BUSINESS LICENSE HEARING PANEL DECISIONS

DATE: Wednesday, February 8, 2006

TIME: 9:30 a.m.

PLACE: Council Chamber

Third Floor, Vancouver City Hall

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1. Davprit Sandhu - 162 East Hastings Street

THAT a 2006 City of Vancouver business license not be issued to Davprit Sandhu (the "Applicant), for business premises located at 162 East Hastings Street, Vancouver, British Columbia (the "Premises"), because:

- a. The proposed business is in the Downtown Eastside where there are a large number of convenience stores already in operation and a significant problem with illegal activities from those convenience stores, which can result from a lack of control and poor business management practices, and causes a drain on policy and City resources; and,
- b. The proposed business location has a history of problems caused by poor management and lack of control, the proposed business does not appear to be commercially viable and the License Applicant has not produced a sufficient business plan.

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