SB 757 Baltimore City - Alcoholic Beverages - 40th Alcoholic Beverages District Bif Browning Favorable

Thank you for allowing me to submit testimony before this distinguished body today. I am writing today in support of SB 757. Culinary Architecture, 765-767 Washington Blvd, Baltimore, MD 21230 is a small minority, female owned, specialty foods, international market, event space, and catering business. Culinary Architecture has been in business in this location in Baltimore since 2016. Our business has steadily grown year after year up until Covid-19 ravaged small businesses across Maryland and the Country. In speaking with our customers and clients to see what we could do to improve, one request kept emerging. There is a need and a desire for curated food and beverage offerings for dining at home. Covid has increased the number of people who are cooking at home and want to learn more about food and wine. This license will allow us to better serve the community, to introduce them to foods and beverages from other countries, to educate them about other cultures, and to offer them a full experience. We plan to accomplish this through comprehensive meal packages, specialty food and wine tastings, customized events, full service catering, one stop shopping for an integrated market experience. It is our intention to help the customer learn more about the world by providing foods and beverages that traditionally have been paired together, so they receive a unique experience. Thank you for your consideration.

With kindest regards,

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