

DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER PROTECTION

LIQUOR CONTROL DIVISION

MINUTES

MEETING PLACE: Commission Meeting Room - Room 124

MEETING DATE: August 21, 2008 – 8:30 a.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Angelo J. Faenza, Liquor Control Commissioner  
Stephen R. Somma, Liquor Control Commissioner

STAFF PRESENT: Gerald C. Langlais, Administrator of Liquor Control  
John Suchy, Director of Liquor Control  
Elisa Nahas, Legal Counsel  
Mary Ellen Gillon, Paralegal Specialist 2  
(8:30 a.m. – 8:35 a.m.)  
Douglas Deveny, Secretary

HEARINGS - Mary Ellen Gillon:

1. **BIANCHINI, FRANK - LIR.17122** The Ultimate Café Waterbury, CT  
Remove from hearings; fire marshal form received. 2008-6394
2. **LOCASCIO, PAUL - LIP.14289**  
Farmington Gourmet Wine & Spirits, Farmington, CT  
Commission accepts offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of day and \$3,000  
for incident of 4/4/08. 2008-2575
3. **TARASIDIS, JOHN - LCA.6737** Morfes Café Lounge, Norwalk, CT  
After compliance meeting, commission rejects offer of 3 days and \$2,500 for  
incident of 11/16/07. 2008-1687
4. **ROTANELLI-LEARNED, LORRAINE - LCA.6547**  
West Side Pub, New Britain, CT  
Commission denies request for continuance of compliance meeting. 2008-  
6387
5. **TISO, GARY L. - LIR.17470P** Horizon Restaurant, Danbury, CT

Commission leaves the formal hearing record open for an additional period of time until September 15, 2008, to allow agent to complete her reinspection.  
2008-492

PROVISIONAL PERMIT:

6. **MINAYA, JOSE B. – LGB.14269** Gianni Market, Waterbury, CT  
Commission approved to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee, cancel old permit LGB.13809, bill of sale, seller's affidavit.
7. **IMRAN, ROBINA – LGB.14294** Moon Mart, Portland, CT  
No action; returned to agent.

PROVISIONAL PERMIT EXTENSIONS:

8. **CHASE, GEOFF – LCA.6961.P** Chacers, Norwich, CT  
Commission approved to extend provisional permit.
9. **DUGAN, MONA L. – LCA.6963.P** Dugan's Hideaway, Waterbury, CT  
Commission approved to extend provisional permit.

FINAL PERMITS:

10. **ROJAS INTERNATIONAL CORPORATION – LCL.591** Norwalk, CT  
Commission approved to issue final permit.
11. **ARTISANAL IMPORTS INC – LSB.749** Austin, TX  
Commission approved to issue final permit.
12. **VENTISQUERO VENTURES – LSL.1171** Austral Winer LLC, Atlanta, GA  
Commission approved to issue final permit.
13. **CASTLE BRANDS USA CORP – LSL.1182** New York, NY  
Commission approved to issue final permit.
14. **WELLS, C. PHILLIP – LCT.233** Chartwells, Willimantic, CT  
Commission approved to issue final permit.
15. **DWYER, KEVIN W. – LCT.234** David's Café, Preston, CT

Commission approved to issue final permit.

- 16. GOULD, THOMAS – LIR.17610.P** Brass City Bistro, Waterbury, CT  
Commission approves to issue final permit upon receipt of photos (8x10) of furnished interior.

OTHER:

- 17. DIAGEO CHATEAU & ESTATE WINES COMPANY – LSL.1185 & LSW.374**  
Napa, CA  
Commission approved request to amend permit from LSW to LSL. Transfer filing and LSW permit fees.

- 18. GORRY, EDWARD C. – LIR.15003** Spectator's, West Haven, CT  
Commission approved transfer of stock.

- 19. HULL, JONATHAN A. – LIP.13047** Arthur's Package Store, Meriden, CT  
Commission approved transfer of stock to trust.

Adjourned at 9:03 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Gerald C. Langlais  
Administrator of Liquor Control  
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