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April 4, 2023

Douglas E. Nepp  
Attorney At Law  
Nepp & Hackert, LLC  
In Town On Lake Building  
One West Lake Street, Suite 185  
Minneapolis, MN 55408

RE: Tobacco Shop license held by Amira Grocery Inc. d/b/a Winnipeg Grocery for the premises  
located at 864 Rice Street in Saint Paul  
License ID: 20210000879

Mr. Nepp:

Now that we have confirmed you will be representing the above-named licensee in this matter please find enclosed a flash drive containing the following information: 1) two videos of the licensed premises, 2) a letter from the Law Office of Ismail Hussein, 3) a letter from Melvin Galloway and 4) the Notice of Violation and Request for Imposition of a 10-day Suspension of your License.

My Legal Assistant, Julie Kraus, will be contacting the Office of Administrative Hearings to schedule a Pre-Hearing Telephone Conference. Please let her know of possible dates you are available. You can email her at [julie.kraus@ci.stpaul.mn.us](mailto:julie.kraus@ci.stpaul.mn.us) or by telephone (651) 266-8776.

Sincerely,

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Therese Skarda  
Assistant City Attorney  
License No.: 0240989

Enclosure: Flash Drive

CITY OF SAINT PAUL  
MELVIN CARTER, MAYOR

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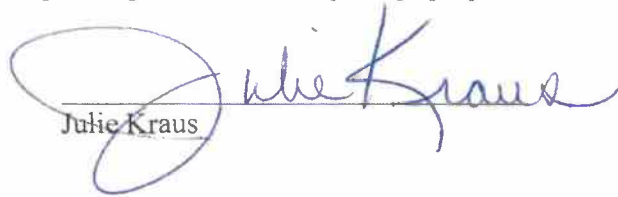
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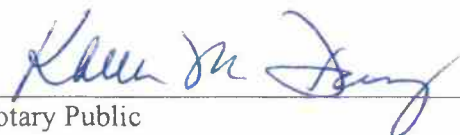
Julie Kraus, being first duly sworn, deposes and says that on the 4<sup>th</sup> day of April she served the attached **LETTER AND FLASH DRIVE** and a correct copy thereof in an envelope addressed as follows:

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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

Subscribed and sworn to before me  
This 4<sup>th</sup> day of April 2023

  
Notary Public

