BUSINESS LICENSE COMMISSION

COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES
374 KENNETH HAHN HALL OF ADMINISTRATION
500 WEST TEMPLE STREET
LOS ANGELES, CA 90012
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MEMBERS
STEVEN AFRIAT
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JAMES BARGER
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COMMISSIONER

January 28, 2009 MEETING

374 HALL OF ADMINISTRATION

MINUTES

Commissioners Present
Steven Afriat, President
Renée Campbell, Vice President
Diana Wood, Secretary
James Barger, Commissioner
Sara Vasquez, Commissioner

County Representatives
Barbara Goul, Principal Deputy County Counsel
Joseph Dangerfield, Treasurer and Tax Collector
Ben Garcia, Sheriff's Department
Carmen Sainz, Regional Planning

Absent Commissioners

Guests
Oswaldo Guidos

Commission Services Staff
Nyla Jefferson
Rhonda Rangel

CALL TO ORDER

President Afriat called the meeting to order at 9:00 a.m.

MINUTES

ACTION TAKEN: **MINUTES of January 28, 2009-Approved**

Motion: **Secretary Wood, seconded by Vice President Campbell**

Vote: **Unanimously Carried**

PUBLIC HEARING

Application For Taxi Cab License Modification/Rate Increase

All Yellow Taxi Inc.
Oswaldo Guidos
16812 Hawthorne Blvd.
Lawndale (Second District)

Joseph Dangerfield, Treasurer and Tax Collector, reported that the application for the rate increase is consistent with the City of Los Angeles and there were no cab companies that objected to the increase. Oswaldo Guidos stated that he has 109 vehicles in his fleet and 27 of them are operating with a Los Angeles County permit.

ACTION TAKEN: **The Commission approved the rate increase for the above-mentioned license that is consistent with the City of Los Angeles rates.**

Motion: **Vice President Campbell, seconded by Commissioner Barger**

Vote: **Unanimously carried**

REPORT FROM LOS ANGELES COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT REGARDING AUTO REPAIR BUSINESS LICENSE #4040-110809 PEP BOYS #652

Pep Boys#652
256 S. Atlantic Blvd.
Los Angeles (First District)

Ben Garcia, Licensing Investigator, East Los Angeles Sheriffs Station, reported that he visited the property at various times of the day on December 19, 20, 23, 2008 and January 7, 2009 and he did not witness any vendors on the above mentioned property. Mr. Garcia stated that he did witness illegal street vendors on the left turn pocket islands on the street by the property. On January 7, 2009, Mr. Garcia spoke with the East Los Angeles Station Crime Analyst, and confirmed that operations have been done to curtail the illegal street vendors. Vendors have been issued citations; cases were filed in the East Los Angles Court and dismissed. The Commission received the report.

Recommendation to Deny Public Eating Business License ID #135597

MBIPCH, LLC
12011 San Vicente Blvd. 606
Los Angeles (Third District)

The applicant was not present.

ACTION TAKEN: **The Commission took the item off calendar.**

Motion: **President Afriat, seconded by Commissioner Barger**

Vote: **Unanimously carried**

PUBLIC COMMENT: There was none.

COMMISSIONERS' COMMENTS: The Commission agreed to cancel the February 4, 2009. The next meeting will be on February 11, 2009.

MATTERS NOT POSTED ON THE AGENDA TO BE PLACED ON A FUTURE AGENDA:

ADJOURNMENT: The Commission adjourned at 9:27 a.m.

Steven Afriat, President