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July 5, 2017

Dear Ellen,

Each year, the Toronto International Film Festival (TIFF) attracts thousands of visitors to Toronto for a celebration of the best in Canadian and international cinema. As you know, businesses in the hospitality sector are often interested in applying to the Alcohol and Gaming Commission of Ontario (AGCO) for an extension of their liquor serving hours from 2:00 am to 4:00 am during the Festival. Since 2008, the Commission has asked for letters of endorsement provided by TIFF in support of Festival-related events.

In order to manage the volume of requests that we receive from the hospitality sector, TIFF has established a policy of limiting our endorsements to official partners and sponsors. Many events that take place during the Festival are run completely independently from TIFF, including studio parties, product launches and other celebrations. While these events may be in celebration of the Festival, TIFF does not participate in their planning or execution, and therefore we are not in a position to endorse their applications. We leave it with the AGCO to decide whether license extensions are warranted for such events on a case-by-case basis.

At this time, I am enclosing a list of official TIFF hospitality partners that are directly involved with the 2017 Festival. On behalf of TIFF, I am pleased to officially endorse 4 am liquor license extensions for the establishments and companies on the attached lists, should they choose to make an application to the AGCO. We may also submit additional names later on in the summer.

Please feel free to contact Garrett Rodman, Manager, Government & Foundation Relations, should you have any questions. Garrett can be reached by phone at (416) 599-8433 ext. 2166 or by e-mail at [grodman@tiff.net](mailto:grodman@tiff.net)

With thanks,

maxine bailey  
Vice President, Advancement

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**TIFF 2016 – Venues Requesting Endorsement Letter for AGCO 4am License Extension**

10TATION (232 Norseman St, Etobicoke)  
A La Carte Kitchens (2 Thorncliffe Park Dr)  
Anne Boleyn (287 A Richmond St W) – *Submitted at July 2017 City Council Meeting*  
Buonanotte (19 Mercer Street)  
The Citizen (522 King St W)  
Cactus Club (First Canadian Place, 77 Adelaide St. W)  
Dog&Bear (1100 Queen St W)  
Entice (1036 Queen St. West)  
Fairmont Royal York (100 Front St W)  
Fox and Fiddle John Street (106 John St)  
Frings (455 King St. W)  
Hyatt Regency Toronto (370 King St W)  
Intercontinental Toronto Centre (225 Front Street West)  
Marben (488 Wellington St W)  
Montecito (299 Adelaide St W)  
One King West Hotel and Residences (1 King West)  
Parts & Labour Restaurant (1566 Queen St W)  
Ricardas (134 Peter St)  
The Ritz-Carlton Toronto (181 Wellington St W)  
Shangri-La Toronto (188 University Ave)  
Soho House (192 Adelaide St W)  
SPiN Toronto (461 King St W)  
The Shore Club (155 Wellington St W)  
The Spoke Club (600 King St W)  
The Thompson Hotel (550 Wellington St W)  
Thoroughbred (304 Richmond St W)  
TIFF Bell Lightbox (350 King St W)  
Twist Catering (333 Bloor Street East, 7th Floor)  
Windsor Arms Hotel (18 St. Thomas Street)

**Boiler House Management Inc. Venues:**

The Fifth Pubhouse (221 Richmond St W)  
Easy and the Fifth Inc. (225 Richmond St W) – *Submitted at July 2017 City Council Meeting*

**Capture Group Venues:**

Blowfish (668 King St W)  
Everleigh (580 King St W)  
Maison Mercer (15 Mercer St)  
Portland Variety (587 King St W)

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**Icon Legacy Venues:**

Byblos (11 Duncan St)

Storys 11 Duncan St

Weslodge (480 King St W)

Patria (478 King St W)

Figo (295 Adelaide St W) - – *Submitted at July 2017 City Council Meeting*

**Liberty Group Venues:**

Cibo Wine Bar King Street West (522 King St W) - – *Submitted at July 2017 City Council Meeting*

Rosewater (19 Toronto St)

Casa Loma(1 Austin Terrace)

**Oliver & Bonacini Venues:**

Canteen (350 King St W)

Luma (350 King St W)

Malaparte (350 King St W) – *Submitted at July 2017 City Council Meeting*

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