November 28, 2022

City of Columbus Emmanuel V. Remy, City Council Member 90 W. Broad St. Columbus, Ohio 43215 c/o Lucy Frank, Legislative Assistant

Sir,

The following investigation was conducted concerning the City of Columbus' 2022 annual objection to the renewal of liquor permit 4103140 issued to I Love High LLC, which is doing business as Julep, located at 1014 North High Street, Columbus, Ohio 43201. The record owner of said permit is Fadi Michael.

After reviewing the State of Ohio, Franklin County, and City of Columbus records regarding the above liquor permit establishment, the following information has been compiled to support the objection to the renewal of the aforementioned permit issued by the State of Ohio.

The above listed liquor establishment has been issued **D5 and D6** permits by the Division of Liquor. This permit grants the permit holder the privilege to sell alcoholic beverages at the above listed address.

An inquiry of liquor and Ohio Investigative Unit violations revealed that the permit holder has received the following violations in **2021/2022**:

September 23, 2021

INSANITARY CONDITIONS - ALCOHOL NOT MAINTAINED IN POTABLE CONDITION

A review of the Columbus Division of Police records revealed the Division of Police has created seventeen (17) official police reports concerning incidents at the listed liquor establishment between January 2021 and November 2022. These reports referenced homicide, robberies, liquor violations, and assault, including:

September 15, 2021

ASSAULT

July 23, 2022

LIQUOR VIOLATIONS – PASSING DRINKS FROM PATIO TO STREET

September 5, 2022

HOMICIDE (involving security staff)

September 18, 2022

ROBBERY

In addition, the Columbus Division of Police and Division of Fire have been dispatched to 1014 North High Street on ninety-three (93) calls for service, forty (40) in 2021, and fifty-three (53) in 2022 at Julep (totals minus calls attributed to CPD special duty officers). These calls for service include responses to shots fired, sex crime, persons with a gun, OVI, intoxicated persons needing assistance, assault, fights, loud noise, disturbances, and motor vehicle theft. CFD specifically responded to six (6) overdoses at the Premises.

Respectfully submitted,

Detective Joshua Gantt Columbus Division of Police

P.A.C.T. Unit