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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 :
Whole Food Market Group, Inc: Case #16-PRO-00129
t/a Whole Foods Market :
600 H Street, NE :
License #ABRA-104498 :
Retailer Class DR :
New Application: :

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Monday, January 9, 2017

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 CHAIRPERSON:

2 LAVERNE FLETCHER, Presiding

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4 ALSO PRESENT:

5 ANDREW KLINE

6 STEPHEN O'NEAL

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

2 ROLL CALL HEARING

3 MEDIATOR FLETCHER: Would the parties in
4 the matter of Whole Foods Market

5 Please come forward? This is case number 16-
6 PRO-00129, Whole Food Market Group Inc, trading
7 as Whole Foods Market, 600 H Street Northeast.
8 License ABRA-104498. This is a retailer class DR
9 new application. The protest issues are adverse
10 impact on peace, order and quiet, residential
11 parking, and vehicular and pedestrian safety and
12 real property values. My name is Laverne
13 Fletcher and I'm conducting the roll call hearing
14 as the board's agent. Introductions beginning
15 with the applicant, please.

16 MR. KLINE: Good morning, Andrew Kline, here
17 on behalf of the applicant.

18 MEDIATOR FLETCHER: And Mr. Kline, present on
19 behalf of ANC 6C?

20 MR. O'NEAL: Good morning, Stephen O'Neal.

21 MEDIATOR FLETCHER: Mr. O'Neal, would you
22 spell your name for the record, please?

1 MR. O'NEAL: S-T-E-P-H-E-N, O-'-N-E-A-L.

2 MEDIATOR FLETCHER: Thank you very much. ANC
3 6C has standing as a protestant. We need to set
4 a date for mediation, a status hearing and a
5 protest hearing. I will give you the dates for
6 the status and protest hearing first. The status
7 hearing is set for February 8, 2017, at 9:30 a.m.
8 The protest hearing is set for March 1, 2017, at
9 1:30. I'll give you the next available date for
10 mediation. Mr. O'Neal, did you put your contact
11 information on that sheet, yet?

12 MR. O'NEAL: Sure.

13 MEDIATOR FLETCHER: Okay, thank you. The
14 next available date for mediation is Wednesday,
15 January 25. Mr. Kline, are you already going to
16 be here for something else then?

17 MR. KLINE: Not at this time, it does not
18 look like, but I have to do that day if it works
19 for Mr. O'Neal.

20 MEDIATOR FLETCHER: Is that good for you, Mr.
21 O'Neal?

22 MR. O'NEAL: That's fine.

1 MEDIATOR FLETCHER: 9:00, 10:00 or 11:00?

2 MR. KLINE: 10:00.

3 MEDIATOR FLETCHER: Mediation is set for
4 10:00 on Wednesday, January 25th. Any questions
5 at all? Okay. The roll call hearing for this
6 matter is concluded.

7 [Whereupon, the above-entitled matter
8 concluded.]