

**ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE REGULATION ADMINISTRATION
ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE CONTROL BOARD**

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARINGS
CALENDAR**

**WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 21, 2020 at 10:30 AM
2000 14TH STREET, N.W., SUITE 400S
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20009**

Donovan W. Anderson, Chairperson

**Members: James Short, Bobby Cato, Rema Wahabzadah, Rafi A. Crockett, Jeni Hansen,
Edward S. Grandis**

Summary Suspension Hearing*

10:30 AM

Case #'s 20-CMP-00094, 20-CMP-00108 and 20-CMP-00109

District Soul Food Restaurant & Lounge, LLC, t/a District Soul Food Restaurant
& Lounge

500 8th Street SE

License #112072

Retailer CR

ANC 6B

The Alcoholic Beverage Board Closure-October 7, 2020

Summary Suspension Hearing*

11:00 AM

Case # 20-CMP-00105

Empire DC, LLC, t/a Empire Lounge

1909 9th Street NW

License #110702

Retailer CT

ANC 1B

The Alcoholic Beverage Board Closure-September 30, 2020

*This meeting was governed by the Open Meetings Act. Please address any
questions or complaints arising under this meeting to the Office of Open
Government at opengovoffice@dc.gov*

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**ABC BOARD
LEGAL AGENDA***

**WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 21, 2020, AT 10:30 AM
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1. Review of Request by ANC 6B to Extend Protest Petition Deadline, dated October 13, 2020. Applicant consented by email dated October 13, 2020. ***Handle 19, Inc., t/a Handle 19***, 319 Pennsylvania Ave., SE, Retailer Class CR, License No. ABRA – 117027.

2. Review of Request to Reinstate Dismissed Application, dated September 26, 2020, filed by Medusa Lounge. Application dismissed by Board Order 2020-278. ***Hope Lounge, LLC t/a Medusa Lounge***, 2632 Georgia Ave., N.W., Retailer Class CT, License No. ABRA-106785.

3. Review of Reply to Motion to Reinstate Dismissed Application, dated October 10, 2020, filed by George Nehmetallah, on behalf of the Protestants. ***Hope Lounge, LLC t/a Medusa Lounge***, 2632 Georgia Ave., N.W., Retailer Class CT, License No. ABRA-106785.

4. Review of Applicant’s Response to Protestants’ Reply to Reinstate Dismissed Application, dated October 14, 2020. ***Hope Lounge, LLC t/a Medusa Lounge***, 2632 Georgia Ave., N.W., Retailer Class CT, License No. ABRA-106785.

5. Review of Request to Reinstate Dismissed Application, dated October 4, 2020, filed by Asefu’s Palace. Application dismissed by Board Order 2020-291. ***Yegna Restaurant and Lounge, Inc. t/a Asefu’s Palace***, 1920 9th St., N.W., Retailer Class CT, License No. ABRA-112748.

6. Review of Opposition to Motion to Reinstate Dismissed Application, dated October 13, 2020, filed by Evan Schlom, on behalf of the Protestants. ***Yegna Restaurant and Lounge, Inc. t/a Asefu's Palace***, 1920 9th St., N.W., Retailer Class CT, License No. ABRA-112748.

7. Review of Petition to Terminate Settlement Agreement, dated October 8, 2020. Original Cooperative Agreement between Mudrick's Supermarket and ANC 5B, dated March 10, 2009. ***Fana Inc. t/a Mudrick's Supermarket***, 1064 Bladensburg Road, N.E., Retailer Class B, License No. ABRA-105822.

8. Review of Technical Amendment Notice of Proposed Rulemaking. (Public Hearing held September 23, 2020)

9. Review of Chapter Two (License and Permit Categories) Notice of Proposed Rulemaking. (Public Hearing held September 23, 2020)

10. Review of Langdon Park Moratorium Notice of Emergency and Proposed Rulemaking. (Public Hearing held September 30, 2020)

**** In accordance with Open Meetings Act, this meeting will be closed for deliberation and to consult with an attorney to obtain legal advice. The Board's vote, however, will be held in an open session and the public is invited to attend.***

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NOTICE OF MEETING
LICENSING AGENDA

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 21, 2020 AT 10:30 AM
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1. Review Application for a Stipulated License with Letter of ANC Support for a new ABC license. ANC 5D. SMD 5D01. No outstanding fines/citations. No outstanding violations. No pending enforcement matters. No Settlement Agreement. *Hi-Lawn*, 1309 5th Street NE, Retailer CT, License No. 117072.

2. Review Request to Remove License from Safekeeping to reopen as soon as possible. Original Safekeeping Date: 2/26/2020. ANC 1B. SMD 1B09. No outstanding fines/citations. No outstanding violations. No pending enforcement matters. No Settlement Agreement. *Sister's Mediterranean Corner Café*, 2827 Sherman Avenue NW, Retailer CT, License No. 109849.

3. Review Application for Safekeeping of License – Original Request. ANC 6D. SMD 6D05. No outstanding fines/citations. No outstanding violations. No pending enforcement matters. No conflict with Settlement Agreement. *Ziegfeld's/Secrets*, 1824 Half Street SW, Retailer CN (Nude Dancing), License No. 078663.

4. Review Application for Safekeeping of License – Original Request. ANC 6D. SMD 6D07. No outstanding fines/citations. No outstanding violations. No pending enforcement matters. No conflict with Settlement Agreement. *Takorean*, 1212 4th Street SE, Retailer CT, License No. 094804.

5. Review Application for Safekeeping of License – Original Request. ANC 2C. SMD 2C03. No outstanding fines/citations. No outstanding violations. No pending enforcement matters. No Settlement Agreement. *Sodexo Management Inc.*, 500 5th Street NW, Caterer, License No. 074323.

6. Review request to Extend Safekeeping of License – First Request. Original Safekeeping Date: 10/2/19. ANC 6B. SMD 6B04. No outstanding fines/citations. No outstanding violations. No pending enforcement matters. No conflict with Settlement Agreement. **Orchid**, 520 8th Street SE, Retailer CT, License No. 107079.

7. Review Request to Extend Safekeeping of License – Sixth Request. Original Safekeeping Date: 12/20/2017. ANC 3E. SMD 3E03. No outstanding fines/citations. No outstanding violations. No pending enforcement matters. No Settlement Agreement. **Rodman's Discount Spirits**, 4936 Wisconsin Avenue NW, Retailer A Liquor Store, License No. 108215.

8. Review Request to Extend Safekeeping of License – Tenth Request. Original Safekeeping Date: Pre-1998. ANC 2A. SMD 2A04. No outstanding fines/citations. No outstanding violations. No pending enforcement matters. No Settlement Agreement. **1720 Club**, 2600 Virginia Avenue NW, Retailer CN, License No. 015251.

9. Review Request to Extend Safekeeping of License – Third Request. Original Safekeeping Date: 9/12/2018. ANC 2B. SMD 2B04. No outstanding fines/citations. No outstanding violations. No pending enforcement matters. No Settlement Agreement. **TBD (Sterling/Gunston, LLC)**, 1603 17th Street NW, Retailer CR, License No. 111806.

10. Review Application for a Class Change from Retailer B to Retailer A Liquor Store. ANC 7C. SMD 7C07. No outstanding fines/citations. No outstanding violations. No pending enforcement matters. No Settlement Agreement. **A & S Grocery**, 4748 Sheriff Road NE, Retailer B Grocery, License No. 101367.

11. Review Application for a Change of Hours. **Approved Hours of Operation and Alcoholic Beverage Sales:** Sunday-Saturday 8:30am to 9pm. **Proposed Hours of Operation and Alcoholic Beverage Sales:** Sunday-Saturday 8am to 11pm. ANC 7D. SMD 7D06. No outstanding fines/citations. No outstanding violations. No pending enforcement matters. No Settlement Agreement. **E Market**, 4202 Benning Road NE, Retailer B, License No. 108896.

12. Review Request to Amend Application to reflect a Sidewalk Café instead of a Summer Garden endorsement. ANC 2C. SMD 2C01. No outstanding fines/citations. No outstanding violations. No pending enforcement matters. No Settlement Agreement. **Yardbird Southern Table and Bar**, 901 New York Avenue NW, Retailer CR, License No. 116575.

***In accordance with D.C. Official Code §2-547(b) of the Open Meetings Amendment Act, this portion of the meeting will be closed for deliberation and to consult with an attorney to obtain legal advice. The Board's vote will be held in an open session, and the public is permitted to attend. This meeting is governed by the Open Meetings Act. Please address any questions or complaints arising under this meeting to the Office of Open Government at opengovoffice@dc.gov.**

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**NOTICE OF MEETING
CANCELLATION AGENDA**

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The ABC Board will be cancelling the following licenses for the reasons outlined below:

ABRA-116159 – **ANXO Cidery & Pintxos Bar** – Caterer – 300 Florida Avenue NW
[Licensee requested cancellation.]

ABRA-102180 – **Asmara Lounge and Restaurant** – Retail – C – Restaurant - 2218 18th Street NW
[Safekeeping][Licensee requested cancellation.]

ABRA-107868 – **Avila Catering** – Caterer – 703 Edgewood Street NE
[Licensee requested cancellation.]

ABRA-094941 – **Eat & Smile** – Caterer – 2212 Rhode Island Avenue NE
[Licensee requested cancellation.]

ABRA-106315 – **Donburi DC** – Retail – C – Restaurant – 1134 19th Street NW
[Licensee requested cancellation.]
