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The City of New York Manhattan Community Board 8

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Kerri J. O'Brien Deputy Commissioner State Liquor Authority 80 South Swan Street, Suite 900 Albany, New York 12210-8002

RE: JBB Bar and Grill Inc., dba Epazote, 1606 First Avenue (83rd/84th)-Alteration application for the modification of the hours of operation and including hours of rear yard usage.

Dear Ms. O'Brien:

At the May 20, 2015 Full Board meeting of Manhattan Community Board 8, the following recommendation was adopted by a vote of 36 in favor, 4 opposed, and 2 abstentions.

WHEREAS this an alteration request to modify the hours of operation of the SLA license and rear yard, and

WHEREAS no one from the public objected,

BE IT RESOLVED THAT the application is **approved** subject to the following stipulations which were agreed to by the applicant and are to be incorporated in the license's method of operation:

• The hours of operation for the SLA license:

Sunday: 11:00am to 2:30am

Monday to Wednesday: 5:00pm to 2:30am Thursday and Friday: 5:00pm to 4:00am

Saturday: 11:00am to 4:00am

 The rear garden shall close at 11:00pm - Sunday to Thursday, and that no seating of customers shall be permitted in the garden after 10:00pm. On Friday and Saturday the rear garden shall close at 11:30pm, and that no seating of customers shall be permitted after 10:30pm.

Please advise this office of any action taken regarding this matter.

Sincerely,

James G. Clynes

Chair

Jonathan Horn & Abraham Salcedo Co-Chairs, Street Life Committee

Cc: Honorable Bill de Blasio, Mayor of the City of New York

Honorable Gale Brewer, Manhattan Borough President

Honorable Liz Krueger, NYS Senator, 26th Senatorial District

Honorable Dan Quart, NYS Assembly Member, 73rd Assembly District

Honorable Rebecca Seawright, NYS Assembly Member, 76th Assembly District

Honorable Ben Kallos, NYC Council Member, 5th Council District