

DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER PROTECTION

LIQUOR CONTROL DIVISION

MINUTES

MEETING PLACE: Commission Meeting Room - Room 124

MEETING DATE: April 16, 2009 – 8:30 a.m.

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

STAFF PRESENT: Elisa Nahas, Designated Signatory
Mary Ellen Gillon, Paralegal Specialist 2
(8:30 a.m. – 8:39 a.m.)
Lynn Fiore, Staff Attorney 3
(8:30 a.m. – 8:42 a.m.)
Douglas Deveny, Secretary

HEARINGS - Mary Ellen Gillon:

1. **POLIDORO, JACQUELINE - LIR.16804** Pazzo Restaurant, Westbrook, CT
Remove from hearings; fire marshal form received. 2009-2791
2. **FARRAH, ROMMERRO H. - LIR.17459** Alchemy, New Haven, CT
Commission grants Attorney Carta's request for continuance of compliance meeting. 2008-5538
3. **SHEHADA, GOUZAIF - LGB.13079** Caribe Market, Bridgeport, CT
Commission accepts offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of \$375 and file new application within 45 days for incidents of 5/12/08 and 7/18/08. 2008-5421
4. **SANTAGATA, WILLIAM - LCA.5381** Van Dome, New Haven, CT
Commission accepts offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of \$1,500 for incidents of 10/14/06 and 1/17/09. 2008-1700
5. **DIAZ, ARTURO - LCA.5533** El Charro Mexicano Café, South Norwalk, CT
Commission accepts offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 5 days, \$1,500 and keep food available for service, for incident of 6/19/08. 2008-5067

DISCUSSION:

6. CROWDER, GARY S. - LCN.2

Mohegan Tribal Gaming Authority, Uncasville, CT
Commission accepts offer of \$30,000 to resolve cases 2009-526, 2009-1471, 2009-1473, 2009-1472, 2009-2400, 2009-2398, 2009-2399, and takes NFA on 2009-2401.

PROVISIONAL PERMIT:

7. PLANINSHEK, TRACI A. – LIR.17900.P-CW

Dockside Seafood & Grille, Branford, CT
Commission approved to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee, cancel LIR-14608, sellers affidavit, executed copy of assignment of lease to LLC. Endorse 2 ACBs. Commission approved request to waive COD requirement for provisional permits.

8. TARQUINO, GARY JR. - LFB.132.P-CW Sports Haven, New Haven, CT
Commission approved to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee. Commission approved request to waive COD requirement for provisional permits.

9. TARQUINO, GARY JR. - LFR.45.P-CW Sports Haven, New Haven, CT
Commission approved to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee, cancel old permit LFR-41. Commission approved request to waive COD requirement for provisional permits.

10. TARQUINO, GARY JR. - LFG.39.P-CW Sports Haven, New Haven, CT
Commission approved to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee. Commission approved request to waive COD requirement for provisional permits.

11. TARQUINO, GARY JR. - LFC.45.P-CW Sports Haven, New Haven, CT
Commission approved to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee, cancel LFC-41. Commission approved request to waive COD requirement for provisional permits.

12. VASQUEZ, CARLOS J. – LRW.4666 Jerri's Luncheonette, West Haven, CT
Commission approved to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement. Commission approved request to waive 2 bathroom requirement.

13. ARDUINI, EMILIO – LIR.17897 Fino Restaurant & Pizzeria, Old Saybrook, CT
Commission approved to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee and health certificate.

14. **CECUNJANIN, ADIS – LRW.4665** Fiore's IV Pizza, Plainville, CT
Commission approved to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee, seller's affidavit or abandonment affidavit. Commission approved request to waive COD requirement for provisional permits.
15. **TANG, MUOI T. – LIR.17894** 783 Restaurant and Bar, Norwich, CT
Commission approved to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee, finished seller's affidavit or abandonment affidavit, financial statement, completed application – name of backer on application. Commission approved request to waive COD requirement for provisional permits.

PROVISIONAL PERMIT EXTENSIONS:

16. **BALL, RICHARD – LCA.7048.P** Donovan's & Mackenzie, Norwalk, CT
Commission approved to extend provisional permit.
17. **LICHATZ, GREGORY – LIR.17738.P** Boiler Room, Wethersfield, CT
Commission approved to extend provisional permit.

FINAL PERMITS:

18. **FULLER, DAVID – LGB.14344** Trader Joe's, Darien, CT
Commission approves to issue final permit upon receipt of publication notice.
19. **TORTORA, BENJAMIN J. – LIP.14539** Neighborhood Spirit Shoppe, Guilford, CT
Commission approves to issue final permit upon receipt of sales tax permit and photos (8x10) of exterior.
20. **RUKSTELA, SANDRA M. – LIR.17765.P** Brooklyn's Countryview Restaurant, Brooklyn, CT
Commission approves to issue final permit upon receipt of articles of organization for LLC. Commission approves request for transfer of interest and Melissa Normandin as substitute permittee. Endorse patio.

OTHER:

21. **SOLIS, NELSON E. – LCA.6722** The Palms, Stamford, CT
Commission approved request for patio and ACB for 5/6/2009 ONLY (1 day only).

22. **PATEL, ANITA – LIP.13571** Sam's Wine World, Guilford, CT
Commission approves request to endorse permit with permanent extension of use.
23. **MANSFIELD, PATRICK – LCA.5696** Anna Liffey's, New Haven, CT
Commission approves request to endorse permit with permanent patio approval.
24. **ROY, PAUL A. – LIC.1789** Knights of Columbus, Windsor Locks, CT
Commission approves request for extension of use and ACB for the following dates ONLY:
- Sundays - 4/19/2009 through 5/10/2009
 - Thursdays - 5/14/2009 through 9/10/2009
 - Sundays - 9/13/2009 through 10/25/2009
25. **CULTRERA, JACK S. – LIR.16546**
Recovery Room Restaurant, New London, CT
Commission approves request for transfer of stock.
26. **HARVELL, BRYAN E. – LCA.5026** Casey Café, Ellington, CT
Commission approves request for transfer of stock.
27. **KANAFAR, CHATEAU – LIW.609** Chateau Kanafar, Bethel, CT
Commission approves request for transfer of interest.
28. **NILSSON, JAMES H. – LGB.12302** Geissler's Supermarket, East Windsor, CT
Commission approves request for transfer of stock.
29. **MELILLO, JAMES – LGB.12080** Geissler's Supermarket, Windsor, CT
Commission approves request for transfer of stock.
30. **SIAS, ELLEN – LGB.12326** Geissler's Supermarket, Granby, CT
Commission approves request for transfer of stock.
31. **WYSE, JEFF – LGB.12511** Geissler's Supermarket, South Windsor, CT
Commission approves request for transfer of stock.
32. **NILSSON, DANIEL J. – LGB.3996** Geissler's Supermarket, Bloomfield, CT
Commission approves request for transfer of stock.
33. **GUTHRIE, JAMES L. – LGB.14206** Geissler's Supermarket, Somers, CT
Commission approves request for transfer of stock.

Adjourned at 9:11 a.m.

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Respectfully submitted,

Elisa Nahas
Designated Signatory
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