

DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER PROTECTION

LIQUOR CONTROL DIVISION

MINUTES

MEETING PLACE: Commission Meeting Room - Room 124

MEETING DATE: September 22, 2011 – 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 II
Douglas Deveny, Secretary

HEARINGS – Mary Ellen Gillon:

1. **SILVA, MANUEL V. - LIR.17445** Le Bijou Pastry & Restaurant, Hartford, CT
Remove from hearings; fire marshal form received. 2011-885.
2. **ROSEN, ALAN L. - LIR.17667** Juniors Restaurant, Mashantucket, CT
After compliance meeting, commission takes no further action on incident of
5/14/11. 2011-438
3. **FERNANDEZ, RUFFINO - LGB.14532** Keithbel Market, Hartford, CT
After compliance meeting, commission would accept offer in compromise in
lieu of hearing of 15 days and \$1,000 for incident of 4/6/11. 2011-273
4. **IACINO, ROBERT J. - LCA.5029** B&G Lounge, South Windsor, CT
After compliance meeting, commission would accept offer in compromise in
lieu of hearing of 6 days and \$1,500, of which 5 days and \$1,000 would be
held in abeyance for 6 months, for incident of 6/26/10. 2010-813
5. **TAYLOR, THOMAS JR. - LIP.14483** Addison Fine Wine & Liquors, Glastonbury, CT
After compliance meeting, commission would accept offer in compromise in
lieu of hearing of 4 days and \$1,250, of which 3 days and \$500 would be held
in abeyance for 6 months, for incident of 5/21/11. 2011-463

6. **JURDEN, ELMER - LGB.14364** Hartford Food Market, Hartford, CT
After compliance meeting, commission would accept offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 120 days for incidents of 4/28/10 and 7/25/11. 2011-793, 2010-479
7. **SMITH, JUSTIN R. - LCA.6442** Blarney's Café, Willimantic, CT
After compliance meeting, commission would accept offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 17 days and \$3,500 for incident of 5/12/11. 2011-441
8. **HARRISON, BRIAN A. - LCA.6940** Goodtimes Café, Pawcatuck, CT
After compliance meeting, commission would accept offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 3 days and \$2,250 for incident of 5/14/11. 2011-658
9. **CRUZ, ADALBERTO JR. - LCA.7091** Greek Café, Hartford, CT
Commission grants Attorney Brick's request to reschedule compliance meeting. Commission would accept voluntary revocation to resolve pending charges. 2011-299

PROVISIONAL PERMITS:

10. **GONG, LIANG WU – LIR.18430** Ming Palace Restaurant, Newington, CT
Commission approves to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, bill of sale, cancel permit LIR.16867 (if active), copy of CT Sales and use tax permit. Endorse service bar only. Commission approved request to waive COD requirement for provisional permit.
11. **RICHARDS, BRIAN J. – LCA.7335** The Russian Lady, Hartford, CT
Commission approves to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee, submission of security plan to be reviewed by division director prior to issuance of provisional permit. Endorse permanent patio and 4 ACBs. Commission approved request to waive COD requirement for provisional permit.
12. **WANG, THOMAS – LRW.4865** Anoho, Middletown, CT
Commission approves to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee. Commission approved request to waive COD requirement for provisional permit.
13. **PEREZ, JOSE OSMIN LOPEZ– LRW.4864** Osmino's Pizzeria, New London, CT
Commission approves to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, cancel LIR.17243. Endorse no bar. Commission approved request to waive COD requirement for provisional permit.

14. **URSO, PAMELA G. – LIP.14895** Bottle Shop of Unionville, Unionville, CT
Commission approves to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee, cancel LIP.13775, bill of sale, seller's affidavit.
Commission approved request to waive COD requirement for provisional permit.
15. **DO, CHARLES T. – LIP.14885** The Wine Mapp, Greenwich, CT
Commission approves to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee, 8x10 photos of trade name "The Wine Mapp", 8x10 photos of interior (coolers, finished shelving, cash register). Commission approved request to waive COD requirement for provisional permit.
16. **HOBART, JAMIE – LCA.7333** City Hall Café, Waterbury, CT
Commission approves to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee, cancel permit LCA.6752, bill of sale, seller's affidavit, affidavit from backer attesting to the relationship with Brian Hobart and Dominick Jannetty Sr. as it relates to the business relationship with the restaurant and any financial arrangements – to be reviewed by division director. Commission approved request to waive COD requirement for provisional permit.

PROVISIONAL PERMIT EXTENSIONS:

17. **ZUKLIE, GLENN J. - LIR.18365.P.CW** McCoy's Pub, Stratford, CT
Commission approved request to extend provisional permit.
18. **RODRIGUEZ, JOSE R. – LIR.18251.P.CW** Bella Pasta, Norwalk, CT
Commission approved request to extend provisional permit.
19. **ELLS, MATTHEW S. – LIR.18308.P.CW** Chipotle Mexican Grill, Milford, CT
Commission approved request to extend provisional permit.
20. **MARKU, PETRIT – LRW.4847.P** Buon Appetito, North Stonington, CT
Commission approved request to extend provisional permit.
21. **COLON, EDWARD – LIR.18248.P.CW** Kevin G's, Southington, CT
Commission approved request to extend provisional permit.

FINAL PERMITS:

22. **PAVI WINES LLC – LSL.1358** Oakville, CA
Commission approved to issue final permit.

23. **ROMAN, EDWARD A. JR. – LRC.265** Edgehill CCRC, Stamford, CT
Commission approves to issue final permit upon receipt of bill of sale, seller's affidavit, permit LRC.216 for cancellation, patio application to be submitted with approvals and sketch. Endorse patio and service bar only.
24. **PATEL, MANISHA S. – LGB.14681** Ezer Mart, Scotland, CT
Commission takes no action; file returned to agent for further investigation and additional photos of stocked retail sales area.
25. **PATEL, SURYAKANT – LIP.14857** American Spirits Wine & Liquor, Gales Ferry, CT
Commission approves to issue final permit upon receipt of bill of sale, seller's affidavit, copy of CT sales and use tax permit, publication notice, permit LIP.14201 for cancellation.
26. **BLANK, ALBERT C. – LCA.7304.P.CW** Waterville Bar & Grille, Waterbury, CT
Commission approves to issue final permit upon receipt of publication notice, 8x10 photos of updated barroom and trade name.
NOTE: permit to be issued AFTER 10/1/11.
27. **RODRIGUEZ, JOSE R. – LIR.18251.P.CW** Bella Pasta, Norwalk, CT
Commission approves to issue final permit upon receipt of current menu, staffing list, equipment list, backer signature and notary on application, 8x10 photos (entire interior, trade name sign, kitchen, lockable storage, restrooms). Endorse service bar only.
NOTE: permit must be issued by 10/19/11.
28. **KEEGAN, KEVIN – LGB.14667** Hoppie's on the Hill, Stamford, CT
Assigned to hearing; 30-20(b). 2011-982
29. **BRAMATO, GAETANO – LCA.7275.P.CW** Titanium Bar and Lounge, Middletown, CT
Commission approves to issue final permit upon receipt of publication notice. Endorse 1 ACB.
30. **WISNIEWSKI-ZYSKOWSKI, ANNA – LGB.14620** Taste of Poland, Stamford, CT
Commission approves to issue final permit upon receipt of 8x10 photos of lockable storage.

OTHER:

31. **METROWINE DISTRIBUTION – LIW.590** Stamford, CT
Commission approved application for transfer of interest.
32. **PATEL, YOGENDRA – LIP.14734** Co-op Package Store, Stafford Springs, CT
Commission approved application for transfer of interest and Nimesh Patel as substitute permittee.
33. **KISH, JULIA – LIR.18309** Blue Moon Ultra Lounge, Bridgeport, CT
Commission approved Mariam Q. Sibai as substitute permittee.
34. **KISH, JULIA – LCT.322** Blue Moon Ultra Lounge, Bridgeport, CT
Commission approved Mariam Q. Sibai as substitute permittee.
35. **LAUTENBACH, ELIZABETH – LIR.15261** Patio Da Rainha, Hartford, CT
Commission approved Maria Mendonca as substitute permittee.
36. **KAIN, JESSICA L. – LIT.1772** Valley Tavern, Sharon, CT
Commission approved request for patio for 9/25/11 (1 day only).
NOTE: under the condition to rope off the extended area of patio so to better control alcohol leaving the premises.

Adjourned at 9:37 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

John Suchy
Director of Liquor Control
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