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Zoning Commission for the District of Columbia 441 4th Street, NW, Suite 210-S Washington, DC 20001

Re: Application for Special Exception Approval Pursuant to Subtitle I § 581 300 12th Street, SW (Square 326, Lot 806)

Dear Members of the Zoning Commission:

On behalf of Jemal's Cotton Annex L.L.C. (the "Applicant") we hereby submit an application and supporting materials requesting special exception approval pursuant to 11-I DCMR § 581 related to the rehabilitation of the existing Cotton Annex building and new construction of an apartment house located in the D-8 zone district at 300 12th Street, SW (Square 326, Lot 806) (the "Property"). The following materials are enclosed in support of the application:

- A filing fee in the amount of \$3,640, as required pursuant 11-Z DCMR § 1600.11 and 11-Y DCMR §§ 1600.1(b)(24) (the fee for any other special exception is \$1,560) and 1600.1(c) (the fee for a variance is \$1040);
- Application Forms: (i) Form 107 Application to the Zoning Commission; (ii) and Form 135
 Self-Certification;
- A letter from the Applicant authorizing Holland & Knight LLP to file and process the application on its behalf;
- Surveyor's plat showing the boundaries and dimensions of the existing and proposed structures on the Property;
- Architectural plans, elevations, sections and renderings illustrating the existing and proposed structures (Architectural Drawings);
- Portion of the Zoning Map showing the Property (included within the Architectural Drawings);
- Statement of existing and intended uses of the Property;

- Statement of Support explaining how the application meets the specific tests identified in the Zoning Regulations (Statement of Support);
- Photographs of the Property (included within the Architectural Drawings);
- List of maps, plans, or other documents readily available to the public, which may be offered as evidence;
- A written summary of the testimony of witnesses;
- Resumes for the witness who may testify as experts at the public hearing;
- The name and mailing address of the owners of all property within 200 feet in all directions from all boundaries of the Property, in both list and mailing label format;
- A statement of the efforts made by the Applicant to apprise the affected Advisory Neighborhood Commission ("ANC") of this application (included within the Statement of Support); and
- Certificate of service demonstrating that the Office of Planning and ANC 6D have been provided a copy of the application.

We respectfully request that the Commission schedule the application for a public hearing on the next available date.

Sincerely,

HOLLAND & KNIGHT LLP

By:

Dennis R. Hughes

Enclosures

cc: Jennifer Steingasser, D.C. Office of Planning (w/ enclosures via email)
Stephen Cochran, D.C. Office of Planning (w/ enclosures via email)
Anna Chamberlin, District Department of Transportation (w/enclosures via email)
David Maloney, Historic Preservation Office (w/ enclosures via email)
Advisory Neighborhood Commission 6D (w/ enclosures via email)

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on December 24, 2020, a copy of the foregoing application to the Zoning Commission was served by electronic mail on the following at the addresses stated below.

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