

STATE OF CONNECTICUT
DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER PROTECTION
LIQUOR CONTROL DIVISION

MINUTES

MEETING PLACE: Commission Meeting Room – Room 124

MEETING DATE: July 16, 2015 – 8:30 a.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Angelo J. Faenza, Liquor Control Commissioner
Elisa Nahas, Legal Division Director and Commissioner's
Designee

STAFF PRESENT: Mary Ellen Gillon, Paralegal Specialist II
John Suchy, Director of Liquor Control
Caitlin Anderson, Staff Attorney

PUBLIC PRESENT: None

HEARINGS – Mary Ellen Gillon:

JALISCO IMPORTS-LSL.1572 and LIW.580 ACE DISTRIBUTING- LIW.580
Remove from hearings; Ace has relinquished the brands in question. 2015-630

**KINSELLA ESTATES- LSW.843 and DO VALLE D/B/A/ MURPHY DISTRIBUTORS-
LIW.627**
Commission grants Kinsella's request for continuance of termination hearing. 2015-710

TROVARELLI, KIM L. - LCA.6731 Sports Corner Café, Stratford
Commission notes transfer of interest request has been received and, after compliance meeting,
takes no further action on incidents of 11/8/13 and 1/3-24/15. 2015-201

RAO, HARIHARA- LIP.13840 Village Warehouse Liquor, North Branford
After compliance meeting, commission would accept an offer in compromise in lieu of hearing
of 28 days and \$6,250 for incident of 5/15/15. 2015-548

KAMDAR, VIREN- LGB.14464 Quick n Easy, New Britain
After compliance meeting, commission takes no further action on incident of 5/12/15. 2015-599

LAVALLEE, KEVIN M. - LIR.15070

Huskies, Storrs

After compliance meeting, for settlement purposes commission takes no further action on two counts of Sec. 30-86(b) and would accept an offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 6 days and \$1,500, of which 4 days and \$500 would be held in abeyance for 6 months, for incident of 3/27/15. 2014-1115

DAVIS, NAJDA D. - LGB.15034

Kensington Mart, Meriden

After compliance meeting, commission would accept an offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 3 days and \$750, of which 2 days and \$250 would be held in abeyance for 6 months, for incident of 5/30/15. 2015-643

LEE, DERRICK- LCA.7525

Center Street Social, Shelton

After compliance meeting, commission would accept an offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 3 days and \$750, of which 2 days and \$250 would be held in abeyance for 6 months, for incident of 4/2/15. 2015-491

PROVISIONAL PERMITS:

GIAPOUTZIS, THEODORE- LRW.5185

The Darien Diner, Darien

Commission approves the issuance of the provisional permit when in receipt of a stipulated agreement for provisional, 8X10 photo of the completed interior of the premises, and an 8X10 photo of the exterior of the premises taken from a position directly across the street or highway and which clearly shows the trade name sign. Commission approves the request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while the premises operates with a provisional permit.

EVANS, MICHAEL- LIP.15304

Cheers Ridgefield, Ridgefield

Commission approves the issuance of the provisional permit when in receipt of a stipulated agreement for provisional, cancelation of permit LIP-15007, bill of sale, seller's affidavit, executed copy of lease or right to occupy, and copy of CT sales and use tax permit. Commission approves request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while the premises operates with a provisional permit.

KHAN, WIQAR AHMAD- LGB.15104

Enfield Convenience Store, Enfield

Commission takes no action on the request for the provisional permit. File assigned to agent. The agent needs to address whether this premises is a bonafide grocery store.

BELLARD, MATTHEW A. - LIR.19224

Brew and Steak Kings, Wallingford

Commission approves the issuance of the provisional permit when in receipt of a stipulated agreement for provisional, abandonment affidavit, 8X10 photo of the exterior of the premises taken from a position directly across the street or highway and which clearly shows the trade name sign, and 8X10 photos of the completed and renovated interior of the premises. Commission approves request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while the premises operates with a provisional permit.

KAHL, CHARLES- LIR.19303

Kelly's Bar and Restaurant, New Haven

Commission approves the issuance of the provisional permit when in receipt of a stipulated agreement for provisional, cancelation of permit LCA-7168, bill of sale, seller's affidavit, executed copy of lease or right to occupy or executed copy of assignment of lease with landlord consent, and health department approval for outdoor patio. Commission approves the request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while the premises operates with a provisional permit. Endorse patio only when in receipt of health department approval.

LEVESQUE, SCOTT N. - LIP.15310

Quaker Hill Package Store, Quaker Hill

Commission approves the issuance of the provisional permit when in receipt of a stipulated agreement for provisional, cancelation of permit LIP-13062, bill of sale, seller's affidavit, executed copy of lease or right to occupy. Commission approves request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while the premises operates with a provisional permit.

SCARPATI, JOSEPH- LIR.19293

Positano, Westport

Commission approves the issuance of a provisional permit when in receipt of a stipulated agreement for provisional permit, \$500.00 fee for provisional, abandonment affidavit, and 8X10 photo of the exterior of the premises taken from a position directly across the street or highway and which clearly shows the trade name sign. Commission approves the request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while the premises operates with a provisional permit. Endorse patio.

GALULLO, DOUGLAS P. - LIP.15302

Southington Cork 'N Cap, Southington

Commission approves the issuance of the provisional permit when in receipt of a stipulated agreement for provisional, cancelation of permit LIP-14845, bill of sale, seller's affidavit, and copy of CT sales and use tax permit. Commission approves request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while the premises operates with a provisional permit.

CAPONIGRO, PAUL- LIP.15307

Hayden Station Liquors, Windsor

Commission takes no action on the request for the issuance of a provisional permit. File assigned to agent and look into ownership concern.

TALARSKI, JARED J. - LCA.7743

Francesca's, Collinsville

Commission takes no action on the request for the issuance of a provisional permit. File assigned to agent to investigate what appear to be discrepancies in "ownership" as evidenced by review of submitted document.

MANERE, ROBERT F. - LIR.19295

Georgetown Saloon, Redding

Commission approves the issuance of a provisional permit when in receipt of a stipulated agreement for provisional, \$500.00 fee, 8X10 photos of the completed interior of the premises, and 8X10 photo of the exterior of the premises taken from a position directly across the street or highway and which clearly shows the trade name sign. Commission approves request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while the premises operates with a provisional permit.

PATEL, KIRANKUMAR V. - LIP.15306 New Hall Package Store, New Haven
Commission approves the issuance of the provisional permit when in receipt of a stipulated agreement for provisional permit, \$500.00 fee, cancelation of permit LIP-14124, bill of sale, and seller's affidavit. Commission approves request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while the premises operates with a provisional permit.

PROVISIONAL PERMIT EXTENSIONS:

THOMPSON, OLYMPIA M. - LIP.15226.P-CW Parklane Package Store, East Hartford
Commission approves the request to extend the provisional permit.

FINAL PERMITS:

TRUCHARD, JOHN A. - LSW.1005 Jam Cellars, Napa, California
Commission approves the issuance of the final permit.

TRUCHARD, JOHN A. - LSW.1006 John Anthony Vineyards, Napa, California
Commission approves the issuance of the final permit.

SUBSTITUTE PERMITTEES:

VIEHLAND, JOEL A. - LIR.19012 Community Table Restaurant, New Preston
Commission approves Jeffrey R. Phillips as substitute permittee.

RICHARDSON, DAVID L. - LIC.1975 Pequabuck Polish Social Club, Plymouth (Terryville)
Commission approves James I. Walker as substitute permittee.

HOWLEY, TIMOTHY S. - LFR.47 Shea's American Bar and Grill, Farmington
Commission approves Mark Robert Resnisky as substitute permittee.

ROSCELLO JR., ANTHONY- LIC.1973 Torrington Lodge of Elks #372, Torrington
Commission approves Linda Marks Scappini as substitute permittee.

RAMIREZ, SANDY- LGB.15084 (PENDING) Congressman Market, Hartford
Commission approves Carmen M. Colon as substitute permittee on this pending application.

OTHER:

CIRIKOVIC, SKENDER- LIR.19283.P-CW Cugino's, Hartford
Commission approves the request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while the premises operates with a provisional permit.

LARUE, TEENA MARIA- LIC.1849 Sprague Rod & Gun Club, Baltic
Commission approves the guest book waiver request for August 25, 2015.

MAHONEY, MATTHEW- LGB.14344

Trader Joe's, Darien

Commission is advised that effective June 29, 2015, Patricia King had resigned from all offices with Trader Joe's East, Inc. and that Colin Fields was appointed to the position of Vice President, Secretary and Clerk.

CHON, ANNIE H. - LGB.14339

Trader Joe's, Orange

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RANKEN, CHARLES J. - LGB.14340

Trader Joe's, Danbury

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PATTERSON, O'NEIL- LGB.14343

Trader Joe's Westport

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PIRRO, AMY- LGB.14903

Trader Joe's, Stamford

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THILL, MICHAEL A. - LGB.14342

Trader Joe's, West Hartford

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SNYDER, SCOTT MICHAEL- LGB.14341

Trader Joe's, Fairfield

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Adjourned at 9:20 a.m.

Respectfully Submitted,


John Suchy
Director of Liquor Control