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October 10, 2006

Commissioner Daniel Boyle
New York State Liquor Authority
84 Holland Avenue, 2nd floor, A-Wing
Albany, NY 12208

Re: Ponente, LLC, 628 9th Avenue

Dear Commissioner Boyle:

At its September 12, 2006 meeting, the Business Licenses and Permits Committee of Manhattan Community Board 4 voted to recommend approval of an on-premises liquor license for Ponente, LLC, 628 9th Avenue.

This recommendation is contingent on the owner's agreement to incorporate the following stipulations into its method of operation on its New York State Liquor Authority Application:

1. They close their French doors no later than 11PM.

At its full board meeting on October 4, 2006, Manhattan Community Board 4 voted to approve this recommendation with the above stipulation attached.

Sincerely yours,

J. Lee Compton
Chair, Manhattan Community Board No. 4

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Co-Chair
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cc: Applicant
Fred Gioffre
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