



Councillor Adam Vaughan 魏德方

Toronto City Council Trinity-Spadina, Ward 20

> Kimberly Kilburn Supervisor, Municipal Licensing & Standards East York Civic Centre, 850 Coxwell Avenue Toronto, ON M4C 5R1

May 29, 2009

Dear Kimberly Kilburn,

Re: Application to transfer the patio licence for the boulevard cafe located at 298 Brunswick Avenue

I am writing to ask you to refuse the application to transfer the patio license at 298 Brunswick Avenue, which is operating as the Labyrinth Lounge.

The establishment at 298 Brunswick has been the source of complaints around excessive noise over the past few years. While the Labyrinth Lounge is not the only establishment that is the source of noise in the area, residents have reported that noise from its patio has contributed to their inability to enjoy their property and get a good night's sleep.

In January, the owner held a public meeting to address community concerns about the patio. At the end of the meeting, interested residents were invited to join a working group that would negotiate hours and conditions for the patio that would be amenable to the local community.

On April 3, the residents offered the owner a compromise: he could open his patio if he closed at 11:00 (the as-of-right patio hours) and if he met a number of conditions aimed at reducing noise. The owner refused the offer.

After this meeting, the residents no longer felt that the owner was willing to work with them or take their concerns seriously. As a result, the working group's support for a patio vanished, and I received petitions, emails and letters asking me to deny the owner a patio license.

It is for these reasons that I am asking you to refuse the application

Sincerely,

Adam Vaughan, City Councillor Ward 20, Trinity-Spadina



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Bruce Robertson Director

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October 24, 2008

Sumit Kapur c/o Labyrinth Lounge 298 Brunswick Ave Toronto, Ontario

Dear Mr. Kapur,

Re: Sidewalk Boulevard Café Application - A843410

I am writing in reference to your application for Sidewalk/Boulevard Cafe privileges.

Boulevard cafes are governed by the criteria set out in Chapter 313 of the former City of Toronto Municipal Code. As stated in the Municipal Code, "where the Commissioner receives one or more letters of objection in response to the boulevard café application", the Commissioner shall refuse the application.

For your information an objection has been received, therefore your application must be refused.

If you have any questions, please contact Pat Thornback at 416-392-6700.

Sincerely,

Kimberley Belshaw Supervisor Municipal Licensing & Standards Road Allowance

APPENDIX3

2139155 Ontario Inc. o/a Labyrinth Lounge 298 Brunswick Ave. Toronto, ON M5S 2M7

March 18, 2009

Municipal Licensing and Standards 850 Coxwell Ave., 3rd Floor Toronto, ON M4C 5R1

To whom it may concern:

I am writing in reference to the application for Sidewalk / Boulevard Café, Application Number –A843410.

This is to advise that we have received a letter from the office of Municipal Licensing and Standards indicating that our application has been refused. This is our official notification for an appeal.

Please let us know of any other requirements for us to proceed further.

Thank you,

Sumit Kapur (416) 999- 2935 - Cell





