

Advisory Neighborhood Commission 1C

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Representing Adams Morgan

March 8, 2019

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Chairperson, Alcoholic Beverage Control Board

2000 14th Street NW, Suite 400S

Washington, DC 20009

sent by attachment to email to abra.legal@dc.gov

Re: ABRA 106670

Zenebech Ethiopian restaurant, LLC

Dear Mr. Anderson:

At a duly-noticed public meeting held on March 6, 2019, with a quorum present, Advisory Neighborhood Commission 1C passed a resolution approving the attached Settlement Agreement by a vote of 8-0-0.

Please advise if anything further is necessary.

Ted Guthrie

Chair, ANC 1C

First Amendment To Settlement Agreement

The parties, Zenebech Ethiopian Restaurant, LLC, 2420-22 18th Street, NW (Applicant), Advisory Neighborhood Commission 1C (ANC 1C) and the Kalorama Citizens Association (KCA), are party to a Settlement Agreement on License Number ABRA-106670, dated July 5, 2017, approved by the DC ABC Board in Order Number 2017-383 on July 12, 2017.

Whereas, on January 18, 2019, Zenebech applied for an Entertainment Endorsement. Both ANC 1C and KCA protested that application. To resolve the protests, the Parties agree, this 6th day of March, 2019, as follows:

A new provision, 13, shall be added to the Settlement Agreement as shown below:

13. Applicant may feature live music for the enjoyment of its patrons during the following days and hours:

- Thursdays from 8:00 pm and ending no later than 12:30 am.
- Fridays and Saturdays from 8:00 pm and ending no later than 1:00 am each night.

Every effort will be made to prevent music from being heard outside of the establishment. Up to half of the tables and chairs in the open area of the dining room may be removed or rearranged during live music presentations. Music shall be unamplified and may be played on only the following instruments and the human voice:

- Kebero - hand drum
- Krar - a 5 or 6 stringed, bowl-shaped lyre-type instrument
- Masenqo - single-stringed lute played with a bow
- Bagena - ten-stringed instrument of the lyre family
- Washint - a wooden flute.

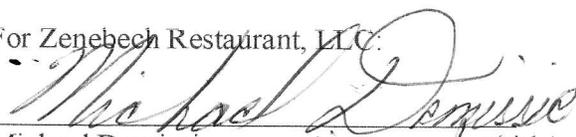
There shall be:

- No cover charge;
- No designated dance floor;
- No advertising on any media that patron dancing is allowed, including advertising by performers.

The presentation of the music shall be considered an integral part of the restaurant's activities, and as such, the provision of food to patrons shall continue to be emphasized whenever live music is featured.

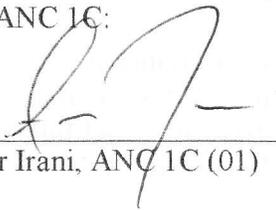
Applicant shall not permit a line for entry to form outside the restaurant on nights that live music is featured, and in particular, the sidewalk cafe shall continue to operate to provide food and drink to seated patrons during such performances while the cafe is operating.

For Zenebech Restaurant, LLC:


Michael Demissie, ~~managing member~~ (title)

Date: 03/5/19

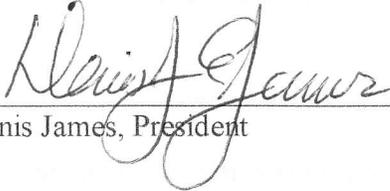
For ANC 1C:



Amir Irani, ANC 1C (01)

Date: 3/6/19

For the Kalorama Citizens Association:



Denis James, President

Date: 3.5.19