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October 6, 2013

Bogdan Vitas, Jr., City Manager  
Mark Finigan, Assistant City Manager  
City of Key West, City Hall  
3132 Flagler Avenue  
Key West, Florida 330440

**OCT 07 2013**

**CITY MANAGER**

RE: Request to Transfer of Mobile Vendor License No. 08-00000848:

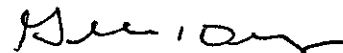
Dear Messrs. Vitas and Finigan,

I represent the interests of Mr. Lawrence Chiango, the owner and holder of City of Key West Mobile Vendor License No. 08-0000848 ("License"). Due to a hardship, Mr. Chiango is requesting the ability to transfer the License pursuant to the applicable provisions of Key West City Code Section 18-325. The proposed transferee is Theodore M. Wasilek. Due to severe health related issues, Mr. Chiango no longer has the capability of operating his mobile vending license and will be spending a considerable amount of his time outside of the Florida Keys, in the Boston area.

In short, due to a series of close family tragedies within a very short period of time, the need for healing and therapy, which Mr. Chiango has been undergoing through his Psychologist for the last six (6) years, has intensified. At the direct recommendation of Mr. Chiango's Psychologist, Mr. Chiango is seeking to transfer his License and have the flexibility to spend more time with his remaining family in Boston. Enclosed, please find a letter from Dr. Katharine Etsy, PhD confirming the need to transfer the license due to medical reasons. Pursuant to the applicable City code provisions, I have included an affidavit from Mr. Chiango, attesting to the need for the transfer. Additionally, I have enclosed the requisite processing fee in the amount of One Hundred and 00/100 Dollars (\$100.00).

We would respectfully request this request be placed on the next available City Commission agenda. If you should have any questions, or require any additional documentation, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Very Truly Yours,



Gregory S. Oropeza, Esq.

Enc.

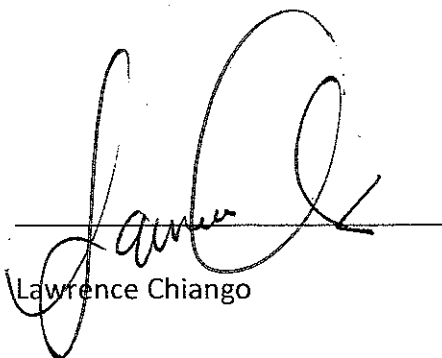
Affidavit of Hardship of Lawrence Chiango

STATE OF FLORIDA

COUNTY OF MONROE

COMES NOW, LAWRENCE CHIANGO, the undersigned Affiant, who personally appeared on this 7<sup>th</sup> day of October 2013 and states as follows:

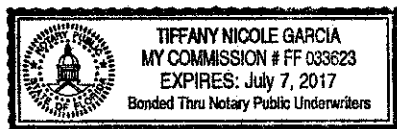
1. My name is Lawrence Chiango and I am over the age of Eighteen (18) years of age.
2. I am the current owners and holder of that certain City of Key West Mobile Vendor License No. 08-00000848
3. For the last six (6) years I have been under the care of Dr. Katharine Esty, for a multitude of mental health related issues.
4. Due to a series of close family tragedies in the last twelve (12) months, among other issues, my need for psychological care has increased and severely intensified then prior to the traumas.
5. Due to the debilitating nature of my current condition, I am no longer able to continue operating my mobile vendor business which I have invested thousands of dollars and countless hours into.
6. Due to the foregoing, I would respectfully request the ability to transfer my mobile vendor license.
7. I hereby affirm that I have read the foregoing affidavit, together with the request presented by my attorney, Gregory S. Oropeza, Esq. and my therapist, Dr. Katharine Esty.

  
Lawrence Chiango

State of Florida  
County of Monroe

I HEREBY CERTIFY that on this day personally appeared before me, an officer duly authorized to administer oaths and take acknowledgements, LAWRENCE CHIANGO, who is personally known to me or who produced DL as identification, to be the same person who is executed the foregoing statement, and acknowledged to me he executed the same freely and voluntarily and purposes therein expressed.

(Seal)



  
Notary Public

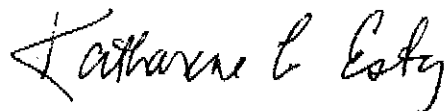
747 Main Street, Suite 126  
Concord, MA 01742  
September 26, 2013

Dear City of Key West Town Manager,

As Lawrence Chiango's psychotherapist for the past six years, I believe that he is no longer able to continue with the vending business that he has managed for the last two years. A number of serious family problems have emerged recently that have negatively affected his psychological status. In my opinion, he needs to be relieved of the responsibilities of the vending business because of his mental health. It would be best if he were able to transfer his license and the vending rights.

If you have further questions, please call me at 978 369 1779.

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Katharine Esty". The signature is written in black ink and is positioned above the printed name.

Katharine Esty, PhD.