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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: :

Lucky 7, LLC,  
t/a Lucky 7 Liquors Case Number 15-CMP-00928  
2314 Rhode Island Avenue NE  
License Number 90270  
Retailer A

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SHOW CAUSE HEARING

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Wednesday, June 1, 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.

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2 CHAIRPERSON:

3 DONOVAN W. ANDERSON, Presiding

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5 OTHER PERSONS PRESENT:

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7 RUTHANNE MILLER, BOARD MEMBER

8 JAMES SHORT, BOARD MEMBER

9 MIKE SILVERSTEIN, BOARD MEMBER

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

2 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: All right. Good  
3 morning. We're on the record. I'd like to welcome you  
4 to the regularly scheduled meeting of the District of  
5 Columbia Alcoholic Beverage Control Board. Please note  
6 that today's hearings will be conducted in accordance  
7 with D.C. Official Code Section 2574 of the Open  
8 Meetings Act. Today is June 1, 2016. I would like to  
9 introduce to you members of The Board with us today. To  
10 my far right is Mr. -- is Ms. Ruthanne Miller. To my  
11 far left is Mr. Mike Silverstein. To my immediate left  
12 is Mr. James Short. My name is Donovan Anderson, and  
13 I'm the Chairman of The Board. There are -- The Board  
14 has four members in attendance for the conduct of  
15 business today, and that constitutes a quorum.

16 I would like to mention two things before we  
17 get started. First of all, if you have any electronic  
18 devices, pagers, cell phones, or such, please make  
19 certain that they are turned or to avoid any  
20 interruption of the proceeding.

21 Secondly, there is a piece of paper on each  
22 table. When you come forward as your case is called

1 please take a seat at the table and please sign it.  
2 This is to ensure the correct spelling of your name for  
3 the record. Additionally when you introduce yourself  
4 for the record please spell your name aloud for the  
5 court reporter.

6 I would like to take note that the  
7 approximate time is 9:38 a.m.

8 Our first order of business today is -- we  
9 have a show cause hearing status for Case Number  
10 15-CMP-00928, Lucky 7 Liquors, License Number 90270.  
11 Would the parties please approach.

12 MR. SHAPIRO: Good morning. Zachary Shapiro  
13 on behalf of the District of Columbia.

14 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Good morning,  
15 Mr. Shapiro. How are you doing this morning?

16 MR. SHAPIRO: I'm doing well. Counsel for  
17 the licensee is in the hallway. Do you want me to --

18 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Can you go get him  
19 please. Thank you.

20 THE COURT REPORTER: These microphones  
21 aren't working. I -- I have my mics out so I'm good as  
22 far as the proceedings are concerned. But I don't know

1 if you guys are going to have trouble hearing the  
2 witnesses, and I don't know how to turn these on.

3 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: All right. Let me --

4 THE COURT REPORTER: Oh, I guess I didn't  
5 realize they're -- oh, okay. Problem solved.

6 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: All right.

7 MR. ROBINSON: Good morning.

8 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Good morning,  
9 Mr. Robinson. Sir, can you identify yourself please for  
10 the record.

11 MR. ROBINSON: Yes. Wendell Robinson on  
12 behalf of Lucky 7. Yes, sir. Thank you.

13 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: And there's a sign-in  
14 sheet. Could you please sign in -- sign in, sir.  
15 There's a sign in sheet on the table. Please sign in.

16 MR. ROBINSON: Yes, sir.

17 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Are there any  
18 preliminary matters in this case?

19 MR. SHAPIRO: No, there are not.

20 MR. ROBINSON: No, there are not. But  
21 however I will advise The Board that Mr. Zach and I are  
22 continuing our negotiations to try to resolve this

1 matter before the hearing that's set for it.

2 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: All right. Well,  
3 thank you for that representation. This matter is  
4 scheduled for due process hearing on June 13th at 1:30  
5 p.m.

6 MR. ROBINSON: Thank you, Mr. Chairman.

7 MR. SHAPIRO: Thank you.

8 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Thank you very much.

9 MR. ROBINSON: Have a good day, your Honor.

10 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: You too. Have a  
11 great day.

12 (Whereupon the above-entitled matter was  
13 concluded.)

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