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TORONTO LICENSING TRIBUNAL: July 4, 2019 Summary of Decisions M. Lee / M. Carter-Whitney / V. Francis

1. Abbas Hassan Obeid (Report No. 7219)

Applicant for a Vehicle-For-Hire Driver's Licence (Application No. B908291)

DECISION:

The Tribunal adjourned this matter sine die.

Mr. Obeid contacted the Tribunal office and followed up with written correspondence advising that he is unable to attend today's hearing, as he will be out of the country.

2. MD Obaidur Rahman (Report No. 7215)

Applicant for a Vehicle-For-Hire Driver's Licence (Application No. B913349)

DECISION:

The Tribunal approved the joint Proposed Resolution, originally signed on June 11, 2019.

Vehicle-For-Hire Driver's Licence will be issued, subject to the following conditions;

- All fees, documents and/or any outstanding requirements must be submitted to the satisfaction of Municipal Licensing and Standards within 30 days of the Tribunal hearing, failing which the application may be cancelled;
- (2) Immediately upon being issued, Vehicle-For-Hire Driver's Licence will be placed on probation for a period of one (1) year. Mr. Rahman is advised that during the probationary period, MLS may make additional checks of any driving, criminal, and by-law charges and convictions against Mr. Rahman and conduct other investigations, as appropriate, to assess Mr. Rahman's compliance with the requirements of Chapter 546 of the Municipal Code and other applicable laws:

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(3) During the probationary period, if Municipal Licensing and Standards has concerns with any new charges or convictions against Mr. Rahman or any other concerns with respect to the conduct of the licensee, those matters and report no. 7215 and any updating material, may be brought back before the Tribunal for a full hearing.

3. 1835603 Ontario Inc. (Report No. 7123)

o/a The Best Bakery & Catering Services Stephen Kwabena Kotoka, President Applicant for a Retail Store (Food) Licence (Application No. B848013) AND

The Red Room Corp.

o/a The Red Room
Stephen Kwabena Kotoka, President
Applicant for an Eating Establishment Licence (Application No. B885512)

DECISION:

The Tribunal approved the joint Proposed Resolution, originally signed on June 11, 2019.

Retail Store (Food) Licence and Eating Establishment Licence will be issued, subject to the following conditions;

- (1) All fees, documents and/or any outstanding requirements must be submitted to the satisfaction of Municipal Licensing and Standards within 30 days of the Tribunal hearing, failing which the application may be cancelled;
- (2) Immediately upon being issued, Eating Establishment Licence and Retail Store (Food) Licence will be placed on probation for a period of two (2) years. Mr. Kotoka is advised that during the probationary period, MLS may make additional checks of any driving, criminal, and by-law charges and convictions against Mr. Kotoka, 1835603 Ontario Inc.,The Red Room Corp and conduct other investigations, as appropriate, to assess Mr. Kotoka and the companies' compliance with the requirements of Chapter 545 of the Municipal Code and other applicable laws;
- (3) During the probationary period, if Municipal Licensing and Standards has concerns with any new charges or convictions against Mr. Kotoka, 1835603 Ontario Inc. and The Red Room Corp. or any other concerns with respect to the conduct of the licensee, those matters and Report No. 7123 and any updating material, may be brought back before the Tribunal for a full hearing.

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4. Saqib Ali (Report No. 7194)

Holder of Vehicle-For-Hire Driver's Licence No. D01-4843373

DECISION:

The Tribunal approved Mr. Ali's request to not proceed with a hearing in relation to his Vehicle-for-Hire Driver's Licence. Mr. Ali does not intend to renew his licence at the date of expiration.

5. 1690211 Ontario Inc. (Report No. 7167)

o/a Ding Dong Pastries Cafe Long Jin Zheng, Director Holder of Retail Store (Food) Licence No. B50-4853138

DECISION:

The Tribunal approved the joint Proposed Resolution, set out on July 2, 2019.

Retail Store (Food) Licence will be subject to the following conditions:

- (1) All fees, documents and/or any outstanding requirements must be submitted to the satisfaction of Municipal Licensing and Standards within 30 days of the Tribunal hearing, failing which the licence may be cancelled:
- (2) Retail Store (Food) Licence will be suspended for four (4) days, to be served on on July 8, 9, 15 and 16, 2019, during which time the premises will be closed for business.
- (3) Retail Store (Food) Licence will be placed on probation for a period of three (3) years. Ms Zheng is advised that during the probationary period, MLS may make additional checks of any criminal, and by-law charges and convictions against 1690211 Ontario Inc. and Ms Zheng and conduct other investigations, as appropriate, to assess 1690211 Ontario Inc. and Ms Zheng's compliance with the requirements of Chapter 545 of the Municipal Code and other applicable laws;
- (4) During the probationary period, if Municipal Licensing and Standards has concerns with any new charges or convictions against 1690211 Ontario Inc. and Ms Zheng or any other concerns with respect to the conduct of the licensee, those matters and report no. 7167 and any updating material, may be brought back before the Tribunal for a full hearing.

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6. Asad Ayub (Report No. 7162)

Applicant for the Renewal of Vehicle-For-Hire Driver's Licence No. D01-4540569

DECISION:

The Tribunal adjourned this matter sine die.

Municipal Licensing and Standards requested an adjournment in order to obtain additional information from an officer of the Toronto Police Services.

7. Rocky Joseph Malagerio (Report No. 7183)

o/a King St. Renovations
Applicant for a Building Renovator's Licence (Application No. B878960)

DECISION:

The Tribunal deemed Mr. Malagerio's application for a Building Renovator's Licence as abandoned.

(Mr. Malagerio did not attend today's hearing)

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This summary is issued pursuant to the **Statutory Powers Procedure Act**, R.S.O. **1990**, **Chap. S.22**, **s.9 (1)** and in accordance with The City of Toronto Act, 2006, as amended, **Toronto Municipal Code**, **Chapter 545**, **545-3 and Chapter 546**.