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Dennis Rosen Chairman New York State Liquor Authority 80 S. Swan Street, 9th Floor Albany, New York 12210

Re: Kigs 508, LLC d/b/a Albert Hall 508 9th Avenue (38th/39th) a/k/a 506-508 9th Ave and 506 9th Ave

Dear Chairman Rosen:

Manhattan Community Board 4 (MCB4) recommends denial of a transfer of an existing full operating liquor license to Kigs 508, LLC d/b/a Albert Hall, unless the following stipulations, agreed to by the applicant, are part of the method of operation for this establishment:

- Occupancy will be 125
- Hours of operation will be 12:00 noon to 12:00 midnight Sunday through Wednesday and 12:00 noon to 2 am Thursday through Saturday.
- There will be no use of any outdoor spaces (rooftop, patio or sidewalk café).
- The operator is not applying for a cabaret license.
- The applicant agrees to never use outside promoters.
- The applicant stated they will have background music playing in the restaurant/bar.
- French doors/windows will be closed at 10 p.m. Sunday through Thursday and at 11:00 p.m. on Fridays and Saturdays, and whenever amplified music is played.
- A certified soundproofing engineer will recommend and implement soundproofing for the HVAC system in consultation with neighbors. A contract is in place for the work.
- Security plan will be implemented as submitted and attached.
- A limiter will be placed on the sound system, and sub woofers will not be used.
- No DJ booth will be installed, and existing DJ booth will continue to be used as waiter service area.
- No outdoor sidewalk space will be used for queuing of patrons waiting to enter the establishment.
- Applicant will provide contact information to residents/community board office and respond to any complaints as soon as possible.

A signed copy of the stipulations agreed to by the applicant is enclosed. This application is for an existing restaurant/bar. Total capacity is 125 patrons with 87 seated at 18 tables, with 1 stand up bar with 15 seats.

Sincerely,

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John Weis Chair Manhattan Community Board 4

[Signed 2/17/11] Lisa Daglian Co-Chair Business License & Permits Committee – North

[Signed 2/17/11] Chuck Spence Co-Chair Business License & Permits Committee –North