

DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER PROTECTION

LIQUOR CONTROL DIVISION

MINUTES

MEETING PLACE: Commission Meeting Room - Room 124

MEETING DATE: October 6, 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. **KERANOVIC, TEHVID - LIR.17780** Europe Restaurant, Hartford, CT
Remove from hearings, permit lapsed. 2011-378
2. **PATEL, HITESHKUMAR - LGB.14222** Brooklyn Market, Brooklyn, CT
Commission grants respondent's request for continuance of compliance meeting. 2011-728
3. **TAJ-JARTTIAN, ANNA - LGB.14647** Family Market, Bridgeport, CT
Commission grants respondents' request for continuance of formal hearing. 2011-944
4. **GLICKBERG, HOWARD - LIP.14673** Fairway Stamford, Stamford, CT
Commission accepts offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of \$375 for incident of 5/20/11. 2011-459
5. **VACHHANI, RENU - LIP.14206** Royal Spirits, New Britain, CT
Commission rejects offer of 1 day and \$2,000 for incident of 5/26/11.
Commission would accept 3 days and \$2,000, of which 1 day would be held in abeyance for 6 months. 2011-232

6. **WEBBER, SCOTT E. - LIP.14194** Webb's Package Store, Ellington, CT
After compliance meeting, commission accepts offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 5 days and \$1,500, of which 2 days and \$500 would be held in abeyance for 6 months, for incident of 11/21/09. 2009-6231
7. **MASSEY, PATRICIA - LIR.15573** Knapps Landing Restaurant, Stratford, CT
After compliance meeting, commission accepts offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 3 days and \$750, of which 1 day and \$250 would be held in abeyance for 6 months, for incident of 11/27/10. 2010-1527
8. **PINTO, JOAN - LCA.5005** Jeremiah Duffy Tavern, Naugatuck, CT
After compliance meeting, commission would accept offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of \$250 for incident of 4/28/11. 2011-416
9. **CRUZ, ADALBERTO JR. - LCA.7091** Greek Café, Hartford, CT
Commission grants Attorney Brick's request for continued compliance meeting. 2011-299
10. **WINN, SCOTT - LCA.6820** Joe Bomber's, Burville, CT
After compliance meeting, commission would accept offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 3 days and \$1,000 for incident of 12/12/10. 2011-77

PROVISIONAL PERMITS:

11. **BRADSHAW, JUDITH I. – LIR.18444** JD T's Brickhouse LLC, Thomaston, CT
Commission approves to issue provisional permit when in receipt of stipulated agreement, bill of sale. Endorse service bar only. Commission approved request to waive COD requirement for provisional permit.
12. **CURILLO, ANGEL F. – LIR.18445** Plain Jane's Restaurant, Bethel, CT
Commission approves to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee, cancel permit LIR.14027, bill of sale, seller's affidavit. Commission approved request to waive COD requirement for provisional permit.
13. **RIETZE, MARC A. – LIR.18442** The Lime Bar, Avon, CT
Commission approves to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, 8x10 photos of exterior and furnished interior. Endorse patio. Commission approved request to waive COD requirement for provisional permit.

14. AGOR, LLOYD W. – LCA.7339

Berkshire Café and Pizza House, Torrington, CT

Commission approves to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee, cancel LCA.5875, bill of sale, seller's affidavit, copy of sales tax permit listing correct backer as Berkshire Café and Pizza House LLC. Commission approved request to waive COD requirement for provisional permit.

15. ANASTASIADIS, THEOFILOS – LIR.18446

Pie's & Pints, Middlebury, CT

Commission approves to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee, cancel LIR.16001, bill of sale, seller's affidavit.

16. D'MELLO, FRANCIS – LIP.14896

That's the Spirit Shoppe, Essex, CT

Commission approves to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, cancel LIP.14501, bill of sale, seller's affidavit, copy of CT sales and use tax permit, executed copy of assignment/acceptance/consent of lease to Melilli Wine & Spirits LLC or other proof showing right to occupy for proposed backer LLC. Commission approved request to waive COD requirement for provisional permit.

17. MANGI, JOSEPH – LCA.7336

Tre, Ridgefield, CT

Commission approves to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee. Commission approved request to waive COD requirement for provisional permit.

18. CARROLL, JENNIFER B. – LIR.18439

Lepris Burger Bar, Ellington, CT

Commission approves to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee. Commission approved request to waive COD requirement for provisional permit.

19. PATEL, PRANAY – LIP.14898

Virzi Package Store, Ansonia, CT

Commission approves to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee, cancel LIP.13148, bill of sale, seller's affidavit, lease for 113 North State Street in Ansonia for Santram LLC, copy of CT sales and use tax permit for 113 North State Street in Ansonia. Commission approved request to waive COD requirement for provisional permit.

20. EMMETT, KATHRYN – LPA.22

Franklin Street Works, Stamford, CT

Commission approves to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement. Commission approved request to waive COD requirement for provisional permit.

21. CHIANG, CHING – LRW.4860

Blue Ginger, Stamford, CT

Commission approves to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement. Commission approved request to waive COD requirement for provisional permit.

22. **VUCETOVIC, AMET – LCA.7727** My Place Bar & Lounge, Norwalk, CT
Commission approves to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee, 8x10 photos of exterior trade name sign. Commission approved request to waive COD requirement for provisional permit.
23. **RICHARDS, BRIAN J. – LCA.7335** Russian Lady, Hartford, CT
Commission approves to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee, 8x10 photos of completed interior (to include all barrooms, restrooms, lockable storage area), sign-off on security plan dated 10/5/11. Endorse permanent patio. Endorse 4 ACBs. Commission approved request to waive COD requirement for provisional permit.
24. **SALDANHA, KIANA – LIP.14871** Wine Merchants, Hamden, CT
Commission approved request to waive COD requirement for provisional permit.

PROVISIONAL PERMIT EXTENSIONS:

25. **MANTER, ROGER – LIR.18379.P.CW** The Mad Hatter, Danbury, CT
Commission approved request to extend provisional permit.
26. **PHONGSA, SAENGATHITH – LIR.18378.P.CW**
Athens Pizza Restaurant, Putnam, CT
Commission approved request to extend provisional permit.
27. **CANTO, JOSE M. – LIP.14860.P.CW** Lakeside Liquors, Middlefield, CT
Commission approved request to extend provisional permit.
28. **DELANEY, THERESA R. – LIP.14855.P.CW** Classic Liquors, New Milford, CT
Commission approved request to extend provisional permit.

FINAL PERMITS:

29. **CELLARS INTERNATIONAL INC – LSL.1364** Redwood Valley, CA
Commission approved to issue final permit.
30. **URBAN, RICHARD – LCA.7297** Pleasant Moments, Bridgeport, CT
Commission approves to issue final permit upon receipt of \$5,000.00 to resolve charges filed under case 2010-810, permit LCA.6939 for cancellation, notarized abandonment affidavit.

31. **GARCIA, TOMAS R. – LGB.14646** Garcia Mini Market, Bridgeport, CT
Commission approves to issue final permit when in receipt of copy of assignment of lease to LLC and consent from landlord or other proof of right to occupy for the LLC.
32. **CACERES, SANTOS R. – LCA.7246.P.CW** Elite Night Club, Stamford, CT
Commission approves to issue final permit upon receipt of equipment list, new sketch with dimensions showing renovations to interior, 8x10 photos of completed interior (including 3 barrooms, kitchen, lockable storage, vestibule, restrooms, exterior trade name sign), CT sales and use tax permit, agent's report on backer's financial statement. Endorse 2 ACBs.
NOTE: permit must be issued by 10/28/11.
33. **KANDEL, PRAMOD – LGB.14330** Mill Variety & Video, Shelton, CT
Commission approves request to remove on stipulation due to termination of lease – subject to agent's investigation and report. Premises moving from 549 Howe Ave in Shelton to 524 Howe Ave in Shelton.

OTHER:

34. **LIN, TIAN GIUI – LRW.4849** Di A Sushi & Mongolian Grill, Trumbull, CT
Commission approves request to amend application to reflect the backer as Tian Gui Lin.
NEED: re-placard.
35. **GAKOPOULOS, COSMOS – LRW.4752** East Lyme Pizza, East Lyme, CT
Commission approved application for transfer of interest.
36. **SELZER, NANCY A. – LCA.7300.P.CW** Tarry Lodge Enoteca & Pizzeria, Westport, CT
Commission endorsed permit with permanent patio approval.

Adjourned at 9:11 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

John Suchy
Director of Liquor Control
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