

**STATE OF CONNECTICUT**

**DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER PROTECTION**

**IN THE MATTER OF**

Marco Barone, Permittee  
Marco Barone, Backer  
Light House Liquor Locker  
Permit #LIP.13031  
Docket No. 07-1170

August 14, 2007

**MEMORANDUM OF DECISION**

This matter involves a package store liquor permit issued to Light House Liquor Locker, 88 Ryders Lane, Stratford, Connecticut. A formal administrative hearing was held before the Department of Consumer Protection on June 14, 2007, at which time the Respondent appeared.

The alleged violations came to the attention of the Department of Consumer Protection by way of a joint investigation conducted by the Stratford Police Department and the Department of Consumer Protection's Division of Liquor Control. It is alleged that on or about June 27, 2006, the Respondent (1) sold or delivered alcoholic liquor to a minor in violation of Section 30-86, Connecticut General Statutes. The Liquor Control Act vests in the Commission a liberal discretionary power to determine factual matters with regard to liquor permits. Gulia v. Liquor Control Commission, 164 Conn. 537, 325 A.2d 455 (1973). Based upon the testimony and documents presented at the hearing, the charge is dismissed.

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**LIQUOR CONTROL COMMISSION**

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Elisa A. Nahas, Esq.  
Designated Hearing Officer

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Angelo J. Faenza, Commissioner

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Gary Berner, Commissioner

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