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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARINGS CALENDAR  
(ROLL CALL HEARINGS)

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 25, 2013  
2000 14TH STREET, N.W., SUITE 4008  
WASHINGTON, d.c. 20009

RUTHANNE MILLER, CHAIRPERSON

MEMBERS:

NICK ALBERTI, DONALD BROOKS, HERMAN JONES, MIKE  
SILVERSTEIN

ROLL CALL HEARINGS

10:00 A.M.

In the matter of:

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Case Number 13-PRO-00149, :

Acott Ventures LLC, :

trading as Shadow Room, :

2131 K Street Northwest, :

License Number ABRA :  
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1 P-R-O-C-E-E-D-I-N-G-S

2 (10:08 a.m.)

3 Would the parties in the matter of  
4 Shadow Room come forward, please? The parties in  
5 the matter of Shadow Room? This is Case Number  
6 13-PRO-00149, Acott Ventures LLC, trading as  
7 Shadow Room, 2131 K Street Northwest, License  
8 Number ABRA-075871.

9 This is a retailer CN license renewal.  
10 The protest issues are adverse impact on peace,  
11 order and quiet, residential parking and  
12 vehicular and pedestrian safety, and real  
13 property values.

14 My name is LaVerne Fletcher, and I'll  
15 be conducting the roll call hearing as the  
16 Board's agent pursuant to D.C. Official Code  
17 1601.2. Introductions beginning with the  
18 applicant. Your name, sir?

19 MR. CARNES: My name is Jackson  
20 Carnes. I'm representing ANC 2A.

21 MS. FLETCHER: Okay.

22 MR. ACOTT: Should we switch?

1 MS. FLETCHER: Yes, okay. Yes, would  
2 you?

3 MR. CARNES: Yes.

4 MS. FLETCHER: The protestants are on  
5 this side. Thank you. And the -- so, you're the  
6 applicant, right?

7 MR. ACOTT: Yes.

8 MS. FLETCHER: And what is your name,  
9 please?

10 MR. ACOTT: Stephen Acott, on behalf  
11 of Shadow Room.

12 MS. FLETCHER: Would you spell that  
13 for the record, please?

14 MR. ACOTT: Yes. Stephen is spelled  
15 S-T-E-P-H-E-N.

16 MS. FLETCHER: Yes?

17 MR. ACOTT: Acott is spelled A-C-O-T-  
18 T.

19 MS. FLETCHER: Thank you. And present  
20 on behalf of ANC 2A?

21 MR. CARNES: My name is Jackson  
22 Carnes. I'm representing ANC 2A.

1 MS. FLETCHER: And for a group of 50?

2 MR. LABAS: I'm Chris Labas, and I'm  
3 representing the group of actually eight that are  
4 here with me.

5 MS. FLETCHER: Okay, thank you very  
6 much. And Mr. Labas, would you spell your name  
7 for the court reporter, please?

8 MR. LABAS: Sure. It is C-H-R-I-S L-  
9 A-B-A-S.

10 MS. FLETCHER: Thank you, and everyone  
11 present with Mr. Labas, if you would, stand  
12 behind the table and spell your name, and --  
13 state your name and spell it for the court  
14 reporter. There's a microphone on the table  
15 right there.

16 MR. NEV: Good morning. I'll be  
17 first. My name is Trevor Nev, T-R-E-V-O-R; last  
18 name Nev, N-E-V.

19 MS. FLETCHER: Thank you.

20 MS. RINDE: Esther Rinde, E-S-T-H-E-R  
21 R-I-N-D-E.

22 MS. FLETCHER: Thank you.

1 MS. CIOFFI: Jean Cioffi, J-E-A-N C-I-  
2 O-F-F-I.

3 MS. DOW: Betty Dow, B-E-T-T-Y D-O-W.

4 MS. MOSER: Patricia Moser, P-A-T-R-I-  
5 C-I-A M-O-S-E-R.

6 MR. FEINBERG: Stephen Feinberg, S-T-  
7 E-P-H-E-N F-E-I-N-B-E-R-G.

8 MS. FLETCHER: Stephen F-E-I-N?

9 MR. FEINBERG: F-E-I-N as in never.

10 MS. FLETCHER: Yes, and what's the  
11 other few letters? Was there something after the  
12 N?

13 MR. FEINBERG: B, as in boy, E-R-G.

14 MS. FLETCHER: Thank you.

15 MR. GIZZI: John Gizzi, J-O-H-N G-I-Z-  
16 Z-I.

17 MS. FLETCHER: Thank you, Mr. Gizzi.  
18 Okay, so -- and Mr. Labas, you are a member --  
19 you signed the protest letter also?

20 MR. LABAS: Yes. Yes, ma'am.

21 MS. FLETCHER: So, eight members -- so  
22 there are eight members of your group present

1           today. That means that you've already  
2           established standing as a protestant. So, your  
3           group does have standing as a protestant, and  
4           that also means that for the status hearing, Mr.  
5           Labas, only you need to show up.

6                       MR. LABAS: Okay, thank you.

7                       MS. FLETCHER: Okay. Mr. Carnes, the  
8           first name is Jackson, right?

9                       MR. CARNES: That is correct.

10                      MS. FLETCHER: Okay, so, we've got the  
11           group of 50 and ANC 2A standing in this matter.  
12           We need to set a date for mediation, a status  
13           hearing and protest hearing. The status hearing  
14           is scheduled for January 22nd, 2014 at 9:30.

15                      MR. CARNES: That should be fine.

16                      MR. LABAS: That's fine with me. I'm  
17           sorry, Ms. Fletcher, what time?

18                      MS. FLETCHER: Nine-thirty.

19                      MR. LABAS: Nine thirty?

20                      MS. FLETCHER: Yes, on January 22nd.

21                      MR. LABAS: Yes.

22                      MS. FLETCHER: And the protest hearing

1 is set for March the 12th, 2014 at 1:30 p.m.

2 MR. CARNES: March 22nd?

3 MR. LABAS: March 12.

4 MS. FLETCHER: March 12, yes, at 1:30.

5 MR. CARNES: That's the status

6 hearing?

7 MS. FLETCHER: That's for the protest

8 hearing.

9 MR. LABAS: Protest hearing, okay.

10 MS. FLETCHER: The protest hearing is

11 March 12 at 1:30. It is the status hearing that

12 is January 22nd.

13 MR. LABAS: Okay.

14 MS. FLETCHER: The next available date

15 for mediation is Wednesday -- Thursday, December

16 12th, if that is good for everyone. Mr. Acott?

17 MR. ACOTT: Only request that we're

18 asking is any day after 11:00.

19 MS. FLETCHER: Any day after 11:00

20 a.m.?

21 MR. ACOTT: With the exception of

22 Friday.

1 MS. FLETCHER: With the exception of  
2 Friday, okay. The 12th is available at 1:00 if  
3 that's good for you, Mr. Labas, and you Mr.  
4 Carnes?

5 MR. CARNES: I think so.

6 MR. LABAS: Yes, that's fine.

7 MR. CARNES: At what time?

8 MS. FLETCHER: One o'clock. So, then  
9 mediation is set for Thursday, December 12 at  
10 1:00.

11 MR. LABAS: And that's here, right?

12 MS. FLETCHER: Yes, that is here.

13 Okay, Mr. Carnes, did you put your contact  
14 information on this sheet already?

15 MR. CARNES: Yes, I did.

16 MS. FLETCHER: Okay, thank you very  
17 much. The roll call hearing is concluded. Thank  
18 you.

19 (Whereupon, the above-entitled matter  
20 went off the record at 10:16 a.m.)

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