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## MANHATTAN COMMUNITY BOARD FOUR

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

## Re: 311 West 43<sup>rd</sup> Street LLC d/b/a Le Madeleine Bistro – 321 West 51<sup>st</sup> Street (8<sup>th</sup>/9<sup>th</sup>) Total capacity - 107 Operating – Mon.-Fri. 7 a.m. to 11:30 p.m., Sat 7 a.m. to 12 a.m. and Sun. 7 a.m. to 10:30 p.m. License Type: On-Premises

Dear Commissioner Boyle:

Manhattan Community Board 4 voted to recommend <u>denial</u> of a transfer of a full liquor license for 311 West  $43^{rd}$  Street LLC d/b/a Le Madeleine Bistro <u>unless the following stipulations</u>, <u>agreed to by the applicant, are part of the method of operation</u>:

- The applicant will not apply for a sidewalk café permit;
- The front yard space will not be used except to pass into and out of the establishment;
- The applicant will not be applying for a cabaret license at this time or anytime in the future.

311 West 43<sup>rd</sup> Street LLC d/b/a Le Madeleine Bistro is a French Bistro with a full kitchen. They will have background music with no French windows or doors that open to the street. The applicant is well known to CB4 as a good operator of an establishment elsewhere within CD4 for the past 28 years.

Sincerely,

Jean-Daniel Noland	Lisa Daglian	Chuck Spence
Chair	Co-Chair	Co-Chair
Manhattan Community	Business License & Permits	Business License & Permits
Board 4	Committee	Committee

cc: Applicant Fred Gioffre Elected Officials