

DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER PROTECTION

LIQUOR CONTROL DIVISION

MINUTES

MEETING PLACE: Commission Meeting Room - Room 124

MEETING DATE: August 4, 2009 – 8:30 a.m.

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

STAFF PRESENT: Kevin Mercado, Liquor Control Supervising Agent  
Mary Ellen Gillon, Paralegal Specialist 2  
(8:30 a.m. – 8:42 a.m.)  
Douglas Deveny, Secretary

HEARINGS - Mary Ellen Gillon:

1. **MERCURY BREWING AND DIST. CO. - LSB .684** Ipswich, MA  
Commission accepts offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of \$500 for incidents of 10/6/06, 2/7/07, 5/7/07, 7/9/07, 8/14/07. 2009-1099
2. **BERNARD, NATIVIDAD DE JESUS - LGB.13939** Papayo Grocery, Hartford, CT  
Remove from hearings; permit canceled. Incident of 1/2/09. 2008-12555
3. **PATEL, MINAL – LIP.14010** Wine Barrel, Branford, CT  
Commission accepts offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 1 day and \$3,050. 2008-12491
4. **CUOMO, FRANK - LCA.5559** Café Elm, West Haven, CT  
Commission rejects offer of \$700 for incidents of 11/4/08 and 11/24/08. 2008-12621
5. **PATEL, MAMTA M. - LIP.13458** Franco's Wine & Liquors, Madison, CT  
After compliance meeting, commission rejects offer of 1 day and \$1,500 for incident of 1/12/08. 2008-594
6. **LEROSE, KELLEY - LIR.16711** Bobby Q's, Westport, CT  
After compliance meeting, commission rejects offer of 1 day and \$3,000 for incident of June 16-17, 2007. 2007-5749

PROVISIONAL PERMITS:

7. **NEWKIRK, LAURIE – LIP.14599** East Canaan Package Store, East Canaan, CT  
Commission approves to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee, cancel old permit LIP.13826, bill of sale, seller's affidavit, proof right of occupancy for backer LLC. Commission approved request to waive COD requirement for provisional permit.
8. **SPAIN, DARREN – LCA.7113** VIP Nightclub & Lounge, Waterbury, CT  
Commission approves to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee, return of satisfactory CSBI check.

PROVISIONAL PERMIT EXTENSIONS:

9. **WONG, LUIS E. – LGB.14368.P** Junco 8 Supermarket, Bridgeport, CT  
Commission approved to extend provisional permit.
10. **COWEN, RICHARD J. JR. – LIR.17891.P** Hooked on the Wharf, Norwich, CT  
Commission approved to extend provisional permit.
11. **RIVERA, SAMUEL – LGB.14397.P.CW** E&S Market, Bridgeport, CT  
Commission approved to extend provisional permit.
12. **PEDICINI, MICHAEL C. JR. – LIR.17876.P.CW** Redding Ridge Bistro 52, Redding Ridge, CT  
Commission approved to extend provisional permit.
13. **KATTA, DINAKAR – LGB.14309.P** Elite Mini Market & Deli, Norwalk, CT  
Commission approved to extend provisional permit.

FINAL PERMITS:

14. **DIAGEO CHATEAU & ESTATE WINES COMPANY – LSW.500** Rosenblum Cellars, Alameda, CA  
Commission approved to issue final permit.
15. **MAZON, GIOVANNA I. – LCA.7101.P.CW** Barra's Café, East Haven, CT  
Commission approves to issue final permit upon receipt of publication notice and AFTER remonstrance date 8/27/2009.
16. **KATTA, DINAKAR – LGB.14309.P** Elite Mini Market & Deli, Norwalk, CT  
Commission approved to issue final permit upon receipt of photos (8x10) of exterior – taken from across the street.

17. **KELLY, SUSAN E. – LCA.7089.P** Kelly's on Campbell, West Haven, CT  
Commission approves to issue final permit upon receipt of sketch with dimensions, photos (8x10) of entire interior and lockable storage and one front exterior, equipment list, proof of sales tax permit.
18. **LEWIS, CHRISTOPHER – LCA.7080.P.CW** Banner Country Club, Moodus, CT  
Commission approves to issue final permit upon receipt of photos (8x10) of lockable cabinet behind the bar. Endorse patio (which is deck and entire golf course) and interior access (which is to the golf pro shop located in the left front portion of the same building as the café).

OTHER:

19. **COTTRELL BREWING CO – LMB.1503** Pawcatuck, CT  
Commission approved request due to hardship and special circumstances.
20. **LIU, YAN JIANG – LRW.4661** Miyabi, Woodbridge, CT  
Assign to hearing; 30-6-A1.
21. **ZOHDY, MOHAMED – LIR.17872** Zody's 19<sup>th</sup> Hole, Stamford, CT  
Commission approved request to amend application from a restaurant to a café type permit (LIR to LCA).
22. **HARTLEY & PARKER LTD – LCL.514 & LCL.512** Stratford, CT  
Commission approved request of correction due to typographical error.

Adjourned at 9:08 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Kevin Mercado  
Liquor Control Supervising Agent  
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