

MOTION

Liquor Licence – 2300 Finch Avenue West, Unit 51 & 52 – De Karibbean King Eatery

Licence No. 22611

SUMMARY:

De Karibbean King Eatery Inc. has submitted an application for a new liquor licence to the Alcohol and Gaming Commission of Ontario (“AGCO”) for a premises at 2300 Finch Avenue West, Unit 51 & 52 operating under the name De Karibbean King Eatery Inc. (the “Premises”). The applicant is seeking a liquor licence for an indoor capacity of 60 patrons.

The establishment is located in a high crime area and so the safety of the community, staff and patrons are a concern. Also, the previous licenced establishments located at this address have had a history of police activity and liquor licence suspensions. This application for a liquor licence is not in the public interest unless certain conditions, addressing the concerns of the community, are attached to the licence.

RECOMMENDATIONS:

1. That City Council direct the City Clerk to advise the Registrar of the Alcohol and Gaming Commission of Ontario (“AGCO”) that the liquor licence application for De Karibbean King Eatery Inc, 2300 Finch Avenue West, Unit 51 & 52 (the “Premises”), is not in the public interest having regard to the needs and wishes of the residents, and that the Registrar should issue a Proposal to Review the liquor licence application.
2. That City Council request the Licence Appeal Tribunal (“LAT”) to provide the City with an opportunity to be made a party in any proceedings with respect to the Premises.
3. That the City Solicitor be authorized to attend all proceedings before the LAT in this matter and be directed to take all necessary actions so as to give effect to this Motion, including adding and deleting conditions to any liquor licence issued for the Premises, in consultation with the Ward Councillor, which address the concerns of the community.

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