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March 7, 2008

Chairman Daniel Boyle  
New York State Liquor Authority  
80 South Swan Street  
Albany, NY 12210

**Re: Go West Entertainment, d/b/a Scores, 533-535 West 27<sup>th</sup>  
(Tenth/Eleventh)**

Dear Chairman Boyle:

At its February 12th, 2008 meeting, the Business Licenses and Permits Committee of Manhattan Community Board 4 voted to recommend **denial** of a renewal of a liquor license for Go West Entertainment, d/b/a Scores for the following reasons:

- Operator/owner has a number of outstanding violations under investigation by the SLA, which are serious in nature, ranging from post-close alcohol consumption to lewd conduct and prostitution to indecent exposure.
- The outstanding violations were issued over the previous three years of this establishment's operation.

The operators/owners of the establishment did appear before the BLP committee, regarding the renewal of this license, upon the committee's request. The committee felt the operator/owner's appearance demonstrated their commitment to working with the community and resolving the outstanding violations. Additionally, the operators/owners addressed the committee's questions of how the previous violations would be averted in the future.

However, give the serious nature of the violations, the committee cannot recommend approval of this renewal until the violations are fully

adjudicated with proper resolution. In that case the BLP committee and full board of Manhattan Community Board 4 will reconsider the license renewal after that time.

At its full board meeting on March 5, 2008, Manhattan Community Board 4 voted to approve this recommendation.

Sincerely,



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Co-Chair  
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