



CITY OF SAINT PAUL

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September 17, 2013

NOTICE OF COUNCIL HEARING

Esayas Mekonnen Sahle
Piassa Market
512 Snelling Avenue North
St. Paul, MN 55104-2332

RE: Malt Off Sale and Cigarette/Tobacco license applications submitted by Piassa, LLC d/b/a Piassa Market for the premises located at 512 Snelling Avenue North in Saint Paul
License ID #20130003553

Dear Esayas Mekonnen Sahle:

Please take notice that this matter has been set on the Public Hearing Agenda for the City Council meeting has been scheduled for **Wednesday, October 16, 2013 at 5:30 p.m.**, in the City Council Chambers, Third Floor, Saint Paul City Hall and Ramsey County Courthouse.

Enclosed are copies of the resolution and supporting documents which will be presented to the City Council for their consideration. This is an uncontested matter concerning the fact that on January 14, 2013 you were convicted in Ramsey County of Misdemeanor Attempt Receiving Stolen Property in violation of Minn. Stat. § 609.53.1. Also, on August 15, 2013, an inspector from the Department of Safety and Inspections observed cigarettes displayed behind the counter also bottles and cans of beer in the cooler indicating you were operating without the appropriate licenses.

The licensing office will recommend denial of your Malt Off Sale and Cigarette/Tobacco licenses.

Sincerely,

Geoffrey Karls
Assistant City Attorney

cc: Christine Rozek, Deputy Director of DSI
Esayas Mekonnen Sahle, 5337 Oliver Avenue North, Minneapolis, MN 55430-3030
Michael Jon Olson, Executive Director, Hamline Midway Coalition, 1558 Minnehaha Avenue West
Saint Paul, MN 55104-1264

STATE OF MINNESOTA)
) ss.

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COUNTY OF RAMSEY)

Julie Kraus, being first duly sworn, deposes and says that on the 17th day of September she served the attached **NOTICE OF COUNCIL HEARING** and correct copy thereof in an envelope addressed as follows:

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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
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Subscribed and sworn to before me
this 17th day of September, 2013

Rita M. Bossard
Notary Public

