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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: <u>Tripti Inc. dba Moti Mahal Delux, 1149 First Avenue (@ 63rd Street)</u> – New application for a wine and beer only license

Dear Ms. O'Brien:

The above referenced application was scheduled to be heard at the September 11, 2012 meeting of CB8's Street Life Committee. As representatives of the establishment requested to adjourn this item until next month, the Committee has laid over this item for discussion at the next scheduled Committee meeting, on October 2^{nd.}

We feel that it is important for concerned members of the public, and the owners of the establishment in question, or their representatives, to discuss issues related to this application at a public hearing of the CB8 Street Life Committee, and for the Community Board to consider the merits of this application. Therefore, we would greatly appreciate the State Liquor Authority withholding this license until the Community Board has had the opportunity to comment on this application.

Sincerely,

Domenico Minerva & Cos Spagnoletti Co Chairs, Street Life Committee CB8

Cc: Mr. Michael E. Jones, Deputy Chief Executive Officer, New York State Liquor Authority