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Donovan Anderson, Chair
Alcoholic Beverage Control Board
2000 14th Street, NW, Suite 400S
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VIA E-MAIL: abra.legal@dc.gov

RE: ABRA-090240: Balkan Concepts LLC d/b/a Ambar; 523 8th St SE; Substantial Change Application to increase capacity and add an entertainment endorsement.


Dear Chair Anderson:

At its regularly called, properly noticed meeting on July 9, 2019, with a quorum present, Advisory Neighborhood Commission (ANC) 6B voted 9-0-0 to request that the ABRA Board (Board) extend the petition date until September 23, 2019 in order to permit the Applicant to meet with ANC 6B and address community questions and concerns about entertainment, noise due to an open retractable roof, trash management and similar issues related to the operations of the Establishment.

It is the understanding of ANC 6B that the Applicant concurs with our request for an extension of the petition deadline. However, if the Applicant does not respond concurring to our request or if the ABRA Board denies our request for an extension, ANC 6B invokes its right to protest the substantial change application.

Please contact Commissioner Chander Jayaraman, ANC 6B's Alcohol Beverage Control Committee Chair, at 202-546-2609 or 6b08@anc.dc.gov if you have questions or need further information.

Sincerely,



Chander Jayaraman
Chairman, ANC 6B

cc: via email

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SMD Commissioner: Brian Ready