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**Long Beach Business License
Re: Reason for Appeal**

CITY OF LONG BEACH
BUSINESS LICENSE SECTION
333 WEST OCEAN BLVD
LONG BEACH, CA 90802

**Reason for denial:
Alleged criminal activity taking place**

Answer: My reason for appealing is, these are accusations made by small minded people who we are being racially profiled by. For all the criminal accusations made, there has been nothing to come of any them, except to embarrass and harass us.

**From:
Gino Fleming
My Tyme Barber shop**

Gino Fleming

*I wish to appeal denial
of business license, at 5658
Paramount.*



CITY OF LONG BEACH

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT
COMMERCIAL SERVICES BUREAU

333 West Ocean Boulevard • Long Beach, CA 90802

September 20, 2005

Gino James Fleming
5658 Paramount Blvd.
Long Beach, CA 90805

RE: Business License Application # 20419231
Business Name: My Tyme Barber Shop
Business Address: 5658 Paramount Blvd., Long Beach, CA 90805

Dear Mr. Fleming:

During our telephone conversation of September 20, 2005, you informed me that you never received my letter of June 23, 2005 (attached), which denied your application for a business license. That letter provided ten days to appeal my decision to the City Council. This letter affirms the denial of the business license application, but provides for ten days from today to request an appeal.

You are required to cease business operations by September 30, 2005. To continue business operations would be a violation of the Long Beach Municipal Code.

Should you wish to appeal the denial of your business license application to the Long Beach City Council, you may do so by filing a notice of appeal with the Director of Financial Management by September 30, 2005. The notice of appeal should state the reason for the denial and the grounds for such appeal. It should be sent to the undersigned along with a nonrefundable filing fee of \$1,050.00. You would be allowed to operate business during the appeal process to the City Council.

Please direct any questions to this matter to Jeannine Montoya, Business License Supervisor, at (562) 570-6211.

Sincerely,

JAMES A. GOODIN
Business Services Officer
Commercial Services Bureau

Attachments

JAG:NM:bcv

cc: Councilmember, 9th District
Chief of Police
Gino J. Fleming, 704 S. Knott Avenue, #L2, Anaheim, CA 92804



CITY OF LONG BEACH

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT
COMMERCIAL SERVICES BUREAU

323 West Ocean Boulevard • Long Beach, CA 90802

June 23, 2005

Gino James Fleming
5658 Paramount Blvd.
Long Beach, CA 90805

RE: **Business License Application # 20419231**
Business Name: My Tyme Barber Shop
Business Address: 5658 Paramount Blvd., Long Beach, CA 90805

Dear Sir:

Thank you for your interest in establishing a business in the City of Long Beach. Unfortunately, your application to operate a barbershop business cannot be approved at this time due to noncompliance with applicable laws and regulations, pursuant to LBMC 3:80.421.5. The Police Department (see attached letter) has recommended that the business license application be denied on the basis of criminal violations.

You are required to cease business operations within 10 days of receipt of this letter. To continue business operations would be a violation of the Long Beach Municipal Code.

Should you wish to appeal the denial of your business license application to the Long Beach City Council, you may do so by filing a notice of appeal with the Director of Financial Management within ten days of receipt of this letter. The notice of appeal should state the reason for the denial and the grounds for such appeal. It should be sent to the undersigned along with a nonrefundable filing fee of \$1,050.00.

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Sincerely,

JAMES A. GOODIN
Business Services Officer
Commercial Services Bureau

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cc: Councilmember, 9th District
Chief of Police



Date: May 3, 2005

To: Michael A. Killebrew, Director of Financial Management

From: *AWB*
Anthony W. Batts, Chief of Police

Subject: MY TYME BARBER SHOP - 5658 PARAMOUNT BLVD

I am requesting that the business license for My Tyme Barbershop, located at 5658 Paramount Boulevard, Long Beach, be revoked pursuant to Long Beach Municipal Code Chapter 5.06 on the basis of criminal violations.

In March 2005, the North Division Community Policing team commenced an investigation on My Tyme Barbershop, after receiving information that gang members at the barbershop were selling drugs out of the location. There had been two shootings directly connected to subjects in or around the barbershop in the previous six months.

On March 19, 2005, North Division Community Policing Officers conducted a controlled drug buy at the My Tyme Barbershop. Kevin Armon Henderson (Booking No. 8500480) and Dwayne Alan Baldwin (Booking No. 8500485) were arrested.

On March 31, 2005, North Division Community Policing Officers executed a search warrant on the business and recovered a green substance, which appeared to be marijuana, drug paraphernalia, money, and a cellular phone. Gino James Fleming (Booking No. 8515014) and John Henry English (Booking No. 8515001) were arrested.

Gino Fleming told officers that he was the owner of the barbershop. Officers asked Mr. Fleming if he had a business license and he said he was in the process of making payments to obtain a business license. When asked if he had a current business license on display, Mr. Fleming told officers he did not.

Attached is a copy of Long Beach Police Department DR 05-26433, which details the investigation and arrest of the business owner of My Tyme Barbershop.

If you have any questions or require additional information, please contact my Chief of Staff, Commander J.J. Craig.

AWB:MA:cma

Attachment
cc: Jim Goodin, Financial Management