

STATE OF CONNECTICUT
DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER PROTECTION
LIQUOR CONTROL DIVISION

MINUTES

MEETING PLACE: Commission Meeting Room – Room 124

MEETING DATE: April 23, 2013 – 8:30 a.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Angelo J. Faenza, Liquor Control Commissioner

STAFF PRESENT: John Suchy, Director - Liquor Control
Mary Ellen Gillon, Paralegal Specialist II
Richard Mindek, License and Applications Analyst
Cher Donnelly, Secretary

PUBLIC PRESENT: None

HEARINGS – Mary Ellen Gillon:

1. **RODAS, JEFFREY –LIR.18069** Capri Restaurant, Bridgeport, CT
Remove from hearings; location out of business per Agent Gagne. 2013-60
2. **TAGGART, RICHARD –LIR.17459** Alchemy, New Haven, CT
The Commission grants Attorney Carta’s request for continuance of compliance meeting.
2012-1667
3. **CAPLAN, JOHN, C. –LIP.12659** Grapes, Norwalk, CT
The Commission grants Attorney Berdon’s request for continuance of compliance
meeting. 2012-1444, 2013-117
4. **WRIGHT, MICHAEL –LCA.5174** Gold Club, Hartford, CT
After compliance meeting, the Commission accepts offer in compromise in lieu of
hearing of \$3,000 for incident of 8/23/12. 2012-1016

5. **ZHAO, ALLEN, Y. –LIR.16061** Hong Kong House, South Windsor, CT
After compliance meeting, the Commission accepts offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 3 days and \$750 for incidents of 4/21/12 and 7/24/12. 2012-1310, 2012-1104
6. **AMIN, YOGESH –LIP.13055** Guilford Wine Company, Guilford, CT
The Commission rejects offer of \$14,500; commission would accept offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 21 days suspension to be held in abeyance for 2 years and \$17,400 for incident of April 2009-February 2012. 2012-1371

PROVISIONAL PERMITS

7. **PATEL, HARSHADBHAI, B. –LIP.15060** Woodmont Package Store, Milford, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement for provisional, cancel permit #LIP.12750, bill of sale, seller's affidavit, 8x10 photo of exterior trade name sign "Woodmont Package Store" and copy of CT sales and use tax permit.
8. **CHOWDHURY, SAHWN, H. –LGB.14840** Shawn's Mini Market, Torrington, CT
The Commission takes no action on the Provisional Permit request.
9. **GONCALVES, JOAQUIM –LIR.18807** Milford Green Pizza, Milford, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement for provisional, cancel permit #LRW.4894, 8x10 photo of exterior trade name sign, 8x10 photos of completed and renovated interior. The Commission approves request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while operating with provisional permit. Endorse patio once in receipt of completed application.
10. **BIRNEY, JAMES, D. –LFG.40** Sports Haven, New Haven, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement for provisional and cancel permit #LFG.39. The Commission approves request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while operating with provisional permit.
11. **BIRNEY, JAMES, D. –LFC.48** Sports Haven, New Haven, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement for provisional and cancel permit #LFC.45. The Commission approves request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while operating with provisional permit.

12. **BIRNEY, JAMES, D. –LFB.138** Sports Haven, New Haven, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement for provisional and cancel permit #LFB.132. The Commission approves request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while operating with provisional permit.
13. **BIRNEY, JAMES, D. –LRF.49** Sports Haven, New Haven, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement for provisional and cancel permit #LRF.45. The Commission approves request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while operating with provisional permit.

PROVISIONAL PERMIT EXTENSIONS

14. **WHITE, SIERRA, D. –LIR.18737.P-CW** The Corner Bar and Grill, Hartford, CT
The Commission approves request to extend provisional permit.
15. **LACAN, YOLANDE –LIR.18705.P-CW** Yolande's Bistro and Creperie, New Haven, CT
The Commission approves request to extend provisional permit.

FINAL PERMITS

16. **WHYNN IMPORTS INC. –LSL.1440** Stamford, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit.
17. **REN ACQUISITION INC.-LSL.1437** Plymouth, CA
The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit.
18. **GRUET WINERY –LSW.800** Albuquerque, NM
The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit.
19. **ISKANDAR, MARIE, C. –LRW.4996** Kibberia, Danbury, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit after 5/22/13 upon receipt of publication notice. Endorse no bar.

20. **ABDULLOVSKI, ARBEN, A. –LRW.4982** Giant Pizza, Putnam, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit after 5/20/13 upon receipt of publication notice. Endorse no bar and patio.
21. **CALABRESE, GUISEPPE –LRW.4991** La Cucina, Torrington, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit after 5/22/13 upon receipt of publication notice. Endorse no bar.
22. **SCHIAVONE, STEVEN –LIR.18768** The Tavern, New London, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit.
23. **BERGENTY, LINDSAY-LIR.18727** Sliders Grill & Bar, West Hartford, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit upon receipt of 8x10 photos of completed interior (to include bar room, dining room and kitchen) and final Fire Marshal approval. The Commission approves request for off-site storage of invoices.

OTHER

24. **NICHOLSON, RONALD –LIC.1991** American Legion #112, Uncasville, CT
The Commission endorses permit with extension of use for 5/19/13, 5/27/13, 6/1/13, 6/8/13, 6/29/13, 7/26/13, 8/17/13, 9/1/13, 10/12/13 and 11/1/13.
25. **VIGLIOTTO, JUNE, M.- LCA.5673** June's Outback Pub, Killingworth, CT
The Commission endorses permit with patio for 4/21/13, 4/28/13, 7/14/13, 8/11/13 and 9/1/13.
26. **ROTONDI, DIANA –LIR.18325** Posto Café Inc., Fairfield, CT
The Commission approves request to remove on stipulation to 1879 Black Rock Tpke, Fairfield, upon receipt of stipulated agreement for removal, publication notice and 8x10 photo of exterior of trade name sign.
27. **COFFEY, ROBERT –LIC.1765** American Legion Post #2, Bristol, CT
The Commission approved request to waive guestbook requirement for June 15, 2013.
28. **CONROY, DANIEL –LIC.2137** Fayerweather Yacht Club, Bridgeport, CT
The Commission approved request to waive guestbook requirement for May 25, 2013.
29. **DELVECCHIO, ANTHONY –LIR.15266** Jack's Grille, New Haven, CT
The Commission approves Kimberly Delvecchio as substitute permittee.

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30. MANGI, JOSEPH –LCA.7336

Tre, Ridgefield, CT

The Commission approves John M. Pennetto as substitute permittee.

Recessed at 9:00a.m.

Reconvened at 12:40p.m for signature by Designated Signee, Elisa Nahas.

Adjourned at 12:55p.m

Respectfully Submitted,

John Suchy

Director of Liquor Control

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