

STATE OF CONNECTICUT
DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER PROTECTION
LIQUOR CONTROL DIVISION

MINUTES

MEETING PLACE: Commission Meeting Room – Room 124

MEETING DATE: August 13, 2013 – 8:30 a.m.

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

STAFF PRESENT: Elisa Nahas, Legal Director
Mary Ellen Gillon, Paralegal Specialist II
Robert Willard, Liquor Control Supervising Agent
Richard Mindek, License and Applications Analyst
Cher Donnelly, Secretary

PUBLIC PRESENT: None

HEARINGS – Mary Ellen Gillon:

1. **PATEL, BANSARI-LIP.14893** Eastern Point Wine & Spirits, Groton, CT
The Commission grants continuance of compliance meeting. 2013-768
2. **DEWEY, GEORGE-LCA.6878** Dewey's, Seymour, CT
After compliance meeting, the Commission accepts an offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 3 days and \$750, of which 2 days and \$500 will be held in abeyance for 6 months, for incident of 4/19/13. 2013-524
3. **BATES, MICHAEL-LIP.13271** Putnam Spirits Package Store, Putnam, CT
After compliance meeting, the Commission accepts an offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 3 days and \$750, of which 2 days and \$500 will be held in abeyance for 6 months, for incident of 6/8/13. 2013-735

4. **GRIFFIN, SCOTT-LIP.12842** On the Rocks Spirit Shop, Milford, CT
After compliance meeting, the Commission accepts an offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 3 days and \$750, of which 2 days and \$500 will be held in abeyance for 6 months, for incident of 5/11/13. 2013-619
5. **PENA-HERNANDEZ, CARLOS-LGB.14725** Compare Foods, Bridgeport, CT
After compliance meeting, the Commission accepts an offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 3 days and \$750, of which 2 days and \$500 will be held in abeyance for 6 months, for incident of 3/15/13. 2013-258
6. **PATEL, MAMTA-LIP.13458** Franco's Wines & Liquors, Madison, CT
After compliance meeting, the Commission would accept an offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 32 days to be held in abeyance for 2 years and \$21,400 for incident of April, 2009-December 2011. 2012-1372
7. **PATEL, BANSARI-LIP.14893** Eastern Point Wine & Spirits, Groton, CT
The Commission grants continuance of compliance meeting. 2013-768

PROVISIONAL PERMITS

8. **PATEL, ASHISH-LGB.14888** One Stop Convenience, Plainfield, CT
The Commission takes no action on Provisional Permit request; file returned to agent.
9. **ALAS, MARIO-LGB.14894** A & L Mini Market, Bridgeport, CT
The Commission takes no action on Provisional Permit request; file returned to agent.
10. **MONTELLO, STEVEN-LCA.7534** Bistro B, Bridgeport, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement for provisional, proof of filing from the Secretary of State, 8x10 photo of exterior trade name sign, 8x10 photos of completed and renovated interior and personal history form for Steven K. Montello.
*Updated minutes for requirements from 8/8/13.
11. **FLAGG, RICHARD-LRW.5026** Flaggstead Texas Smokehouse, Farmington, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement for provisional, \$500 fee, cancel permit #LRB.1810, completed provisional request form and copy of CT sales and use tax permit with correct address. The Commission approves request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while operating with provisional permit.

12. **RUGOVAC, BECIR-LIR.18873** Lumi, Stratford, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement for provisional and \$500 fee. The Commission approves request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while operating with provisional permit. Endorse patio.
13. **RONDINONE, LAUREN-LIT.1826** The Pickle Stand, Middletown, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement for provisional and \$500 fee. The Commission approves request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while operating with provisional permit. Endorse patio once in receipt of permittee signature on application.
14. **DURANTE, RICHARD-LIP.15026** Balducci's, Riverside, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement for provisional, \$500 fee, copy of CT sales and use tax permit, completed provisional credit waiver request form and 8x10 photos of completed interior (to include cash register, coolers and shelving). The Commission approves request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while operating with provisional permit.
15. **MELLUZZO, JOSEPH-LIR.18874** Main Pub, New Britain, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement for provisional. The Commission approves request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while operating with provisional permit. Endorse patio.
16. **BARCLAY, WAYNE-LIR.18875** Texas Roadhouse, Waterbury, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement for provisional, \$500 fee, final Fire Marshal approval, 8x10 photo of exterior trade name sign and 8x10 photos of completed and finished interior. The Commission approves request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while operating with provisional permit.
17. **GHAFOOR, MIRZA-LGB.14863** Sam's Food Stores, Bristol, CT
The Commission takes no action on Provisional Permit request; file returned to agent.

PROVISIONAL PERMIT EXTENSIONS

NONE

FINAL PERMITS

18. **MATHESON, MARTTI-LIR.18823** Buffalo Wild Wings, Southington, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit upon receipt of publication notice.
19. **GROEPER, PETER-LCA.7520** Third Rail, Cromwell, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit upon receipt of 8x10 photo of exterior trade name sign. Endorse patio.
20. **LAMBER, TIMOTHY, JR. -LIP.15079** Bristol Liquor Outlet, Bristol, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit upon receipt of bill of sale, seller's affidavit, cancel permit #LIP.14827, 8x10 photo of exterior trade name sign and publication notice.
21. **MANCE, ERIC-LMP.3** Broad Brook Brewing, Windsor, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit upon receipt of 8x10 photo of exterior trade name sign and 8x10 photo of renovated interior.
22. **GRABE, DOUGLAS-LIR.18729** Little Pub, Wilton, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit.
23. **SANCHEZ, EDWIN-LGB.14877** C-Town, Norwalk, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit after 8/14/13 upon receipt of publication notice.
24. **RAGAINI, RAYMOND-LIR.18785** Geno's Grille, Mansfield, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit. Endorse patio.
25. **SNAPPER, MICHELLE-LCA.7518** Tomato & Basil Café & Pizzeria, Fairfield, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit. Endorse patio.
26. **THOMAS, JOHANNY-LGB.14853** Bombom Mini Market, Meriden, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit.
27. **COCHRAN, JOHN-LMB.1528** Terrapin Beer Co., Stratford, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit upon receipt of publication notice and 8x10 photo of exterior trade name sign. Endorse interior access.
28. **CADOUX, JONATHAN-LMB.1527** Peak Organic Brewing Co, LLC, Stratford, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit upon receipt of publication notice and 8x10 photo of exterior trade name sign. Endorse interior access.

29. **D& V INTERNATIONAL INC.-LSB.847** Jupiter, FL
The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit.

OTHER

30. **ORGANIC VINTAGES-LIW.554** New Haven, CT
The Commission approves request to remove on stipulation to 1005 South Street,
Suffield, CT upon receipt of stipulated agreement for removal.
31. **BUZA, ARPAD-LPC.197** Hungarian Community Club, Wallingford, CT
The Commission approves Lajos Komsa as substitute permittee.
32. **SANTORELLA, VINCENT, JR. -LIC.2094** Saint Ann Club, Norwalk, CT
The Commission approves Nicandro Cappuccia as substitute permittee.
33. **SHAH, NILESHKUMAR-LIP.14452** Lostocco's Country Liquors, Plainville, CT
The Commission approves the application for transfer of interest.
34. **SINGH, SUKHDEV -LIP.14921** Welcome Package Store, Hartford, CT
The Commission approves the application for transfer of interest.
35. **CHIANESE, JOSEPH-LIP.14590** Warehouse Wine & Liquors, Southbury, CT
The Commission approves the application for transfer of interest.
36. **YASEVA, MICHAEL-LCA.6179** Meadow Café Inc., Branford, CT
The Commission approves the application for transfer of stock.
37. **PALOMBA, DAWN LEE-LCA.6022** Dawn's Gateway Café, Torrington, CT
The Commission approves request for patio for :
November 1, 2, 3, 8, 9, 10, 15, 16, & 17, 2013.
38. **BARTON, ROBERT-LRW.4932** Noodles & Company, West Hartford, CT
The Commission endorses permit with permanent patio.

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Adjourned at 9:10 a.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

Robert Willard
Liquor Control Supervising Agent
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