

STATE OF CONNECTICUT
DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER PROTECTION
LIQUOR CONTROL DIVISION

MINUTES

MEETING PLACE: Commission Meeting Room – Room 124

MEETING DATE: April 3, 2014 – 8:30 a.m.

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

STAFF PRESENT: Elisa Nahas, Legal Director
Mary Ellen Gillon, Paralegal Specialist II
Robert Willard, Supervising Liquor Agent
Richard Mindek, License and Applications Analyst
Robin Washbond, Administrative Assistant

PUBLIC PRESENT: None

HEARINGS – Mary Ellen Gillon:

1. **HERRERA, ELMER E – LCA.7205** Symmetry, Hartford, CT
After compliance meeting, Commission takes no further action on incident of 12/30/13. 2014-25
2. **FORD, KEVIN J – LCA.5243** Empire, New Haven, CT
After compliance meeting, Commission would accept an offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 1 day and \$500.00 for incident of 9/21/13. 2012-292
3. **MEHTA, DAYALAL V – LIP.14656** Cork and Barrel, Hamden, CT
After compliance meeting, Commission would accept an offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of a 3-day suspension to be held in abeyance for 2 years and \$1,525.00 for incident of August 2010-December 2011. 2012-1467
4. **LLOYD, NICHOLAS M – LCA.6810** The Bar at Firehouse 12, New Haven, CT
After compliance meeting, Commission would accept an offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of \$100.00 for incident of 12/21/13. 2011-1478

PROVISIONAL PERMITS:

5. **RIVERA, DANNY – LCA.7611** Room Bar & Lounge, Hartford, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement for provisional, \$500 fee, cancel permit #LCA7288, bill of sale, seller's affidavit, executed copy of lease or right to occupy, copy of CT sales and use tax permit, and 8x10 photo of exterior trade name sign. The Commission approves request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while operating with provisional permit.
6. **PELLEGRINO, NANCY AM – LCA.7612** Mr. Bentley's, Meriden, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement for provisional, \$500.00 fee, cancel permit #LCA 7419, copy of CT sales and use tax permit. The Commission approves request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while operating with provisional permit.
7. **MONTELLO, STEVEN M – LCA.7606** Bistro B, Westport, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement for provisional, \$500.00 fee, still owes \$100.00 for new filing fee, cancel permit #LIH 1743, OK to transfer and apply \$2,350.00 in fees from LIH.1832 to LCA.7606. The Commission approves request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while operating with provisional permit. Endorse interior access.
8. **STRAUB, MELISSA – LCA.7607** World of Beer, Stamford, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement for provisional, \$500.00 fee, abandonment affidavit, executed copy of lease or right to occupy, 8x10 photo of exterior trade name sign, 8x10 photos of completed and furnished interior. The Commission approves request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while operating with provisional permit. Endorse patio.
9. **EVERLITH, GLENN ALLEN JR – LCA.7609** Hards Corner Café, Stratford, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement for provisional, cancel permit #LCA 6748, bill of sale, seller's affidavit and copy of CT sales and use tax permit. The Commission approves request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while operating with provisional permit.
10. **HOLMES-HANNON, LINDA – LIH.1833-C** Homewood Suites by Hilton Stratford, Stratford, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement for provisional, \$500.00 fee, cancel permit #LIH.1758-C, bill of sale, seller's affidavit, copy of CT sales and use tax permit updated to reflect the premises address 'use at this location only'. The Commission approves request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while operating with provisional permit.

11. **ALAS, MARIO A - LGB.14954** A & L Mini Market, Bridgeport, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement for provisional, \$500.00 fee and abandonment affidavit. The Commission approves request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while operating with provisional permit.
12. **KWORT, NEAL THEODORE – LIR.18999** Mike’s Blue Collar Bar, Wallingford, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement for provisional, abandonment affidavit and 8x10 photo of exterior trade name sign. The Commission approves request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while operating with provisional permit. Endorse one (1) additional consumer bar.
13. **LIU, MIN MIN – LIR.19004** Red Bean, Norwalk, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement for provisional, \$500.00 fee; cancel permit #LIR.17991, bill of sale, and seller’s affidavit. Endorse service bar only.
14. **RAGAINI, RAYMOND – LIR.19008** Steakz Road House Tavern and Grill, Waterbury, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement for provisional, 8x10 photo of exterior trade name sign and 8x10 photos of completed and renovated interior. Endorse patio upon receipt of completed application. The Commission approves request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while operating with provisional permit.
15. **SEEMAN, HENRY D.M.D – LIR.19005** SNDTRP, Ridgefield, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement for provisional, copy of CT sales and use tax permit, 8x10 photo of exterior trade name sign and 8x10 photos of completed and renovated interior. The Commission approves request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while operating with provisional permit. Endorse service bar only and patio.
16. **BRAMBILA, DAVID – LIR.19003** Mexicali Fresh Mex Grill, Pawcatuck, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement for provisional, 8x10 photo of exterior trade name sign and 8x10 photos of completed and renovated interior. The Commission approves request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while operating with provisional permit.
17. **HERTLEIN, ROBERT A – LIR.18984.P-CW** Jimmy Buffet’s Margaritaville, Uncasville, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement for provisional, cancel permit #LIR.17745, bill of sale and seller’s affidavit. The Commission approves request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while operating with provisional permit. Endorse interior access.

18. **DAUM, WILLIAM HOWARD IV – LIP.15157** The Wine House, Simsbury, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement for provisional, \$500.00 fee, cancel permit #LIP.12556, bill of sale, seller's affidavit, 8x10 photo of exterior trade name sign 'The Wine Shop' and 8x10 photos of interior (cash register, coolers, shelving). The Commission approves request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while operating with provisional permit.
19. **ROSARIO, LEONARDO – LGB.14956** My Food Market, Hartford, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement for provisional, \$500.00 fee, cancel permit #LGB13722, bill of sale, seller's affidavit and copy of CT sales and use tax permit. The Commission approves request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while operating with provisional permit.
20. **PENA, KARINA A – LGB.14955** D-Town Supermarket, Hartford, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement for provisional, \$500.00 fee, cancel permit #LGB.14639, bill of sale, and seller's affidavit. The Commission approves request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while operating with provisional permit.
21. **REECE, PATRICK RICARDO – LIH.1835-B** Mystic Hilton, Mystic, CT
The Commission took no action on provisional permit request; file returned to agent for further investigation.
22. **CHENG, MICHAEL Y – LIR.18993** Asian Bistro, Stamford, CT
The Commission took no action on provisional permit request; file returned to agent for further investigation.
23. **MOREL, FRANKLIN – LGB.14952** Junco 09, Bridgeport, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement for provisional, \$500.00 fee, cancel permit #14889 and abandonment affidavit. The Commission approves request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while operating with provisional permit.
24. **ROSENBLUTH, HOWARD – LIR.19017.P-CW** Palmeira, New Haven, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement for provisional. The Commission approves request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while operating with provisional permit.

PROVISIONAL PERMIT EXTENSIONS

25. **GUTIERREZ, YISSEL D – LIR.18878.P-CW** Brasas Grill, Bridgeport, CT
The Commission approves the request to extend the provisional liquor permit.

FINAL PERMITS

26. **FOOTE, MICHAEL S – LGB.14907** DGM Country Store, South Glastonbury, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit when in receipt of seller's affidavit and cancel permit #LGB.12293.
27. **PATEL, HIMANSHU B – LIP.15139** Top Shelf Wine & Liquor, Waterbury, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit. No requirements.
28. **LIU, JIAN WEI – LIR.18950.P-CW** Bambu, Danbury, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit when in receipt of publication notice. Endorse patio.
29. **LIU, WEN DIAN – LIR.18966** Kumo Japanese Restaurant, Hamden, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit. Endorse service bar only.
30. **FLEMING, ROBYN – LRW.5056** Dairy Inn, Stamford, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit when in receipt of publication notice. Endorse no bar.
31. **SINGTHON, SARINYA – LRW.5071.P-CW** Aroy Aroy Thai Sushi, South Glastonbury, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit when in receipt of publication notice. Endorse no bar.
32. **ANOOSORN, SOMPORN WONGSA – LRW.5074** Thai Kitchen 4, Southington, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit. Endorse patio.
33. **LEONARDO, AUDY R – LCA.7548.P-CW** Prestige Bar, Waterbury, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit when in receipt of publication notice and 8x10 photo of dining room.
34. **CLOUDBURST WINES LLC – LSL.1507** Saint Helena, CA
The Commission approves issuance of the final permit.

OTHER

35. **BROWN, CHARLES P – LIR.17905** Eurest Dining Services, Hartford, CT
The Commission approves request for permanent patio.
36. **GUTIERREZ, YISSEL D – LIR.18878.P-CW** Brasas Grill, Bridgeport, CT
The Commission approves the application for transfer of interest.

37. DUGGAN, SCOTT FRANCIS – LGB.14723

Fresh Market of Connecticut Inc., Avon, CT

The Commission approves the application for transfer of stock.

38. MARKAKIS, NICK – LRW.3978

Captains Pizza Restaurant #5, Fairfield, CT

The Commission approves the dissolution of partnership to sole owner; sole backer remaining, Ilhan Bayram.

The Commission approves Ilhan Bayram as substitute permittee.

39. PARKS, WILLIAM G – LCT.209

Ocean Blue Catering, Mystic, CT

The Commission approves Kathy Ann Lloyd as substitute permittee.

40. PARKS, WILLIAM G – LRC.253

Ocean Blue Catering, Mystic, CT

The Commission approves Kathy Ann Lloyd as substitute permittee.

41. VIRGILIO, MARGARET - LRW.3277

Pasta Vera Spa, Greenwich, CT

The Commission approves Carlos Fuentes as substitute permittee.

42. POND, RICHARD C – LIR.17851

Taqueria Tavern, West Hartford, CT

The Commission approves Charles Perkins Kohn Jr as substitute permittee.

43. D'ANGELO, CRISTINA – LCA.7455

Quartino Trattoria, Norwalk, CT

The Commission approves Giuseppe Cinque as substitute permittee.

44. BURLINGTON MEN'S CLUB INC. – LIC.2102

Burlington, CT

The Commission approves request to waive guestbook requirement for May 17, 2014 and June 14, 2014.

Adjourned at 9:05 a.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

John Suchy
Director of Liquor Control
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