

DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER PROTECTION

LIQUOR CONTROL DIVISION

MINUTES

MEETING PLACE: Commission Meeting Room - Room 124

MEETING DATE: February 4, 2010 – 8:30 a.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Stephen R. Somma, Liquor Control Commissioner

STAFF PRESENT: John Suchy, Director of Liquor Control  
Elisa Nahas, Designated Signatory  
Mary Ellen Gillon, Paralegal Specialist 2  
(8:30 a.m. – 8:39 a.m.)  
Douglas Deveny, Secretary

HEARINGS - Mary Ellen Gillon:

1. **SAYYED, MARWAN - LRW.4004** Julian's Brick Oven Pizza, Bridgeport, CT  
Remove from hearings; fire marshal form received. 2010-51
2. **YASIN, MOHAMMED - LGB.12331** Beechmont Market, Bridgeport, CT  
After compliance meeting, commission accepts offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 3 days and \$750 for incident of 8/22/09. 2009-5570
3. **CONSTAND, MICHAEL P. - LIR.16382** Bravo, Fairfield, CT  
Commission accepts offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of immediate revocation of permit for incidents of 10/20/09 and 12/11/09. 2009-5727
4. **LAWRENCE, KEVIN - LIP.14430** Sam's Club, Newington, CT  
Commission grants Attorney Reif's request for a continuance of the compliance meeting. 2009-5534, 2009-5654
5. **GOMES, JACINTO - LIC.1979** Cape Verdean Club, Bridgeport, CT  
After compliance meeting, commission would accept offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 3 days and \$750 for incident of 11/1/09. 2009-5867

PROVISIONAL PERMITS:

6. **TILSON, CHARLES - LCA-7170** 1<sup>st</sup> and Ten Sports Bar & Grill, New Milford, CT  
Commission approved request for provisional permit for LCA-7170 when in receipt of \$1150.00, stipulation agreement, and health certificate.
7. **ROSARIO, JAHAIRA E. - LGB-14454** Mini Rite Grocery, Bridgeport, CT  
Upon reconsideration, the Commission approves the issuance of the provisional permit with the same conditions as previously stated. Regarding the allegation of the change of ownership, the Commission takes no further action regarding case 2010-146 as it relates to LGB-12114.
8. **APPELL, ROBERT D. – LIP.14649** Bottle's, Westport, CT  
Commission approves to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee, cancel old permit LIP.13564, bill of sale, seller's affidavit. Commission approves request to waive COD requirement for provisional permit.

PROVISIONAL PERMIT EXTENSIONS:

9. **FIORENZA, ROCCO – LIR.17927.P.CW** Trio's of Danbury, Danbury, CT  
Commission approved to extend provisional permit.
10. **CHANG, SHUHAO – LIR.17998.P.CW** China Pan, Farmington, CT  
Commission approved to extend provisional permit.

FINALS:

11. **RIVERA, JULIO E. – LIR.17993.P.CW** Rivenova, Stratford, CT  
Commission approves to issue final permit when in receipt of \$250.00 for permit fee adjustment. Endorse service bar only.
12. **LAUZIER, ROBERT D. – LIT.1794.P.CW** Stables Tavern LLC, Torrington, CT  
Commission approves to issue final permit when in receipt of \$60 for permit fee adjustment.
13. **TAVERAS, EVELIN – LIP.14576.P.CW** Perez Wine & Spirits, Danbury, CT  
Commission approved to issue final permit; remonstrance withdrawn.
14. **PATEL, HIMANSU N. – LGB.14428** Newtown Convenience, Newtown, CT  
Assign to hearing; 30-20.

- 15. MOROTTO, RICHARD J. – LCT.272** Bin 300 World Bistro, Wolcott, CT  
Commission approved to issue final permit.
- 16. PEARSON, JEFFREY S. – LCA.7144.P.CW** Player's Billiard Café, Montville, CT  
Commission approves to issue final permit when in receipt of publication notice, disclaimer form completed & received from Shannon Pearson.
- 17. MALEC, JENNIFER A. – LCA.7145.P.CW** Four Seasons Sports Bar and Grill, Enfield, CT  
Commission approves to issue final permit when in receipt of basement sketch depicting lockable storage area.
- 18. ZHANG, MEIQING – LIR.18013** Hunan Pan, Shelton, CT  
Commission approves to issue final permit when in receipt of seller's affidavit, assignment of lease to corporation, consent to assignment of lease by landlord, CT sales and use tax permit, 8x10 photos of lockable storage, cancelation of LIR.14154. Commission takes no further action on change of ownership for LIR.14154.
- 19. PAN, JIN CHUN – LIR.18017** Kiraku Japanese and Asian Grill, Fairfield, CT  
Commission approves to issue final permit when in receipt of final fire marshal approval, 8x10 photos of entire interior (kitchen, dining room, lockable storage, trade name), assignment of lease to backer, consent to assignment of lease by landlord, copy of CT sales and use tax permit, new sketch with dimensions.
- 20. HOWARD, HUON L. – LCA.7134** International Café, Hartford, CT  
Commission approved to issue final permit. Endorse patio
- 21. PALOMINO, RAFAEL – LIR.18016.P.CW** Black Rock Tavern, Fairfield, CT  
Commission approves to issue final permit when in receipt of sketch of premises with dimensions, health certificate, executed copies of promissory notes to landlord (for \$187,000.00 and \$62,333.00), copy of CT sales and use tax permit, consent to lease assignment, full copies of lease assignment, publication notice. Endorse patio.
- 22. FUSCHI, MICHAEL J. – LCA.7096.P.CW** Bernie's Pub, Rocky Hill, CT  
Remonstrance withdrawn. Commission approves to issue final permit when in receipt of LLC documentation.
- 23. FAROOQ, NASIR – LGB.14475** Ravi Food Mart, Manchester, CT  
Commission approves to issue final permit when in receipt of bill of sale, seller's affidavit, permit LGB.13893 received for cancelation.

- 24. ARGUINZONI, JONATHAN M. – LGB.14457** Vine Street Supermarket, Hartford, CT  
Commission approved to issue final permit.
- 25. VARVATSI, VASILIS P. – LRW.4710** Basil's Pizza Restaurant, Wallingford, CT  
Commission approves to issue final permit when in receipt of 8x10 photos of exterior.
- 26. HAYES, ELIZABETH A. – LCA.7149** Shots Café, Meriden, CT  
Commission approved to issue final permit. Endorse patio.
- 27. BEVILACQUA, FRANCESCO – LIR.18046** Giovanni's Best Inc, Northford, CT  
Commission approves to issue final permit when in receipt of seller's affidavit, LRW.3548 received for cancelation.
- 28. CHARGE BEVERAGES CORPORATION – LSB.771** Lake Oswego, OR  
Commission approved to issue final permit.

OTHER:

- 29. TILSON, CHARLES - LIR.18037** 1<sup>st</sup> and Ten Sports Bar, New Milford, CT  
Commission approved request to amend application from restaurant liquor permit to café liquor permit. Commission approved request to transfer all fees, except the \$100 nonrefundable filing fee, from LIR-18037 and transfer those fees to LCA-7170. Department will need to send out new placard. Department to change status of LIR-18037 from Pending to Inactive.
- 30. DYER, JOYCE A. – LIH.1514-B** Floodtide Restaurant, Mystic, CT  
Commission approved request for transfer of stock.
- 31. LONGE, MICHAEL – LGB.13085** Whole Foods Market, West Hartford, CT  
Commission approved Stephen McKenna as substitute permittee.
- 32. ADDY, KYLE J. – LCA.6698** Showcase Cinemas Buckland Hills, Manchester, CT  
Commission approved Scott R. Temple as substitute permittee.
- 33. GABRIEL, PAUL – LIH.1704-B** Homewood Suites, Wallingford, CT  
Commission approved Paul Carpenter as substitute permittee.
- 34. SHULLMAN, MICHAEL – LGB.13258** Grocery Express, Old Greenwich, CT  
Commission approved Glenn Angiolillo as substitute permittee.

35. **DOLOR, GUY – LGB.14342** Trader Joe's, West Hartford, CT  
Commission approved Richard Marcucio as substitute permittee.
36. **ARNETT, JOHN R. SR. – LIC.1719** VFW Anderson-Shea Post #2046, Manchester, CT  
Commission approved Robert Paul Russell as substitute permittee.
37. **MURPHY, HOWARD – LPC.152** Farms Country Club, Wallingford, CT  
Commission approved Robert J. Stetter as substitute permittee.
38. **HUNT, TONY – LIR.14459** Acqua Ristorante, Westport, CT  
Commission approved Michael Moroney as substitute permittee.

Adjourned at 9:24 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

John Suchy  
Director of Liquor Control  
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