DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER PROTECTION

LIQUOR CONTROL DIVISION

MINUTES

MEETING PLACE: Commission Meeting Room - Room 124

MEETING DATE: October 15, 2009 – 8:30 a.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Angelo J. Faenza, Liquor Control Commissioner

Stephen R. Somma, Liquor Control Commissioner

STAFF PRESENT: John Suchy, Director of Liquor Control

Elisa Nahas, Legal Counsel

Mary Ellen Gillon, Paralegal Specialist 2

(8:30 a.m. – 8:38 a.m.) Douglas Deveny, Secretary

HEARINGS - Mary Ellen Gillon:

- 1. **GRANT, WILLIAM F. III LIR.16043** Grant's, West Hartford, CT Remove from hearings; fire marshal form received. 2009-5614
- 2. **ARMSTRONG, THOMAS K. LIR.16575** Rajun Cajun, Hartford, CT Remove from hearings per instructions from DOL. 2008-11243
- 3. **TESTA, ROBERT LIR.15162** Three Corners Restaurant, Fairfield, CT Commission holds the record open until October 22, 2009. 2008-10314
- 4. **ROSARIO, JUAN LGB.14281** Los Primos Deli & Grocery #3, Bridgeport, CT Commission accepts offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 4 days and \$1,300 for incident of 1/31/09. 2009-920
- 5. **PATEL, NITA LIP.14153** Julianne's Wines & Liquors, Bridgeport, CT After compliance meeting, commission would accept offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 3 days and \$1,000 for incidents of 1031/08, 11/12/08, 1/14/091/23/09. 2008-11527, 2009-1611
- 6. **KAPETANEAS, GREGORY J. LCA.5672** Golden Star Café, Bridgeport, CT After compliance meeting, commission would accept offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 9 days and \$3,000, of which 5 days and \$1,500 would be

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held in abeyance for 6 months. If, during that 6-month abeyance period, there are no new similar allegations or incidents then the Commission will take no further action on the remaining charges that are the subject of the offer in compromise. 2009-3430

7. **MOREL, SOFIA A. - LGB.14191**

Junco Market, Bridgeport, CT

After compliance meeting, commission would accept offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 3 days and \$1,250 for incident of 3/1/09. 2009-2853

PROVISIONAL PERMITS:

- 8. **LILLANEY, ARUN G. LIP.14624** Liquor World Granby, Granby, CT Commission approves to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee, cancel old permit LIP.14551, bill of sale, seller's affidavit, executed copy of lease in name of INC. Commission approved request to waive COD requirement for provisional permit.
- 9. **SIEFERT, SEAN M. LCA.7133** Billy Wilsons LLC, Norwich, CT Commission approves to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee, cancel old permit LCA.6864, bill of sale, seller's affidavit. Commission approved request to waive COD requirement for provisional permit.
- 10. **TRUONG, RICHARD H. LIP.14623** Truong LLC, West Hartford, CT Commission approves to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee, cancel old permit LIP.13933, bill of sale, seller's affidavit, executed copy of lease in name of LLC, identification of trade name.
- 11. **HOWARD, HUON L. LCA.7134** International Café, Hartford, CT Commission approves to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee, bill of sale. Commission approved request to waive COD requirement for provisional permit.
- 12. **PRESTON, ANDREW J. LIP.14621** The Wine Chef LLC, Wallingford, CT Commission approves to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee, cancel old permit LIP.13764, bill of sale, seller's affidavit. Commission approved request to waive COD requirement for provisional permit.
- 13. **CHAVEZ, ALVARO G. LIR.17959** El Agave Brothers, Bridgeport, CT Commission approves to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee, cancel old permit LIR.16959, bill of sale, seller's affidavit, health certificate, sales tax verification, pay \$250 owed in additional permit fees. Commission approved request to waive COD requirement for provisional permit.

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14. **PATEL, VIRAL – LIP.14615**

Derby Discount Liquors, Derby, CT Commission approves to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee, cancel old permit LIP.13141, bill of sale, seller's affidavit, permit fee adjustment to be determined. Commission approved

15. LARA, MIGUEL – LCA.7126

Exit 9 Stamford Café, Stamford, CT Commission approves to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee, health certificate, complete missing information on personal history form for M. Lara and Y. Tiburcio, assignment and consent of lease to LLC, abandonment affidavit, 8x10 photos (of interior, exterior, and trade name), pay \$250 in adjusted permit fees. Commission approved request

16. **BHULLAR, KALWANT S. – LIP.14617** Wall Street Liquor, Norwalk, CT Commission approves to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee, complete section H of application, sales tax number verification, permit fee adjustment. Commission approved request to waive COD requirement for provisional permit.

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17. PATEL, MANISH C. – LIP.14609

330 Boston Package, Stratford, CT

Commission approves to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee, complete section B & L of application, sales tax number verification, pay \$106.25 in permit fee adjustment. Commission approved request to waive COD requirement for provisional permit.

18. SAENZ, ENRIQUE – LCA.7136 Club Limpera Bar Restaurant, Stamford, CT Commission approves to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee, health certificate, letter to withdraw LRW.4693 and transfer fees to LCA, pay \$140 in adjusted permit fees, sales tax verification and financial affidavit. Commission approved request to waive COD requirement for provisional permit.

19. **EMINI, VESEL – LIR.17985**

Cicina Rustica Ristorante, Oxford, CT

Commission approves to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee, cancel old permit LIR.16496, bill of sale, pay \$250 in adjusted permit fees. Endorse no bar. Commission approved request to waive COD requirement for provisional permit.

PROVISIONAL PERMIT EXTENSIONS:

- 20. SIKEL, ELLEN B. LIP.14579.P.CW Harbor Package Store, Branford, CT Commission approved to extend provisional permit.
- 21. SINGH, GURINDER LGB.14412.P.CW Krauszer's Food Store, Stratford, CT Commission approved to extend provisional permit.

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22. CACERES, WAGNER G LOPEZ – LIR.17887.P.CW

Ola, Orange, CT

Commission approved to extend provisional permit.

FINAL PERMITS:

- 23. **POLINI, PIETRO LIR.17954** Terra Sole Ristorante, Ridgefield, CT Commission approves to issue final permit when in receipt of CT sales and use tax permit, 8x10 photos of interior and exterior of premises.
- 24. **LUONG, LEKHENA S. LGB.14424** EZ Mart, Norwich, CT Commission approved to issue final permit upon reconsideration.
- 25. **GANDHI, USHABEN LIP.14577.P.CW** Broad Street Package Store, Bristol, CT Commission approved to issue final permit.
- 26. **SIRICA, LINDA M. LCA.7108** L Restaurant, Middlebury, CT Commission approved to issue final permit.

OTHER:

- 27. **SILVA, MANUEL V. LIR.17445** Le Bijou Pastry & Restaurant Hartford, CT Commission approved request for transfer of stock and Manuel Silva as substitute permittee.
- 28. **MOYLAN, MICHAEL F. LUW.32** Draught Board Sacred Heart, Fairfield, CT Commission approved request for extension of use for 10/24/2009 (1 DAY ONLY).
- 29. **GEBO, WILLIAM A. LCA-7129.P** Times Square Café, Danielson, CT Request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while operating with provisional approved.
- 30. **RONDON, MARIA LIR.17997.P** Mambo Bar & Restaurant, New London, CT Request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while operating with provisional approved.

Adjourned at 9:20 a.m. Respectfully submitted,

John Suchy Director of Liquor Control dd