

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
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ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE CONTROL BOARD
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MEETING

IN THE MATTER OF:

Capitol City Brewing Company,
LLC t/a Penthouse Pool/Lounge Protest
1612 U Street, NW Hearing
Retailer CT - ANC-2B (Status)
License No. 86789
Case #14-PRO-00046

(Substantial Change -
Expansion to 4th Floor and
Entertainment Endorsement)

September 10, 2014

The Alcoholic Beverage Control
Board met in the Alcoholic Beverage Control
Hearing Room, Reeves Building, 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
HECTOR RODRIGUEZ, Member
JAMES SHORT, Member

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(9:44 a.m.)

CHAIRPERSON MILLER: Good morning, everyone. I would like to welcome you to the regularly scheduled meeting of the District of Columbia's Alcoholic Beverage Control Board. Today is September 10, 2014.

My name is Ruthanne Miller. I'm the Chairperson. Joining me to my far right is Mr. Donald Brooks. Next to Mr. Brooks is Mr. Nick Alberti. And next to Mr. Alberti is Hector Rodriguez. And to my left is Mr. Mike Silverstein. And next to Mr. Silverstein is Mr. James Short. So we have six Members in attendance this morning and three constitutes a quorum.

Copies of today's hearing calendar and agenda are available at the receptionist desk. Please be aware that these proceedings are being recorded by a court reporter. Accordingly, we must ask you to refrain from any disruptive noises or actions in the

1 hearing room.

2 If you have any electronic
3 devices, pagers, cell phones or such, please,
4 make certain that they are turned off to avoid
5 any interruption of the proceedings.

6 When I call your case, please,
7 come forward and take a seat at the table.
8 You will note that there is a piece of paper
9 on each table for you to sign-in. This is to
10 ensure the correct spelling of your name for
11 the record.

12 The Open Meetings Act requires
13 that the public hearing on each case be open
14 to the public. The Board may, consistent with
15 Section 405(b) of the Open Meetings Act, enter
16 a closed meeting during or after the public
17 hearing on a case to consult with an attorney
18 to obtain legal advice, discuss settlement
19 agreements or deliberate upon a decision in an
20 adjudication proceeding.

21 Okay. So we have many cases all
22 scheduled for 9:30 this morning. And what I

1 just want to let you know up front is we have
2 a few cases that we are aware of that may have
3 some motions in them or some more discussion
4 than others.

5 And so I'm going to put those at
6 the end, so we can get the short ones through
7 and get you all on your way.

8 So the ones that I'm referring to
9 that I'm going to put near the end of the
10 statuses is Cheerz, Takoma Station Tavern and
11 Giant. So they are at the beginning of this
12 agenda, but we are going to hear them at the
13 end of the statuses.

14 So then I'm going to start with
15 Penthouse Pool & Lounge, which is Case No. 14-
16 PRO-00046 and that's located at 1612 U Street,
17 N.W., License No. 86789.

18 And this one has been canceled,
19 the hearing, because a settlement agreement
20 has been entered into.

21 So that was an easy one.

22 (Whereupon, the Protest (Status)

1 Hearing in the above-entitled matter was
2 concluded at 9:47 a.m.)

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