

STATE OF CONNECTICUT
DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER PROTECTION
LIQUOR CONTROL DIVISION

MINUTES

MEETING PLACE: Commission Meeting Room – Room 124

MEETING DATE: September 10, 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
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. **PATEL, PRITESH-LIP.14126** Cheshire Spirit House, Cheshire, 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 \$250 will be held in abeyance for 6 months, for incident of 5/25/13. 2013-686
2. **DELLIS, ANTONIO-LIP.14945** Seaside Wine & Spirits, 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 \$250 will be held in abeyance for 6 months, for incident of 5/11/13. 2013-624
3. **GRILLO, SPENCER-LIP.14662** Uncle Dan’s Wine, Beer & Booze, Putnam, CT
After compliance meeting, the Commission accepts an offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 5 days and \$1,500, of which 3 days and \$500 will be held in abeyance for 6 months, for incident of 6/8/13. 2013-734

4. **ROBERTS, RONALD-LIH.1541** Roberts Hotel, Central Village, CT
The Commission accepts an offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 1 day for incident of 6/1/13. 2013-457
5. **CUTLER, JASON-LCA.7269** Pulse, New Haven, CT
After compliance meeting, the Commission takes no further action on incident of 1/31/13 and accepts an offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 3 days and \$5,000 for incident of 5/2/13. 2013-79, 2013-80, 2013-126, 2013-443

PROVISIONAL PERMITS

6. **SINGH, VARINDER-LIR.1886** Pie Guys, Waterbury, 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 no bar.
7. **MIRTO, TARA-LCA.7547** The Corner Tavern, Naugatuck, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement for provisional, cancel permit #LCA.7103, bill of sale, seller's affidavit and 8x10 photo of exterior trade name sign. The Commission approves request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while operating with provisional permit.

PROVISIONAL PERMIT EXTENSIONS

8. **SIERRA, ERIC-LIR.18745.P-CW** Rive Bistro, Westport, CT
The Commission approves request to extend provisional permit.

9. **VERA, MARTHA-LGB.14865.P-CW** Krysshanna Fruits and Vegetables, Norwalk, CT
The Commission approves request to extend provisional permit.
10. **DIB, RANA-LGB.14854.P-CW** FM One Stop, Monroe, CT
The Commission approves request to extend provisional permit.
11. **FASANO, JILL-LRC.278-P-CW** Silver Sands Beach Club, East Haven ,CT
The Commission approves request to extend provisional permit.

FINAL PERMITS

12. **RESNISKY, MARK-LIR.18868** The Local Grill, Avon, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit upon receipt of publication notice. Endorse patio and interior access.
13. **ROCCO, MICHAEL-LRW.5035.P-CW** Planet Pizza, Westport, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit after 10/1/13 upon receipt of publication notice. Endorsement changed from 'no bar' to 'service bar only'.
14. **ALLTECH'S LEXINGTON BREWING CO -LSB.852** Nicholasville, NY
The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit.
15. **EKEKO DISTRIBUTION INC.-LSL.1459** Houston, TX
The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit.
16. **M DRAXTON INC-LSW.831** Geyserville, CA
The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit.
17. **FOOLPROOF BREWING COMPANY-LSB.853** Pawtucket, RI
The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit.
18. **F TELDESCHI WINERY-LSW.819** Healdsburg, CA
The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit.
19. **MT DEFIANCE WINE COMPANY-LSW.833** Hood River, OR
The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit.
20. **GK SKAGGS INC-LSB.850** Irvine, CA
The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit.

21. **ROCCO, JOSEPH-LRW.5036.P-CW** Planet Pizza, Norwalk, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit after 10/1/13 upon receipt of publication notice. Endorsement changed from 'no bar' to 'service bar only'.
22. **SAMUEL, PARKER-LGB.14869** Corner Market, Greenwich, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit upon receipt of original copy of abandonment affidavit.

OTHER

23. **WINAM WINES-LIW.640** Farmington, CT
The Commission approves request to remove to 1 Lenola Dr., Farmington, CT upon receipt of publication notice.
24. **MCKENZIE'S BEVERAGE INC.-LSL.1432** Buffalo, NY
The Commission approves the application for transfer of interest
25. **DILLANE, PAUL-LCA.7379** Hudson Grille, Stamford, CT
The Commission approves request for patio for 9/21/13 & 9/22/13.
26. **PAGAN, ARISLEIDA- LCA6710** Harp & Dragon Pub, Norwich, CT
The Commission endorses permit with extension of use and (1) one additional consumer bar upon receipt of 8x10 photo of furnished interior of second floor.
27. **LIPKA, KAROLINA-LIR.18408** Baltic Restaurant, Berlin, CT
The Commission endorses permit with one (1) patio.
28. **MARTIN, CHRISTOPHER-LIC.1940** Pius X Home Association, Watertown, CT
The Commission approves Michael J. Coon as substitute permittee.
29. **LESPERANCE, GREGORY-LCM.55** The New Britain Rock Cats, New Britain, CT
The Commission approves Paul A. Vermeal as substitute permittee.
30. **W J DEUTSCH SPIRITS LLC-LSL.1269** Greenwich, CT
The Commission reviewed notification of W.J. Deutsch Spirits LLC changing location to 75 Holly Hill Lane, Ste. 100, Greenwich, CT.

31. **DEUTSCH NANTZ ALLIANCE –LSL.1392** Greenwich, CT
The Commission reviewed notification of Deutsch Nantz Alliance LLC changing location to 75 Holly Hill Lane, Ste. 100, Greenwich, CT.
32. **IASPARRA, CYNTHIA-LPC.205** Wallingford Rod & Gun Club, Wallingford, CT
The Commission approves request to waive guestbook requirement for 9/15/13, 9/20/13, 9/21/13, 10/4/13 and 10/26/13.
33. **FARONE, DENNIS-LPC.164** Westbrook Elks #1784, Westbrook, CT
The Commission approves request to waive guestbook requirement for 9/23/13.
34. **HARTFORD DISTRIBUTORS INC. –LIW.505** Manchester, CT
The Commission approves request allowing the wholesaler to deliver the Bud Family 30-packs to the retailers as provided in their list because of an internal computer glitch which prevented deliveries from being made.
35. **NILSSON, JAMES-LGB.12302** Geissler's Supermarket, East Windsor, CT
The Commission approves transfer of stock as reflected in 8/19/13 letter from Geissler's Supermarket Inc.
36. **BARTON, MARGARET-LGB.12080** Geissler's Supermarket, Windsor, CT
The Commission approves transfer of stock as reflected in 8/19/13 letter from Geissler's Supermarket Inc.
37. **WYSE, JEFF-LGB.12511** Geissler's Supermarket, South Windsor, CT
The Commission approves transfer of stock as reflected in 8/19/13 letter from Geissler's Supermarket Inc.
38. **GOMES, JENNIFER-LGB.12326** Geissler's Supermarket, Granby, CT
The Commission approves transfer of stock as reflected in 8/19/13 letter from Geissler's Supermarket Inc.
39. **NILSSON, DANIEL-LGB.13996** Geissler's Supermarket, Bloomfield, CT
The Commission approves transfer of stock as reflected in 8/19/13 letter from Geissler's Supermarket Inc.
40. **PONT, ROBERT-LGB.14206** Geissler's Supermarket, Somers, CT
The Commission approves transfer of stock as reflected in 8/19/13 letter from Geissler's Supermarket Inc.

Adjourned at 9:15 a.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

John Suchy
Director of Liquor Control
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