



CITY OF SAINT PAUL
Mayor Melvin Carter

Civil Division
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Saint Paul, Minnesota 55102

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September 18, 2018

NOTICE OF COUNCIL HEARING

Jorge Samper Zelaya
Sunray BP
344 Ruth Street North
St. Paul, MN 55119

RE: Auto Repair Garage, Gas Station and Cigarette/Tobacco licenses held by Sunray Gas, LLC d/b/a Sunray BP for the premises located at 344 Ruth Street North in Saint Paul
License ID #20150000438

Dear Licensee:

Please take notice that this matter has been set on the Public Hearing Agenda for a City Council meeting on **Wednesday, October 3, 2018 at 5:30 p.m.**, in the City Council Chambers, Third Floor, Saint Paul City Hall and Ramsey County Courthouse, 15 West Kellogg Boulevard, St. Paul, MN 55102.

Enclosed are copies of the electronic mail and letter you sent on September 6, 2018, indicating that you were not contesting the facts related to the incident, but were requesting the opportunity to address the Council regarding the penalty, the resolution and any supporting documents. This information will be presented to City Council for their consideration.

This is an uncontested matter concerning the sale of Newport cigarettes to an underage person documented by a DSI Inspector during a tobacco compliance check on August 8, 2018. The sale of tobacco products to an underage person is a violation of Minn. Stat. § 609.685 and Saint Paul Legislative Code § 324.07(d).

This is the third (3rd) violation within the past eighteen (18) months. Per Saint Paul Legislative Code § 324.11 (b) (1) the licensing office will recommend an \$800.00 matrix penalty and a seven (7) day suspension of your Cigarette/Tobacco license.

Sincerely,

Therese Skarda
Assistant City Attorney
License No. 0240989

Cc: Jorge Samper Zelaya, 433-7th Street South, Unit 2027, Minneapolis, MN 55415-1643
Betsy Vowry Moss, Executive Director, District 1 Community Council, SunRay Shopping Center
2105 ½ Old Hudson Road, St. Paul, MN 55119
J & R Holdings, LLC, 433-7th Street South, Unit 2027, Minneapolis, MN 55415-1643

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STATE OF MINNESOTA)
) ss.

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COUNTY OF RAMSEY)

Julie Kraus, being first duly sworn, deposes and says that on the 18th day of September, she served the attached **NOTICE OF COUNCIL HEARING WITH ATTACHMENTS** and a correct copy thereof in an envelope addressed as follows:

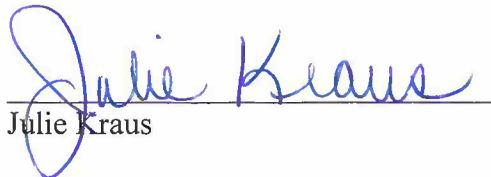
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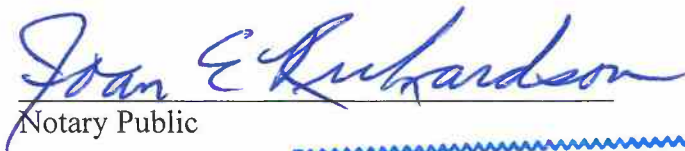
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(which is the last known address of said person) depositing the same, with postage prepaid, in the United States mail at St. Paul, Minnesota.


Julie Kraus

Subscribed and sworn to before me
this 18th day of September 2018


Notary Public

