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GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE REGULATION ADMINISTRATION
ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE CONTROL BOARD

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IN THE MATTER OF: :
SILKARI EAST, INC. t/a :
Kouzina Authentic Greek :
Restaurant :
3234 Prospect Street N.W. : Case #15-PRO-00103
License #ABRA-099818 :
Retailer Class CR :
New Application :
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Monday, November 23, 2015

Whereupon, the above-referenced matter
came on for hearing at the Alcoholic Beverage
Control Board, 2000 14th Street NW, Suite 400
South, Washington, D.C. 20009.

1 AGENT FOR THE BOARD:

2 LAVERN FLETCHER, Presiding

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5 ALSO PRESENT:

6 KAREN CRUSE,

7 On behalf of Citizen's Association of

8 Georgetown and ANC 2E

9 ELISA CHETRIT,

10 On behalf of the Applicant

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

2 [10:06 a.m.]

3 MS. FLETCHER: Would the parties in the
4 matter of Kouzina Authentic Greek Restaurant
5 please come forward? This is Case No. 15-PRO-
6 00103, Silkari East, Inc., trading as Kouzina
7 Authentic Greek Restaurant, 3234 Prospect Street
8 Northwest, License No. ABRA-099818. This is a
9 Retailer Class CR new application.

10 The protest issues are adverse impact on
11 peace, order, and quiet. My name is Laverne
12 Fletcher and I'm conducting the roll call hearing
13 as the Board's agent, pursuant to D.C. Official
14 Code 1601.2.

15 Thank you, Ms. Cruse. That's spelled, C-
16 R-U-S-E. Present on behalf of the applicant?

17 MS. CHETRIT: Elisa Chetrit.

18 MS. FLETCHER: And would you pronounce
19 that one more time?

20 MS. CHETRIT: Sure.

21 MS. FLETCHER: And spell it for the
22 record.

1 MS. CHETRIT: C-H-E-T-R-I-T.

2 MS. FLETCHER: I'm sorry, C-H?

3 MS. CHETRIT: E-T.

4 MS. FLETCHER: Okay. C-H-E-T.

5 MS. CHETRIT: R-I-T.

6 MS. FLETCHER: R-I-T?

7 MS. CHETRIT: T. T, as in Tom.

8 MS. FLETCHER: T, as in Tom.

9 MS. CHETRIT: Yep.

10 MS. FLETCHER: Is that the first name?

11 MS. CHETRIT: No, that's the last name.

12 MS. FLETCHER: What's the first name?

13 MS. CHETRIT: Elisa, E-L-I-S-A.

14 MS. FLETCHER: E-L-I-S-A?

15 MS. CHETRIT: Correct.

16 MS. FLETCHER: Thank you very much. And
17 present on behalf of the Citizen's Association of
18 Georgetown and ANC 2E.

19 MS. CRUSE: I am Karen Tammany Cruse, C-
20 R-U-S-E. And I have the paperwork in to
21 represent the Chair.

22 MS. FLETCHER: Yes, you do, Ms. Cruse. I

1 have that. Thank you very much. The Kalorama
2 Citizen's Association and ANC 2E have standing as
3 protestants.

4 MS. CRUSE: Georgetown?

5 MS. FLETCHER: They have standing as --

6 MS. CRUSE: You said Kalorama. The
7 Citizen's --

8 MS. FLETCHER: What did I say?

9 MS. CRUSE: -- Association of Georgetown.

10 MS. FLETCHER: Oh, no. Citizen's
11 Association of Georgetown.

12 MS. CRUSE: Yes, that's it.

13 MS. FLETCHER: Thank you. That is not
14 what I meant. The Citizen's Association of
15 Georgetown and ANC 2E have standing as
16 protestants.

17 MS. CRUSE: Thank you.

18 MS. FLETCHER: Thank you for that
19 correction.

20 We need to set a date for mediation, the
21 status hearing, and the protest hearing. I'll
22 give you the dates for the status hearing and the

1 protest hearing first. The date for the protest
2 hearing -- I mean, status hearing, I'm sorry, is
3 December the 9th at 9:30. That's December 9 at
4 9:30 for the status hearing.

5 And for the protest hearing the date is
6 January 20, 2016 at 4:30 p.m.

7 I'll give you the next available date for
8 mediation. The next available date is December
9 the 1st, which is a Tuesday at 9:00, 10:00, or
10 11:00.

11 MS. CRUSE: That's not a good day for --
12 that's probably the only time that I couldn't
13 make it that week.

14 MS. FLETCHER: Okay. Well, then we can
15 do Thursday, December 3rd, if that works. Or the
16 applicant, December 3rd?

17 MS. CHETRIT: It's seems fine. I didn't
18 bring a calendar. That seems okay.

19 MS. FLETCHER: Okay. If it --

20 MS. CHETRIT: At what time?

21 MS. FLETCHER: At 9:00, 10:00, or 11:00.

22 You have a preference?

1 MS. CHETRIT: That's something --

2 MS. CHETRIT: 10:00. Beat traffic a
3 little bit.

4 MS. FLETCHER: So mediation is set for
5 10:00 on December the 3rd. And if that changes,
6 if that turns out not going to be a good date for
7 you, you can -- my card is on the table and you
8 can send me an e-mail. But you're going to get
9 an e-mail of these dates that you were given
10 today. And so my e-mail address will be in that
11 also.

12 MS. CHETRIT: Thank you.

13 MS. FLETCHER: Okay. And so, any
14 questions at all?

15 Okay. Well, thank you for coming.

16 MS. CRUSE: Thank you.

17 MS. CHETRIT: Thank you.

18 MS. FLETCHER: See you on December 3rd.
19 Have a nice Thanksgiving.

20 [Whereupon, the above-entitled matter
21 concluded at 10:11 a.m.]

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