

**THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE CONTROL BOARD**

In the Matter of:)

The Bards of Washington, LLC)
t/a James Hoban's)

Holder of)
a Retailer's Class CR License)

at premises)
1 Dupont Circle, N.W.)
Washington, D.C. 20036)

Case No.: 15-CMP-00764
License No.: ABRA-077039
Order No.: 2016-533

BEFORE: Donovan Anderson, Chairperson
Nick Alberti, Member
Mike Silverstein, Member
Ruthanne Miller, Member
James Short, Member

ORDER ON PRAECIPE OF DISMISSAL

On September 22, 2016, the District of Columbia (Government) filed a Praecipec of Dismissal seeking dismissal of the charge listed in the Notice to Show Cause Hearing filed against The Bards of Washington, LLC, t/a James Hoban's (Respondent), in Case Number 15-CMP-00764. *See* ABRA Show Cause File No. 15-CMP-00764.

The Government seeks to dismiss the charges because the Government's witnesses are no longer available for the hearing. Specifically, the Investigators are no longer employed with the Alcoholic Beverage Regulation Administration (ABRA).

For these reasons, on this 28th day of September, 2016, the Board hereby **ACKNOWLEDGES** receipt of the Government's Praecipec of Dismissal and **DISMISSES** Case No. 15-CMP-00764 against the Respondent. A copy of this Order shall be sent to the Respondent and the Government.

District of Columbia
Alcoholic Beverage Control Board



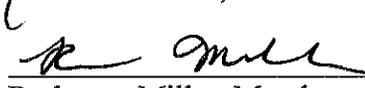
Donovan Anderson, Chairperson



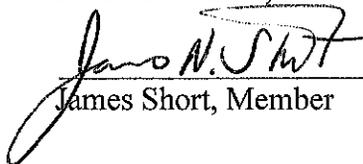
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Pursuant to D.C. Official Code § 25-433(d)(1), any party adversely affected may file a Motion for Reconsideration of this decision within ten (10) days of service of this Order with the Alcoholic Beverage Regulation Administration, 2000 14th Street, N.W., Suite 400S, Washington, DC 20009.

Also, pursuant to section 11 of the District of Columbia Administrative Procedure Act, Pub. L. 90-614, 82 Stat. 1209, D.C. Official Code §2-510 (2001), and Rule 15 of the District of Columbia Court of Appeals, any party adversely affected has the right to appeal this Order by filing a petition for review, within thirty (30) days of the date of service of this Order, with the District of Columbia Court of Appeals, 430 E Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20001; (202/879-1010). However, the timely filing of a Motion for Reconsideration pursuant to 23 DCMR §1719.1 (2008) stays the time for filing a petition for review in the District of Columbia Court of Appeals until the Board rules on the motion. See D.C. App. Rule 15(b) (2004).