

1 GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA  
2 ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE REGULATION ADMINISTRATION  
3 ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE CONTROL BOARD  
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6 IN THE MATTER OF :  
7 1819 14th VENTURES, LLC:Case #16-PRO-00051.  
8 t/a El Centro D.F. :  
9 1819 14th Street Northwest :  
10 License #ABRA-084847 :  
11 Retailer Class CR :  
12 License renewal :  
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14 Monday, June 13, 2016

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

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1 CHAIRPERSON:

2 LAVERNE FLETCHER, Presiding

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4 ALSO PRESENT:

5 STEPHEN O' BRIEN

6 AYYAZ RASHID

7 JOHN GREEN

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

2 ROLL CALL HEARING

3 CHAIRPERSON FLETCHER: Would the parties  
4 in the matter of El Centro please come forward?  
5 The parties in the matter of El Centro? This is  
6 Case #16-PRO-00051. 1819 14th Ventures LLC,  
7 trading as El Centro D.F., 1819 14th Street  
8 Northwest, License #ABRA-084847. This is a  
9 Retailer Class CR, license renewal. The protest  
10 issues are adverse impact on peace, order and  
11 quiet. Introductions beginning with the  
12 applicant please.

13 MR. OBRIEN: Stephen O'Brien for the  
14 applicant. I'm accompanied by Ayyaz Rashid who  
15 is a regional director for the parent company of  
16 El Centro, yep. Would you spell your name?

17 MR. RASHID: It's A-Y-Y-A-Z --

18 CHAIRPERSON FLETCHER: A-Y-Y? I'm sorry, A-  
19 Y-Y-A

20 MR. RASHID: Z.

21 CHAIRPERSON FLETCHER: Z, Mm hmm.

22 MR. RASHID: And the last name is Rashid. R-

1 A-S-H-I-D.

2 CHAIRPERSON FLETCHER: Thank you very much.  
3 Present on behalf of ANC 1B?

4 MR. GREEN: Commissioner John Green.

5 CHAIRPERSON FLETCHER: Thank you, Mr. Green.  
6 Green without an "E."

7 MR. GREEN: Correct.

8 CHAIRPERSON FLETCHER: Thank you. ANC 1B  
9 does have standing as a protestant. We need to  
10 set a date for a mediation, a status hearing and  
11 a protest hearing. I'll give you the date for  
12 the status and protest hearing first. The status  
13 hearing is set for September 7 at 9:30 a.m. The  
14 protest hearing is set for October 19 at 4:30.  
15 The next available date for mediation is Friday,  
16 July 22nd, at 9:00, 10:00 or 11:00.

17 MR. OBRIEN: I'm sorry, could you repeat  
18 that?

19 CHAIRPERSON FLETCHER: Oh, Friday, July 22nd,  
20 at 9:00, 10:00 or 11:00, or 1:00.

21 MR. OBRIEN: Okay, July 22nd.

22 MR. GREEN: Do you have anything later?

1 CHAIRPERSON FLETCHER: Beyond the 22nd?

2 MR. GREEN: Yeah.

3 CHAIRPERSON FLETCHER: Yes. We can move to  
4 Thursday, July 28th, at 9:00, 10:00 or 11:00 or  
5 1:00.

6 MR. OBRIEN: July 28th at 11:00.

7 MR. GREEN: 11:00 is fine.

8 MR. OBRIEN: July 28th at 11:00.

9 CHAIRPERSON FLETCHER: July 28th at 11:00.

10 Okay, mediation is set for July 28 at 11:00. The  
11 Roll Call Hearing is concluded. Thank you.

12 MR. O'BRIEN: Thank you.

13 MR. GREEN: Thank you.

14 MR. O'BRIEN: All the parties are the same in  
15 the next matter.

16 CHAIRPERSON FLETCHER: Yeah, oh. Okay.

17 [Whereupon, the above-entitled matter  
18 concluded.]