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Feb. 2, 2015

Hon. Dennis Rosen
Chairman
New York State Liquor Authority
80 South Swan Street
Albany, NY 12210-8002

Re: Euro El Tina Restaurant Lounge & Billiards Corp.

Dear Chairman Rosen:

At the General Meeting on Thursday, Jan. 29, 2015 Community Board 12 Manhattan, passed the following resolution with a vote of (26)In Favor, (2)Opposed, (1)Abstain, recommending that the New York State Liquor Authority **not grant** a Renewal of its On-Premises to Euro El Tina Restaurant Lounge & Billiards Corp., located at 500 West 207th Street between Post & 10th Avenues.

Whereas, Euro El Tina Restaurant Lounge & Billiards Corp., located at 500 West 207th Street between Post & 10th Avenues, has duly notified Community Board 12 Manhattan of its intention to file an application for the renewal of its On-Premises Liquor License; and

Whereas, the Licensing Committee, having met on January 14, 2015 to hear comments from the community and the precinct, was informed that the 34th Precinct objects to the renewal of this license due to an assault that occurred on the premises; and

Whereas, after the Committee meeting, at which the applicant received a negative vote, the Committee Chair contacted the Precinct for additional details and was made aware of a disturbing pattern of incidents, including 2 assaults which occurred on the premises on New Year's Day, one of which resulted in an arrest for felony assault and the hospitalization of the victim, and another which resulted in an arrest for misdemeanor assault; a citation issued earlier this month for overcrowding, after more than 140 patrons were present at a location with a legal capacity of 74; and the recent submission of this establishment for nuisance abatement due to underage liquor sales discovered during the course of three separate MARCH operations, one of which resulted in an additional arrest;

Therefore, Be It Resolved that Community Board 12 Manhattan **Objects** to the State Liquor Authority granting the renewal of this license.

Sincerely,

George Fernandez Jr.
Chair

cc: Hon. Bill de Blasio, Mayor
Hon. Gale Brewer, Manhattan Borough President
Hon. Letitia James, Public Advocate
Hon. Charles Rangel, Congressman
Hon. Bill Perkins, State Senator
Hon. Adriano Espaillat, State Senator
Hon. Herman D. Farrell, Jr., Assembly Member
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Hon. Jeanique Greene, Commissioner, SLA
Hon. Noreen Healey, Commissioner, SLA