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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: :
La Kazbah, LLC, : Show Cause Hearing
t/a Aura Lounge : Case # 15-CMP-00464
2147 P Street NW :
License # 90204 :
Retailer Class CT :
ANC-2B :
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Wednesday, February 3, 2016

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

1 CHAIRPERSON:

2 DONOVAN ANDERSON, Presiding

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4 BOARD MEMBERS:

5 RUTHANNE MILLER

6 NICK ALBERTI

7 MICHAEL SILVERSTEIN

8 JAMES SHORT

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10 ALSO PRESENT:

11 FERNANDO RIVERO, Assistant Attorney General

12 On behalf of the District of Columbia

13 Elalami Ikhlar,

14 On behalf of Marrakech Restaurant, Aura Lounge

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

2 CHAIRMAN ANDERSON: All right. The next case on
3 the show cause hearing calendar is case number 15-CMP-00464,
4 Aura Lounge, license number 90204. Will the parties please
5 approach?

6 MR. RIVERO: Good morning, board members.
7 Fernando Rivero for the District of Columbia.

8 MR. IKHIAR: Elalami Ikhlar, Marrakech
9 Restaurant, Aura Lounge.

10 CHAIRMAN ANDERSON: Good morning. Please sign
11 your name on the sheet in front of you, please.

12 All right. Good morning. Are there any
13 preliminary matters in this case?

14 MR. RIVERO: The parties do not have an offer in
15 compromise to present to the board at this time. However,
16 the government has requested a continuance of the show cause
17 hearing date, which is currently scheduled for March 9th at
18 4:30 p.m. Licensee has presented new evidence, and the
19 government would request the time in order to review that
20 new evidence. We -- should the parties be prepared to
21 present an offer in compromise prior to the newly-scheduled
22 date, we will advise board's counsel and request a status

1 hearing.

2 CHAIRMAN ANDERSON: And do you have any objection
3 to the continuance, sir?

4 MR. IKHIAR: No. Thank you.

5 CHAIRMAN ANDERSON: No? The board then will --

6 All right. Then the matter then is continued.

7 The show cause hearing was previously scheduled for March

8 9th at 4:30. We will continue that, and our general counsel

9 will provide you a date --

10 MR. RIVERO: Sure.

11 CHAIRMAN ANDERSON: -- for the new date. Okay?

12 MR. IKHIAR: No problem.

13 MR. RIVERO: We'll be in touch with them about

14 the dates.

15 CHAIRMAN ANDERSON: All right. Thank you, sir.

16 MR. IKHIAR: Thank you.

17 CHAIRMAN ANDERSON: Thanks.

18 (Whereupon, the above-entitled matter concluded.)

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