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Date: November 7, 1994

To: Robert W. Healy, City Manager

Fr: Richard V. Scali, Acting Chairman/Executive Officer

Re: Council Order #57, dated 10/17/94- Report on Shuttle Busses
From the Sheraton Commander to the Hynes Auditorium

Please find enclosed the report from Chief Investigator Boyer and letter from the Sheraton Commander on the above issue.

The shuttle busses do not seem to be a regular occurrence according to our observations and the Sheraton Commander. The Sheraton has agreed that they will rarely accept bus tours in the future and if they do occur, they have arranged a different location away from residents.

If this problem should occur again, we will reopen our investigation and will continue to monitor at present.

cc: Andrea Boyer, Chief Investigator; Edward Gulerserian, Manager; Mary Ellen Vera



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October 27, 1994

To: Richard V. Scali, Executive Officer/Acting Chairman
From: Andrea M. Boyer, Chief Licensing Investigator *AMB*

Re: REPORT ON SHUTTLE BUSES FROM THE SHERATON-COMMANDER TO THE
HYNES AUDITORIUM IN BOSTON

Please be advised that I spoke to Mr. Edward Guleserian, a representative of the Sheraton-Commander Hotel, regarding the issue of buses idling in front of the hotel. Mr. Guleserian informed me that the bus shuttle is not a regular event and that he was not aware that the buses were a nuisance.

I advised Mr. Guleserian that if a shuttle is used in the future that a different pick-up area should be outlined to the bus company. Mr. Guleserian informed me that he would speak to his staff and in the future have the pick-up area designated further down the street away from residential areas.

Please be advised that I am waiting for a letter from Mr. Guleserian informing me of the new location of where the buses will be placed and also the information that was given to his staff.

Once the letter is received I will attach it to this report.



Sheraton Commander

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October 27, 1994

Ms. Andrea Boyer
Chief Licensing Investigator
Cambridge License Commission
831 Massachusetts Avenue
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RE: Idling Buses

Dear Ms. Boyer,

As per your request, we have brought to the attention of our Sales Department the concern some of our neighbors have regarding noise and fumes emitted from idling diesel buses.

You may be assured that our infrequent acceptance of bus tours at the hotel, bus tour operators will be asked to keep idling at a minimum and more importantly to locate any operating buses to the area between the hotel parking lot and the Congregational Church. This latter step should stop any discomfort caused.

Please pass on our sincere apologies to our concerned neighbors for any inconvenience caused by bus tour operators and hopefully there will be no further occurrence of this problem.

Very truly yours,

Edward N. Guleserian
Managing Director



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December 12, 1994

To The Honorable, The City Council:

Please find attached a response to Awaiting Report Item No. 28, regarding shuttle busses at the Sheraton-Commander Hotel, received from Richard Scali, Executive Officer of the License Commission.

Very truly yours,

Robert W. Healy
City Manager

RWH/mev
attachment

Consent Agenda # 4

S-577

Response to Awaiting Report Item Number Twenty-Eight regarding shuttle busses at the Sheraton-Commander Hotel.

*for original order see
1994 City Manager Request
342.*

In City Council,

December 12, 1994

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