IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF ARKANSAS LITTLE ROCK DIVISION

ROBERT McCURRY

Plaintiff

Vs.

Case No. 4:13-CV-00467-DPM

ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE CONTROL DIVISION OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS

Defendant

RESPONSE TO MOTION TO DISMISS

Comes the Plaintiff, Robert McCurry, by and through his attorneys, Lyons & Cone, P.L.C., and for his Response to Motion to Dismiss, states:

- 1. That Plaintiff's claims should not be dismissed as the Plaintiff has properly alleged claims upon which relief can be granted as more fully set forth in the accompanying Brief in Support.
- 2. That as the Court is well aware, in regard to a motion to dismiss, the facts alleged in the complaint are treated as true and are viewed in the light most favorable to the plaintiff.

 See, e.g., Born v. Hosto & Buchan, PLLC, 2010 Ark. 292, 372 S.W.3d 324 (2010). Further, all reasonable inferences **must be** resolved in favor of the complaint and the pleadings are to be liberally construed to do so. *Id.* (Emphasis added).
 - 3. That such brief in support of this motion is incorporated by reference herein. WHEREFORE, Plaintiff, Robert McCurry prays for relief as follows:
 - (a) that Defendant's Motion to Dismiss be denied;

- (b) for his costs and attorney's fees; and
- (d) for all other proper relief to which this Plaintiff may be entitled.

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The undersigned attorney hereby certifies that on September 19, 2013, he has caused to be sent by electronic mail the foregoing document and whereby notice is to be provided to the following attorneys of record for Defendant:

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