

## DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

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## ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE CONTROL BOARD

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## ROLL CALL HEARING

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## IN THE MATTER OF:

Estrada Ramos, Inc.  
t/a Elizabeth Bar and  
Grill  
5217 Georgia Avenue, NW  
License #ABRA-0112282  
Retailer CR  
Application  
Case #19-PRO-00035

TUESDAY, MAY 28, 2019

The Alcoholic Beverage Control Board  
met in Alcoholic Beverage Control Hearing Room,  
Reeves Building, 2000 14th Street N.W.,  
Washington, D.C., Ms. La Verne Fletcher, Agent,  
presiding.

## PRESENT:

La Verne Fletcher, Alcoholic Beverage Control  
Board Mediator

## ALSO PRESENT:

Karen Abbott

Thomas Estrada

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

2 (10:23 a.m.)

3 AGENT FLETCHER: Would the parties in  
4 the matter of Elizabeth Bar and Grill, please  
5 come forward, the parties in the matter of  
6 Elizabeth Bar and Grill? This is Case Number  
7 19-PRO-00035, Estrada Ramos trading as Elizabeth  
8 Bar and Grill, 5217 Georgia Avenue Northwest,  
9 License Number ABRA-0112282.

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

15 My name is La Verne Fletcher  
16 conducting the Roll Call Hearing as the Board's  
17 Agent. Introductions beginning with the  
18 Applicant, please, if you would just state your  
19 name and spell it for the record.

20 MR. ESTRADA: Thomas Estrada,  
21 T-H-O-M-A-S E-S-T-R-A-D-A.

22 AGENT FLETCHER: Okay, Thomas Estrada.

1 Okay, thank you -- one second.

2 And present on behalf of ANC 4D?

3 MS. ABBOTT: Karen Abbott, Karen with  
4 a K, A-R-E-N, Abbott, A-B-B-O-T-T.

5 AGENT FLETCHER: Thank you very much.  
6 ANC 4D has standing as a Protestant. Today we're  
7 going to set a date for a mediation, but you're  
8 going to receive a notice of a Status Hearing and  
9 a Protest Hearing, as well. I just don't have  
10 those dates to provide the dates, but we can go  
11 ahead and set the mediation, and I'll just give  
12 you the next available day.

13 MS. ABBOTT: Okay.

14 AGENT FLETCHER: The next available  
15 day for mediation is Tuesday, July 16, at 9:00,  
16 10:00, 11:00, 12:00, 1:00, 2:00, 3:00, basically  
17 anytime that day in the morning or the afternoon.

18 MS. ABBOTT: Can I use that pencil --

19 AGENT FLETCHER: What did you need Ms.

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21 MS. ABBOTT: A pencil.

22 AGENT FLETCHER: Here's another one.

1 MS. ABBOTT: Thank you.

2 AGENT FLETCHER: It's Tuesday, July 16,  
3 at 9:00, 10:00, 10:30, 11:00, 11:30, basically  
4 anytime.

5 MR. ESTRADA: Is there any way we can  
6 do this by like the 22nd or the 24th because I  
7 think I'm going to be out of town on those days.

8 AGENT FLETCHER: Okay, so make it the  
9 22nd, or which other day?

10 (No audible response.)

11 AGENT FLETCHER: The week of the 22nd?

12 MR. ESTRADA: Yeah, the week of the  
13 22nd is fine if you can give me that.

14 AGENT FLETCHER: What about Tuesday,  
15 July 23rd? Tuesday, July 23, would that work?

16 MR. ESTRADA: That's good. That would  
17 work, yes.

18 AGENT FLETCHER: Ms. Abbott would that  
19 work for you?

20 MS. ABBOTT: I'll have to check --  
21 confirm that with Mr. -- Commissioner Barden.

22 AGENT FLETCHER: Okay, so we can just

1 set a date, and if it turns out not to work, we  
2 can always change it. But just for the purpose  
3 of setting a date today, so then Mr. Estrada do  
4 you have preference for time?

5 MR. ESTRADA: No, not really. I mean  
6 anything that would work for her, that would be  
7 good for me as well.

8 MS. ABBOTT: 10:00 is good.

9 AGENT FLETCHER: Okay, 10:00 on  
10 Tuesday, July 23rd. Mr. Estrada, did you put  
11 your contact information on that sheet already?

12 MR. ESTRADA: Yeah, that's what I'm  
13 doing it right now.

14 AGENT FLETCHER: Okay, thank you. Ms.  
15 Abbott any questions at all?

16 MS. ABBOTT: No, ma'am.

17 AGENT FLETCHER: Okay, the Roll Call  
18 Hearing is concluded. I thank you for coming.  
19 See you on the 23rd.

20 MR. ESTRADA: I appreciate it. Thank  
21 you, very much.

22 MS. ABBOTT: Okay, thank you.

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(Whereupon, the Roll Call Hearing was  
concluded at 10:27 a.m.)

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