

## ORDER OF AN EXECUTIVE OFFICER NOTICE OF CLOSURE

**To:** Arada Bar & Restaurant Inc.

"the Owner"

Ferehiwot Ashenafi

"the Owner"

**RE:** The food establishment located in Calgary, Alberta and municipally described as:

Arada Bar and Restaurant 1A 1330 15 Avenue SW

WHEREAS I, an Executive Officer of Alberta Health Services, have inspected the above noted premises pursuant to the provisions of the Public Health Act, RSA 2000, c. P-37, as amended;

**AND WHEREAS** such inspection disclosed that the following conditions exist in and about the above noted premises which are or may become injurious or dangerous to the public health or which might hinder in any manner the prevention or suppression of disease, namely:

a. Sewer water originating from the kitchen floor drain adjacent to the grease interceptor was observed pooling on the kitchen floor.

**AND WHEREAS** such inspection disclosed that the following breaches of the Public Health Act and the Food Regulation, Alberta Regulation 31/2006 and the Food Retail and Foodservices Code exist in and about the above noted premises, namely:

- a. Sewer water originating from the kitchen floor drain adjacent to the grease interceptor was observed pooling on the kitchen floor. This is in contravention of the Food Regulation, AR 31/2006, section 17(1)(f)(ii), which states that: An operator must ensure that, before operation of the commercial food establishment commences, the commercial food establishment is connected to a lawful and properly operating sewage disposal system.
- b. Operating without a valid and subsisting food handling permit from Alberta Health Services, which is in contravention of section 3(1) (a) (b) which states that: no person shall operate a food establishment unless the person is an operator who holds a valid and subsisting permit for the operation of the food establishment, and the food establishment is identified on the permit as approved by the regional health authority that issued the permit.

**AND WHEREAS**, by virtue of the foregoing, the above noted premises are hereby declared to be **Closed**.

NOW THEREFORE, I hereby **ORDER** and **DIRECT**:

1. That the Owner immediately close the above noted premises.

- 2. That the Owner immediately undertake and diligently pursue the completion of the following work in and about the above noted premises, namely:
  - a. Identify and remove the source of the sewer backup to ensure the sewer system is properly operating. Discard the prepared food items that were prepared and stored in the kitchen. Thoroughly clean and disinfect all contaminated surfaces exposed to sewer water
  - b. Obtain a valid food handling permit from Alberta Health Services.
- 3. That until such time as the work referred to above is completed to the satisfaction of an Executive Officer of Alberta Health Services; the above noted premises shall remain closed.

The above conditions were noted at the time of inspection may not necessarily reflect all deficiencies. You are advised that further work may be required to ensure full compliance with the Public Health Act and regulations, or to prevent a public health nuisance.

DATED at Calgary, Alberta, October 31, 2025.

Confirmation of a verbal order issued to Ferehiwot Ashenafi on October 30, 2025.

Executive Officer
Alberta Health Services

## You have the right to appeal

A person who

- a) is directly affected by a decision of a Regional Health Authority, and
- b) feels himself aggrieved by the decision

may appeal the decision by submitting a Notice of Appeal form within ten (10) days after receiving the order to:

Public Health Appeal Board c/o Central Reception Main Floor, ATB Place North Tower 10025 Jasper Avenue NW Edmonton, Alberta, T5J 1S6 Phone: 780-222-5186

Email: HealthAppealBoard@gov.ab.ca

Fax: 780-422-0914

Website: https://www.alberta.ca/public-health-appeal-board.aspx

A Notice of Appeal form may be obtained by contacting the Public Health Appeal Board or visiting their website.

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