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Via E-mail & Federal Express

Honorable John DeStefano, Jr., Mayor
City of New Haven
165 Church Street
New Haven, Connecticut 06510

Office of the Mayor

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RE: Kudeta Restaurant

Dear Mayor DeStefano:

I am legal counsel for W & D Associates, LLC doing business as Kudeta Restaurant, located at 27 Temple Street, New Haven, Connecticut. I am writing to advise you, Chief Esserman and other interested parties that, in light of the unfortunate occurrence caused by the conduct of others that took place outside of Kudeta on the evening of Sunday, October 13, 2013, commencing immediately Kudeta will remain operating solely as a restaurant and will not allow its premises to be used by third parties for the hosting of parties or other entertainment events.

Kudeta has enjoyed a well-earned reputation as one of New Haven's finest restaurants. Kudeta's management and staff will strive to continue to provide area residents with a unique dining experience in beautiful surroundings.

I am available to address any questions or concerns that you, Chief Esserman or other City personnel may have concerning this matter. My direct contact number is 203-605-8866.

Respectfully yours,


DOMINIC J. APRILE

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cc: Chief Dean M. Esserman (*via E-mail and Federal Express*)
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