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The City of New York Manhattan Community Board 8

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Heather L Bermingham, Deputy Director of Licensing Licensing Department Department of Consumer Affairs 42 Broadway New York, New York 10004

RE: Le Bilboquet NY, LLC dba Le Bilboquet, 20 East 60th Street (Madison/Park)-Renewal application for a small unenclosed sidewalk café with 5 tables and 20 chairs. DCA #1466932-DCA. Due Date December 12, 2015

Dear Ms. Bermingham:

At the December 1, 2015 Street Life meeting of Manhattan Community Board 8, the following recommendation was adopted by a vote of 4 in favor, 0 opposed, and 0 abstentions.

WHEREAS photos submitted with the application indicate that the café is not being operated in accordance with the approved plans:

- 1) There are planters in the café which are not permitted in small cafes
- 2) The tables are aligned parallel to the building, rather than perpendicular as shown on the approved plans. Perpendicular tables are required so that diners do not back chairs into the pedestrian path; and

WHEREAS no one from the public objected; and

WHEREAS the applicant has agreed to Community Board 8's stipulations concerning delivery bikes and bar crawls; therefore

BE IT RESOLVED THAT the application is **APPROVED with the stipulations** that the applicant remove all planters and the tables are arranged perpendicular to the building as shown on the approved plans.

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

Sincerely,

James G. Clynes

Chairman

Larry Parnes & 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

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