry, the Licensee is here, and the Protestant is not here.

I then, pursuant to the motion made by the Licensee, I then make a motion that the protest by ANC 8A is dismissed. Is there a second?

MEMBER GRANDIS: Ed Grandis has seconded.

MEMBER SHORT: James Short, second.

CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Mr. Grandis and Mr. Short have seconded the motion. We'll now have a roll call vote on the motion.

Mr. Short?

MEMBER SHORT: Mr. Short, I agree.

CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Ms. Crockett?

MEMBER CROCKETT: Rafi Crockett, I agree.

CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Ms. Hansen?
MEMBER HANSEN: Jeni Hansen, I agree.

CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Mr. Grandis?

MEMBER GRANDIS: Edward Grandis, I agree.

CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Mr. Anderson, I agree. The matter passed 5, 0, 0. The motion that was passed is to dismiss the protest filed on the ANC and to authorize the Agency to move forward with the process of renewing the application for the Licensee.

The ANC will be given ten days once the petition is written to file a motion for reconsideration to provide the Agency with good cause why they failed to appear today.

If the ANC fails to appear, I'm sorry, fails to respond to our written notice or to give us good cause, then the Agency will move forward with the process of renewing this license.

Thank you for your appearance today, Mr. Lee. Have a great day. Thank you very much.

MR. LEE: Thank you very much for your time.

CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Thanks, bye-bye.

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