

**STATE OF CONNECTICUT**  
**DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER PROTECTION**  
**LIQUOR CONTROL DIVISION**  
**MINUTES**

MEETING PLACE: Commission Meeting Room – Room 124

MEETING DATE: September 24, 2015 – 8:30 a.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT: David A. Scribner, Liquor Control Commissioner

STAFF PRESENT: Elisa Nahas, Designated Signatory  
Robert Willard, Supervising Liquor Control Agent  
Caitlin Anderson, Staff Attorney  
Mary Ellen Gillon, Paralegal Specialist  
Richard Mindek, License and Applications Analyst

PUBLIC PRESENT: None

HEARINGS – Mary Ellen Gillon:

1. **MCDONALD, RYAN - LIR.17497** Ted's Restaurant, Storrs  
After compliance meeting, the Commission takes no further action on 2 counts of Sec. 30-86(b) and accepts an offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 3 days and \$750, of which 2 days and \$250 will be held in abeyance for 6 months, for incident of 3/27/15. 2014-1116
2. **LACONTE, JR., LAWRENCE J. - LIR.18741** Windmill Restaurant, Stratford  
After compliance meeting, the Commission accepts an offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 3 days and \$750, of which 2 days and \$250 will be held in abeyance for 6 months, for incident of 6/25/15. 2015-801
3. **AIUDI, EVO - LIC.1957** Italian American Club, West Haven  
After compliance meeting, hold file until 11/10/15. 2015-733

PROVISIONAL PERMITS:

4. **OCHOA, FRANCISCO P. – LIR.19343** El Mexicano Restaurant, Norwalk  
The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional liquor permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement for provisional, \$500.00 fee, cancel permit # LIR.14415, bill of sale, seller's affidavit, executed copy of lease or right to occupy, and copy of CT sales and use tax permit. The Commission approves the request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while operating with provisional permit.
5. **BHOJWANI, ASHOK I. – LIH.1870** Clarion Inn, New London  
The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional liquor permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement for provisional, \$500.00 fee, bill of sale, and seller's affidavit. The Commission approves the request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while operating with provisional permit.
6. **TILLEY, SAMANTHA – LIR.19292** Mokingbird Kitchen and Bar, Bantam  
The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional liquor permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement for provisional, \$500.00 fee, and abandonment affidavit. The Commission approves the request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while operating with provisional permit.
7. **BRITO, ALFERDO M. – LGB.15127** Alex Groceries LLC, Hartford  
The Commission takes no action on the request for provisional. File assigned to agent to obtain new breakdown of sales:
8. **BACCO, MATTHEW T. – LCA.7766** The Blind Rhino, Norwalk  
The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional liquor permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement for provisional, \$500.00 fee, cancel permit # LIR.18355, bill of sale, seller's affidavit, and copy of CT sales and use tax permit. The Commission approves the request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while operating with provisional permit.
9. **KRISAVAGE, THERESA M. – LWG.23** TK & Brown's Flowers, Rocky Hill  
The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional liquor permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement for provisional, \$500.00 fee, and 8x10 photo of the exterior of the proposed premises, to be taken from a position directly across the street or highway. The Commission approves the request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while operating with provisional permit.
10. **SHANMUGASUNDARAM, SIVAKUMAR – LIT.1849** Apple Cinemas, Barkhamsted  
The Commission takes no action on the request for provisional. File assigned to agent to conduct field investigation.

11. **GOMBOS, CHRISTIAN – LIR.19330** Greenhouse Café, Burlington  
The Commission takes no action on the request for provisional. File assigned to agent for investigation.
12. **DONZELLI, RENATO – LCA.7765** Basso Café, Norwalk  
The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional liquor permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement for provisional, \$500.00 fee, and abandonment affidavit. The Commission approves the request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while operating with provisional permit. The Commission approves to endorse waiver of separate toilet facilities.
13. **MORA, ANTHONY – LIR.19327** Coco's Restaurant and Lounge, Meriden  
The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional liquor permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement for provisional and abandonment affidavit re-executed with correct backer. The Commission approves the request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while operating with provisional permit.

PROVISIONAL PERMIT EXTENSIONS:

14. **COFFEY, MICHAEL W. – LCA.7701** Tavern New Haven, New Haven  
The Commission approves the request to extend the provisional liquor permit.
15. **CAVALIERE, JOHN R. – LIT.1845** Lyric Hall Theater, New Haven  
The Commission approves the request to extend the provisional liquor permit.

FINAL PERMITS:

16. **CHEN, TIAN RU – LRW.5190** Housaku Asian Fusion, Brookfield  
The Commission approves the issuance of the final liquor permit. Endorse service bar only.
17. **KEANE, THOMAS N- LCT.472** The Mobile Pub, Watertown  
The Commission approves the issuance of the final liquor permit.
18. **TALARSKI, JARED J. – LCA.7743** Francesca's, Collinsville  
The Commission approves the issuance of the final liquor permit upon receipt of publication notice. Endorse patio.
19. **CAVALIERE, JOHN R. – LIT.1845** Lyric Hall Theater, New Haven  
The Commission approves the issuance of the final liquor permit. Endorse service bar only.
20. **CRANE, SCOTT A. – LRW.5184** Smashburger #1507, Milford  
The Commission approves the issuance of the final liquor permit. Endorse no bar.

21. **WILSON, PATRICK – LIR.19230** Texas Roadhouse, New London  
The Commission approves the issuance of the final liquor permit upon receipt of executed copy of the lease or right to occupy, 8x10 photo of the permittee name sign above door, labeled permittee not General Partner, 8x10 photo of the trade name sign showing premise in shopping center, 8x10 photos of the completed and furnished interior to include kitchen, dining area, bar area and lockable storage area, completed publication notice, and final Fire Marshal approval.
22. **JOHNSON, MATTHEW T. LCT.468** Matthew's Catering Co LLC, Central Village  
The Commission approves the issuance of the final liquor permit.
23. **SARKISYAN, SMBAT – LRW.5173** Sam's Gyro, West Hartford  
The Commission approves the issuance of the final liquor permit. Endorse no-bar and patio.
24. **DALY, THOMAS D. – LIP.15312** Costco Wholesale #1196, New Britain  
The Commission approves the issuance of the final liquor permit upon receipt of cancel permit # LIP.14792, bill of sale, seller's affidavit, 8x10 photo of the exterior of the proposed premises, to be taken from a position directly across the street or highway, and 8x10 photos of the completed interior to include shelving and cash registers.
25. **GAUCHAN, DIPAK – LIR.19198** Curry Leaves, Milford  
The Commission approves the issuance of the final liquor permit upon receipt of 8x10 photo of the exterior of the proposed premises, to be taken from a position directly across the street or highway with new trade name, and final publication notice. Endorse service bar only.
26. **CHAPA, JOSE R SARI – LW.5182** Torimina Restaurant, Danbury  
The Commission approves the issuance of the final liquor permit upon receipt of final publication notice and 8x10 photo of lockable storage (lockable cabinets in store room). Endorse service bar only.
27. **MARK, KEVIN B. – LMP.17** No Worries Brewing Company LLC, Hamden  
The Commission approves the issuance of the final liquor permit upon receipt of final publication notice and 8x10 photos of the entire interior to include barroom, bar, restrooms, manufacturing area, and upper level storage.
28. **PASTUIZACA, VICTOR CALI – LIR.19315** Cielo, Wilton  
The Commission approves the issuance of the final liquor permit upon receipt of final publication notice. Endorse service bar only and patio.

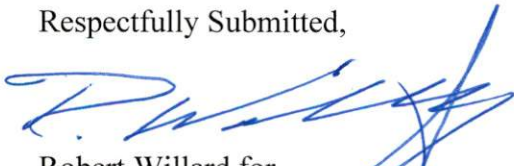
29. **FIBIGER, RYAN R. – LRW.5193** Craft Kitchens, Westport  
The Commission approves the issuance of the final liquor permit upon receipt of final publication notice and 8x10 photo of sign for patrons to read “No Drinks Allowed” beyond entrance into other business. Endorse service bar only, patio and interior access.

OTHER:

30. **BONAVITA, CARMELA – LIP.14792** Good Life Liquors, New Britain  
The Commission approves the request for removal of the liquor permit from 450 S Main St., New Britain to 405 Hartford Rd, New Britain upon receipt of 8x10 photo of the exterior of the proposed premises, to be taken from a position directly across the street or highway and 8x10 photos of the completed interior to include shelving and registers.
31. **LAZLO, GEOFFREY R. – LIR.19204** Mill Street Table & Bar, Greenwich  
The Commission approves the request to endorse patio.
32. **CZYZ, JEREMIAH D. – LIR.19208** The Edison Grill, Harwinton  
The Commission approves the request to endorse patio.
33. **SRIVASTAV, ASHOK – LIR.18869** Bollywood Grill, Glastonbury  
The Commission approves the request to endorse extension of use upon receipt of 8x10 photos of expansion.
34. **PIERCE, C.DENNIS – LIU.33** University of Connecticut, Storrs  
The Commission is notified and approves of the use of permit # LIU.33 on September 24, 2015 from 4:00pm – 6:00pm in the School of Business Board Room-321.
35. **FARONE, DENNIS C. – LPC-164** Westbrook Elks #1784 BPOE, Westbrook  
The Commission approves the request to waive the guestbook requirement for October 3, 2015.

Adjourned at 9:10 a.m.

Respectfully Submitted,



Robert Willard for  
John Suchy  
Director of Liquor Control  
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