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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: :
Fasika Ethiopia Cuisine, LLC :
t/a Fasika Ethiopian Cuisine : Roll Call
1924 9th Street, NW : Hearing
License #ABRA-095180 :
Retailer Class CR :
New Application :
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Monday, October 17, 2016

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

1 ABRA SPEAKERS:

2 LAVERNE FLETCHER, Presiding

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4 CASE SPEAKERS:

5 JEREMY DOERNBERGER

6 On behalf of Fasika Ethiopian Cuisine

7 PATRICK NELSON,

8 On behalf of ANC 1B

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

2 MS. LAVERNE FLETCHER: Okay. Well, then,
3 the parties in the matter of Fasika come forward.
4 This is Case #16-PRO-00095, Fasika Ethiopia
5 Cuisine, LLC, trading as Fasika Ethiopian
6 Cuisine, 1924 9th Street, NW, License #ABRA-
7 095180. This is a Retail Class CR, new
8 application. The protest issues are: adverse
9 impact on peace, order, and quiet.

10 My name is Laverne Fletcher. I'm
11 conducting the roll call hearing as the Board's
12 Agent. Introductions beginning with the
13 Applicant, please.

14 MR. JEREMY DOERNBERGER: Good morning,
15 ma'am, Jeremy Doernberger on behalf of Fasika,
16 LLC.

17 MS. LAVERNE FLETCHER: Uh, Jeremy, would
18 you spell your name for the record, please?

19 MR. JEREMY DOERNBERGER: Yes. First name:
20 J-e-r-e-m-y. Last name: D -- as in Delta -- o-e-
21 r-n -- as in November -- b-e-r-g-e-r.

22 MS. LAVERNE FLETCHER: V-e-r?

1 MR. JEREMY DOERNBERGER: G-e-r.

2 MS. LAVERNE FLETCHER: G-e-r? And would
3 you put your contact information on --

4 MR. JEREMY DOERNBERGER: Yes, ma'am.

5 MS. LAVERNE FLETCHER: -- that sheet,
6 please? Thank you. And on behalf of ANC 1B ...?

7 MR. PATRICK NELSON: My name is Patrick
8 Nelson. That's P-a-t-r-i-c-k. Last name is N-e-l-
9 s-o-n.

10 MS. LAVERNE FLETCHER: Thank you, Mr.
11 Nelson. ANC 1B has standing as a protestant, and
12 we'll need to set a date for a status hearing and
13 purpose hearing and a mediation. I'll give you
14 the date for the, uh, status and protest hearing
15 first. The date for the status hearing is going
16 to be November the 09th at 9:30 a.m. That's
17 November 09 at 9:30. The date for the protest
18 hearing is set for December the 14th, 2016, at
19 1:30 in the afternoon.

20 We need to set a date for mediation. Um,
21 um, we're going to -- just give me one minute.
22 I've got to get my calendar book. I actually left

1 it sitting on my desk, so can we go off the
2 record for one minute for me? I'll be right back.
3 Thank you.

4 (Whereupon, the above-entitled matter
5 went off the record.)

6 MS. LAVERNE FLETCHER: You can go back on
7 whenever you --

8 MALE SPEAKER: Mm-hmm.

9 MS. LAVERNE FLETCHER: Okay. I'll give
10 you the next available date for mediation. The
11 next available date for mediation is October the
12 25th at 11:00, or -- I'll give you another date,
13 as well -- or October 27th at 9:00, 10:00, or
14 11:00. So, that's the 25th -- actually, the 25th
15 at 11:30.

16 MR. JEREMY DOERNBERGER: Do you actually
17 have anything the next week? That week is very
18 bad for me.

19 MS. LAVERNE FLETCHER: Yes. The following
20 week, Tuesday, November 01 is available at 9:00,
21 10:00, or 11:00.

22 MR. JEREMY DOERNBERGER: That's wide open

1 for me, whatever the ANC or the Board would
2 prefer.

3 MS. LAVERNE FLETCHER: Okay.

4 MR. PATRICK NELSON: November the 01st,
5 you said?

6 MS. LAVERNE FLETCHER: Yes. That's a
7 Tuesday.

8 MR. PATRICK NELSON: I'm open to whatever
9 is --

10 (Simultaneous speaking)

11 MR. JEREMY DOERNBERGER: Earlier is great
12 for me.

13 MR. PATRICK NELSON: -- (inaudible). The
14 commissioner -- I can't speak on his behalf, so
15 whatever you want to do I'll have to go with.

16 MS. LAVERNE FLETCHER: Then let's do 9:00
17 on Tuesday, November 01.

18 MR. JEREMY DOERNBERGER: Great.

19 MR. PATRICK NELSON: Nine a.m.?

20 MS. LAVERNE FLETCHER: Yes. Tuesday at
21 9:00 a.m. for mediation, and you'll receive an
22 email with all the dates on it, what I just --

1 just gave to you. Any questions at all?

2 MR. JEREMY DOERNBERGER: No, ma'am.

3 MR. PATRICK NELSON: No.

4 MS. LAVERNE FLETCHER: Okay. Well, thank
5 you for coming.

6 MR. JEREMY DOERNBERGER: Thank you very
7 much.

8 MS. LAVERNE FLETCHER: The roll call
9 hearing is concluded.

10 (Whereupon, the above-entitled matter was
11 concluded.)