

DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER PROTECTION

LIQUOR CONTROL DIVISION

MINUTES

MEETING PLACE: Commission Meeting Room - Room 124

MEETING DATE: December 15, 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  
Mary Ellen Gillon, Paralegal Specialist II  
Douglas Deveny, Secretary

HEARINGS – Mary Ellen Gillon:

1. **DELISEO, ROBERT - LIR.16262** Uncle D's Log Cabin, Lebanon, CT  
Remove from hearings; fire marshal form received.
2. **PHINNEY, JOANNE M. - LIC.2194** VFW Post 1946, Naugatuck, CT  
Remove from hearings; fire marshal form received. 2011-1188
3. **LAI, BUN S. - LRW.3601** Miya Japanese Restaurant, New Haven, CT  
Remove from hearings; fire marshal form received. 2011-1205
4. **MCEWEN, COLIN - LCA.5810** Lyme Tavern Café, Niantic, CT  
Remove from hearings; fire marshal form received. 2011-1352
5. **PHANEUF, MARC F. JR. - LIR.17690** Hooters, Wethersfield, CT  
Remove from hearings; fire marshal form received. 2011-1263
6. **CAVALLI, MICHELA - LIR.16733** Ponte Vecchio, Fairfield, CT  
Remove from hearings; fire marshal form received. 2011-1356
7. **BARTOLOMEO, ROBERT F. - LCA.6822** Gotham, New Haven, CT  
Remove from hearings; obligation to DOL resolved. 2011-1153

8. **KOMAL, MANOHAN - LIP.14775** M's Liquor, Wallingford, CT  
After compliance meeting, commission accepts offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 1 day and \$500 for incidents of 4/8/11 to 5/13/11 and 5/27/11 to 5/31/11. 2011-578
9. **NEWTON, CARL - LIR.14193** Fireside Restaurant, New Haven, CT  
After compliance meeting, commission accepts 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 6/18/10. 2010-28
10. **LAVALLEE, KEVIN M. - LIR.15070** Huskies, Storrs, CT  
Commission rejects offer of 2 days and \$2,000 for incident of 9/29/11. 2011-1015
11. **WELBORN, TAIESHA - LIP.14281** Farmington Package Store, Hartford, CT  
Commission notes correct backer is Farmington Package LLC. 2011-437
12. **STAVOLA, ANGELO J. - LIR.16469** Johnny's Restaurant, Stratford, CT  
Hold file; location closed; permit expires 1/1/12. 2010-1528

PROVISIONAL PERMITS:

13. **SIT, PAK – LIP.14925** 915 Summer LLC, New London, CT  
Commission approves to issue provisional permit when in receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee, cancel permit LIP.12546, bill of sale, seller's affidavit, successful return and review of CSBI. Commission approved request to waive COD requirement for provisional permit.
14. **ZAPATA, RAMON F. – LIR.18473** El Rancho Fish & Chips, Norwalk, CT  
Commission approves to issue provisional permit when in receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee, staff list, equipment list, successful return and review of CSBI. Commission approved request to waive COD requirement for provisional permit.
15. **MAHER, CHRISTOPHER J. – LIR.18481** Canton Indoor Golf Center, Canton, CT  
Commission approves to issue provisional permit when in receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee, staff and equipment lists, updated financial affidavit to show the amount paid for monthly rent-lease, 8x10 photos of completed interior (kitchen, barroom, dining room, restrooms, lockable storage, proof of effective separation), 8x10 photo of trade name sign, revised sketch showing effective separation from bar/dining room. Commission approved request to waive COD requirement for provisional permit.

16. **MINER, LOUISA A. – LIR.18484** Abby's Place, Essex, CT  
Commission approves to issue provisional permit when in receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee, executed copy of lease signed by Abby Miner, completed patio application with town authority signatures and approved by DCP before use with alcoholic beverages, successful return and review of CSBI.
17. **REGNI, MARK – LGB.14695.P.CW** Elm City Market, New Haven, CT  
Commission approved request to waive COD requirement for provisional permit.

PROVISIONAL PERMIT EXTENSIONS:

18. **PATEL, ELESH - LIP.14879.P.CW** S & S Wine and Liquor Warehouse, Stratford, CT  
Commission approves the extension of provisional until January 13, 2012. Requirements for the final permit are still outstanding.
19. **ALMUNAJED, JAMAL – LGB.14671.P.CW** Jamal Market, Bridgeport, CT  
Commission approved request to extend provisional permit.
20. **SELZER, NANCY A. – LCA.7300.P.CW** Tarry Lodge Enoteca & Pizzeria, Westport, CT  
Commission approved request to extend provisional permit.

FINAL PERMITS:

21. **SIBARIUM, MICHAEL M. – LCA.7306.P.CW** NYX Nightclub, New Haven, CT  
Commission approved to issue final permit. Endorse 2 ACBs.  
NOTE: pending case in legal division 2011-1111.
22. **GONG, LIANG WU – LIR.18430.P.CW** Ming Palace Restaurant, Newington, CT  
Commission approved to issue final permit. Endorse service bar only.

OTHER:

23. **WINEBOW - LIW.548** Wallingford, CT  
Commission reviewed and approved the proposed transfer of interest as presented in application for transfer of interest, the agent's report, and post-closing Winebow structure. Waiver of membership of Brazos Equity Fund III, LP ("Brazos") approved at this time.

24. **BAUTISTA, YAJAIRA M. – LIR.18174** Fogo Bar & Grill, Old Saybrook, CT  
Commission approves application for transfer of interest.

Adjourned at 9:01 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

John Suchy  
Director of Liquor Control  
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