Small Business Commission

Resolution No. 008-20-LBR

January 27, 2020

NEW DELHI RESTAURANT

Application No.: LBR-2019-20-026
Business Name: New Delhi Restaurant
Business Address: 160 Ellis Street
District: District 6
Applicant: Ranjan Dey, Chef and Owner
Nomination Date: December 9, 2019
Nominated By: Supervisor Matt Haney
Staff Contact: Richard Kurylo
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Adopting findings approving the Legacy Business Registry application for New Delhi Restaurant, currently located at 160 Ellis Street.

WHEREAS, in accordance with Administrative Code Section 2A.242, the Office of Small Business maintains a registry of Legacy Businesses in San Francisco (the “Registry”) to recognize that longstanding, community-serving businesses can be valuable cultural assets of the City and to be a tool for providing educational and promotional assistance to Legacy Businesses to encourage their continued viability and success; and

WHEREAS, the subject business has operated in San Francisco for 30 or more years, with no break in San Francisco operations exceeding two years; or

WHEREAS, the subject business has operated in San Francisco for more than 20 years but less than 30 years, has had no break in San Francisco operations exceeding two years, has significantly contributed to the history or identity of a particular neighborhood or community and, if not included in the Registry, faces a significant risk of displacement; and

WHEREAS, the subject business has contributed to the neighborhood's history and identity; and

WHEREAS, the subject business is committed to maintaining the physical features and traditions that define the business; and

WHEREAS, at a duly noticed public hearing held on January 27, 2020, the San Francisco Small Business Commission reviewed documents and correspondence, and heard oral testimony on the Legacy Business Registry application; therefore

BE IT RESOLVED, that the Small Business Commission hereby includes New Delhi Restaurant in the Legacy Business Registry as a Legacy Business under Administrative Code Section 2A.242.
BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Small Business Commission recommends safeguarding the below listed physical features and traditions at New Delhi Restaurant.

Physical Features or Traditions that Define the Business:
- Historic dining room and bar from the former Hotel Ramona with original Italian marble tile floor.
- Exterior mural.
- Fine Indian cuisine.
- Interior Indian decoration and fine art.
- Wedding and event planning services.
- Custom spice blends.
- Cooking classes.
- Food and beverage pairings.
- Children’s nonprofit program.
- Contribution as an informal Southern Asia community center.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Small Business Commission requires maintenance of the below listed core physical feature or tradition to maintain New Delhi Restaurant on the Legacy Business Registry:
- Restaurant featuring Indian cuisine.

I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was ADOPTED by the Small Business Commission on January 27, 2020.

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Ayes – 7: Adams, Dooley, Huie, Laguana, Ortiz-Cartagena, Yekutiel, Zouzounis
Nays –
Abstained –
Absent –

Regina Dick-Endrizzi
Director