

DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER PROTECTION

LIQUOR CONTROL DIVISION

MINUTES

MEETING PLACE: Commission Meeting Room - Room 124

MEETING DATE: March 30, 2010 – 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. – 8:39 a.m.)
Douglas Deveny, Secretary

HEARINGS - Mary Ellen Gillon:

1. **LSL.1070** Huneus Vintners - and - **LIW.596** Slocum & Sons, CT
Huneus Vintners has withdrawn request for termination hearing; remove from hearings. 2010-224
2. **MARRERO, MIGUEL - LCA.6739** The Lounge, Hartford, CT
Remove from hearings; permit canceled. 2009-2030
3. **MAUREK, DREW A. - LIC.1840**
Graduate Professional Student Center, New Haven, CT
Remove from hearings; fire marshal form received. 2010-240
4. **CHEUNG, YUEN C. - LIR.17310** Hunan Gourmet, Greenwich, CT
Remove from hearings; fire marshal form received. 2010-251
5. **PARIKH, FALGUNI A. - LIP.14462** Newington Wine Cellars, Newington, CT
Commission accepts offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 1 day and \$3,000 for incident of 8/29/09. 2008-7893

6. **JENKINS, JERMAINE P. - LGB.13940** Hank 7 Variety, Bridgeport, CT
After compliance meeting, commission accepts offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 13 days for incident of 8/21/09. 2009-5593
7. **ARZMI, MIKE - LGB.14381** A&G Pizza and Deli, Bridgeport, CT
After compliance meeting, commission accepts offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 3 days and \$750 for incident of 8/21/09. 2009-5592
8. **O'NEILL, THOMAS J. - LMB.1515** Thomas Hooker Brewing Co, Bloomfield, CT
After compliance meeting, commission accepts offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of \$750 for incidents of 7/11/08-2 /3/09 and 8/7/09. 2008-11180, 2008-12554
9. **LONG, ROHAN F. - LCA.6738** Cleveland Café, Hartford, CT
Commission accepts offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of \$250 for incident of 10/23/09.
10. **JEWELL, KEITH - LCA.6387** Sports Page Café, New Milford, CT
Commission rejects offer of \$500 for incident of 9/29/09. 2009-5653
11. **O'BRIEN, JAMES - LCA.5898** Johnny's Grill, West Haven, CT
Commission accepts offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of \$500 for incident of 8/17/09. 2009-5542
12. **MORRELL, GENE - LCA.7011** The Office Café, Norwalk, CT
Commission rejects offer of 1 day and \$750 for incident of 5/15/09. 2009-5643

PROVISIONAL PERMITS:

13. **RASCATI, FRANK T. – LIR.18112** Scoreboard Sports Bar & Grill, Woodbridge, CT
Commission approves to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee, seller's affidavit, health certificate, CSBI, 8x10 interior and exterior photos. File to be returned to Agent Anderson awaiting CSBI check. Commission approves request to waive COD requirement for provisional permit.
14. **KAUR, NAVNEET – LGB.14477** Krauszer's, Hamden, CT
OK to issue provisional permit when in receipt of stipulation agreement, \$500 fee. Commission approves request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while operating with provisional permit.

15. **CHENG, SCOTT – LRW.4735** Cheng Square LLC, Middlebury, CT
OK to issue provisional permit when in receipt of stipulation agreement, \$500 fee, health certificate, zoning signature, fire marshal approval. Commission approves request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while operating with provisional permit.
16. **D'ARCANGELO, SAVERIO – LIP.14691** Mountain View Plaza Wine & Spirits, Naugatuck, CT
Commission approves the issuance of a provisional permit when in receipt of stipulation agreement, \$500 fee, permit LIP-12893 received for cancelation, bill of sale, seller's affidavit, disclaimer statement from Carol Ann D'Arcangelo and Della D'Arcangelo, Consent of assignment to lease approval by landlord. Commission approves request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while operating with provisional permit.
17. **LOPRESTI, ALFRED – LRW.4733** Piccolo Pizza, Ridgefield, CT
OK to issue provisional permit when in receipt of stipulation agreement, \$500 fee, bill of sale, health certificate, fire marshal certificate, abandonment affidavit – Pretty LLC. Endorse service bar only. Commission approves request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while operating with provisional permit.

PROVISIONAL PERMIT EXTENSIONS:

18. **SAENZ, ANA I. – LCA.7148** Lempira Bar Café, Stamford, CT
Commission approved to extend provisional permit.
19. **VIPPOLIS, LUIGI E. – LIR.18029.P.CW** Nonna's Brick Oven Pizzeria & Restaurant, Stamford, CT
Commission approved to extend provisional permit.
20. **KATTIS, GEORGE L. – LRW.4711.P.CW** The Meeting Place, Seymour, CT
Commission approved to extend provisional permit.

FINALS:

21. **KAUR, NAVNEET – LGB.14477** Krauszer's, Hamden, CT
Commission approves to issue final permit upon receipt of publication notice.
22. **YILDIZ, ISIK – LGB.14488** Deli News, New Haven, CT
Assign to hearing; 30-20.

- 23. WONG, MAN HEI – LRW.4728** New China Garden Corp, Branford, CT
Commission approves to issue final permit upon receipt of abandonment affidavit. Endorse no bar.
- 24. GREWAL, GURMINDER S. – LGB.14467** Krauszer's Food Store, Branford, CT
Commission approved to issue final permit.
- 25. HARNED, JUSTIN J. – LCA.7159** Federal Café, Hartford, CT
Commission approves to issue final permit when in receipt of seller's affidavit, bill of sale, LCA.6565 for cancelation.
- 26. VALLEJO, MERCY – LIR.18057** Charcoal Chicken Restaurant LLC, West Haven, CT
Commission approved to issue final permit.

OTHER:

- 27. KEITH WORTZ – LIR.17868** Night Owl, New Haven, CT
Commission approved transfer of stock without approval (from 11/23/09 and 6/1/09).
- 28. RANCOURT, PATRICIA S. – LCA.5708** Pappy's, East Hartford, CT
Commission approved request for patio for 5/22/10 ONLY.
- 29. CLENDENIN, KEITH R. – LIT.1756** Towne Tavern, Torrington, CT
Commission approved request for patio for 5/16/10 and 9/19/10 ONLY.
- 30. GARDNER, MICHAEL – LCA.7007** Dots Cafe, Uncasville, CT
Commission approved request for patio and ACB for the following dates ONLY – 4/3/10; 4/16/10; 5/15/10; 5/21/10; 5/30/10.
- 31. SOBIN, ROBERT F. SR. – LIC.1811** Adriatic Marchigiano Club, Derby, CT
Assign to hearing; 30-39(b) fire marshal.
- 32. WALLACE, ROBERT FRANCIS – LCA.6013** Community Café, Waterbury, CT
Assign to hearing; 30-39(b) fire marshal.
- 33. KILPATRICK, COLIN M. – LCA.6913** Governor's Tavern, East Hampton, CT
Assign to hearing; 30-39(b) fire marshal.
- 34. SOTO, EDWIN A. – LCA.6926** El Flamboyán Restaurant & Bar, Bridgeport, CT
Assign to hearing; 30-39(b) fire marshal.
- 35. TRIVEDI, BHARAT – LIH.1722** Clarion Inn and Suites, East Windsor, CT
Assign to hearing; 30-39(b) fire marshal.

36. **RACINE, CHRISTY – LPC.257** Danielson Lodge #1706 BPOE, Danielson, CT
Assign to hearing; 30-39(b) fire marshal.
37. **ARPAIA, BARRY E. – LRW.3935** Barb's Pizza, West Hartford, CT
Assign to hearing; 30-39(b) fire marshal.
38. **SOTO, DANIEL A. – LRW.4186** Champion's Pizza, South Windsor, CT
Assign to hearing; 30-39(b) fire marshal.
39. **NORMANDIN, MELISSA J. – LIR.17765**
Brooklyn's Countryview Restaurant, Brooklyn, CT
Commission approved Jeffery J. Fontaine as substitute permittee.
40. **SANTILLI, DIANE L. – LPC.264** Old Lyme Country Club, Old Lyme, CT
Commission approved Mike Glynn as substitute permittee.
41. **MARIANECCI, JACOPO – LCA.5344** Sole Café, New Canaan, CT
Commission approved Vito Derario as substitute permittee.
42. **SAVONA, ROSARIA – LIR.17829.P** Matteo's Too, New Milford, CT
Commission approved Roberto Ciriello as substitute permittee.
43. **CARRIERI, JEAN A. – LGC.38** Oak Lane Country Club, Woodbridge, CT
Commission approved Roseann Fortune as substitute permittee.
44. **RAYMOND, DEAN – LIC.1794**
Polish Legion Of American Veterans #2, Bristol, CT
Commission approved Dana J. Ouellette as substitute permittee.
45. **OREFICE, LAWRENCE H. – LIC.2004**
Shuttle Meadow Country Club, Kensington, CT
Commission approved Thomas A Natola as substitute permittee.
46. **COLEMAN, RONALD P. JR. – LPC.244**
Willimantic Lodge #1311 BPOE USA Inc, Willimantic, CT
Commission approved Wayne Mather as substitute permittee.
47. **BURKE, ELAINE – LIC.1859** VFW Post #254, Hartford, CT
Commission approved John E. Barnas as substitute permittee.
48. **DOCKINS, WILLIAM W. – LCA.6006**
Bobby's Place Café, New Britain, CT
Commission approved Karen Oakes as substitute permittee.

49. PILKINGTON, JOSEPH T. – LIC.1938

American Legion Post #27, Litchfield, CT

Commission approved Peter J. Ottesen as substitute permittee.

50. Ethics policies reviewed with Liquor Commissioners:

ETHICS NEWS

As we progress into the New Year, we would like to thank all Board and Commission members who give their time and expertise to the Department of Consumer Protection in providing assistance and ensuring compliance with the laws created and established to ensure a protected Connecticut citizenry. The service you perform in your official state capacity is appreciated by the Department, your fellow Board or Commission members, licensees and consumers throughout this great State.

At this time, we would also like to take this opportunity to remind existing members and inform our newly appointed members to become familiarized with the Code of Ethics for Public Officials and Department of Consumer Protection Ethics policies.

In general, the Code of Ethics for Public Officials prohibits a public official or state employee from using his or her state title for his or her financial benefit or for the financial benefit of a business with which he or she is associated. As such, please refrain from using your board or commission title (i.e. "Real Estate Commissioner") on personal or business letterhead stationery, greeting or business cards, e-mails, calendars, or web addresses. In this manner, we may avoid even the appearance of impropriety and thus not risk possible violations of the Code of Ethics.

If you have any further questions or comments, please do not hesitate to contact the Office of State Ethics directly at 860-263-2400 or ethics.code@ct.gov or the department Ethics Liaison, Elisa Nahas, at 860-713-6088 or elisa.nahas@ct.gov.

For further information, please review Sec. 1-79 *et seq.*, Conn. General Statutes; http://www.ct.gov/ethics/lib/ethics/publications/public_officials_guide_09_final.pdf; and [http://www.ct.gov/dcp/lib/dcp/policies/dcpethics2008_\(rev_2\).doc](http://www.ct.gov/dcp/lib/dcp/policies/dcpethics2008_(rev_2).doc)

Adjourned at 9:28 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

John Suchy
Director of Liquor Control
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