STATE OF CONNECTICUT

DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER PROTECTION

LIQUOR CONTROL DIVISION

MINUTES

MEETING PLACE: Commission Meeting Room – Room 124

MEETING DATE: May 15, 2014 - 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 Robin Washbond, Administrative Assistant

PUBLIC PRESENT:

<u>HEARINGS – Mary Ellen Gillon:</u>

- 1. **DEFARANOS, SPYRIDON E LIR.18718** Odie's Place, Hamden, CT Commission grants Attorney Rasile's request for continuance of compliance meeting. 2013-231
- 2. **SARWAR, AARON A LIR.17976** Shish Lounge, West Hartford, CT Commission grants respondent's request for continuance of compliance meeting. 2013-1445
- 3. **HARTFORD DISTRIBUTORS INC LIW.505** Manchester, CT Commission accepts an offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of \$250.00 for incidents of 2/20/14 and 2/25/14. 2014-187

- 4. **LONG, ROHAN F LCA.6738** Cleveland Café, Hartford, CT Commission will hold file for 30 days to allow respondent an opportunity to resolve issues with DOL. 2014-357
- 5. **MACTAGGART, RICHARD DENNIS LCA.7498** The Enfield Tap, Enfield, CT After compliance meeting, Commission would accept an offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of \$200.00 for incident of 1/21/14. 2013-1379
- 6. **PATEL, SHASH V LIP.14295** Monaco's Discount Liquor, Bridgeport, CT After compliance meeting, Commission would accept an offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 3 days and \$750.00, of which 2 days and \$250.00 would be held in abeyance for 6 months, for incident of 3/1/14. 2014-225
- 7. **VILLA, JOSE M LGB.14531** Tienda Ecuador, Danbury, CT After compliance meeting, Commission would accept an offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 7 days and \$1,500.00 for incident of 3/22/14. 2014-288
- 8. **D'ALEO, ANGELO F LIP.14957** On The Rocks, Windsor Locks, CT After compliance meeting, Commission would accept an offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 3 days and \$750.00, of which 2 days and \$250.00 would be held in abeyance for 6 months, for incident of 2/21/14. 2014-160
- 9. **CARBONE, CARL ANTHONY LIR.18363** Box 63, New Haven, CT After compliance meeting, Commission would accept an offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 3 days and \$1,500.00 of which 1 day and \$500.00 would be held in abeyance for 6 months, for incidents of 3/1/14 and 11/9/13. 2013-1370, 2014-199
- 10. **LINO, RIGOBERTO LCA.6832** Mansion Clam House, Westport, CT After compliance meeting, Commission takes no further action on incident of August 30, 2012 at this time. Commission notes permit will lapse on 10/3/14. If this permit is renewed, this case will be reopened and the pending charges pursued. 2012-1473
- 11. **PATEL, HARESH LIP.15065** Whalley Liquor Shop, New Haven, CT After compliance meeting, Commission accepts an offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 17 days and \$4,500.00, of which 8 days and \$2,000.00 will be held in abeyance for 6 months, for incident of 1/31/14. 2014-122

PROVISIONAL PERMITS:

12. **BENIPAL, IQBAL S – LIP.15165**Route 1 Wine & Liquor, Branford, CT The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement for provisional, cancel permit #LIP.14497, 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.

- 13. **SIGNORE, MICHELINA LIR.19006** Nonna Lucia's Restaurant, Watertown, CT The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement for provisional, \$500.00 fee, cancel permit #LRW.4213 and seller's affidavit. The Commission approves request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while operating with provisional permit.
- 14. **LOPEZ, LEON LIT.1834** Salsa's Southwest Grill, Plantsville, CT The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement for provisional, \$600.00 in fees owed, bill of sale, seller's affidavit and transfer \$300.00 from permit #LRB.1844 to LIT.1834. Endorse no bar.
- 15. MIR, MICHAEL D LCA.7627 Illusions Sports Bar, Waterbury, CT The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement for provisional and transfer \$500.00 in fees from permit# LIR.19030 to LCA.7627. The Commission approves request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while operating with provisional permit.

16. SEKHON, JAGDEEP SINGH – LIP.15156

Middletown Ave Liquors, New Haven, 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 interior (cash register, cooler, shelving). The Commission approves request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while operating with provisional permit.

PROVISIONAL PERMIT EXTENSIONS:

17. **IANNUCCI, JERRY** – **LCA.7566.P-CW** Naughty Water, Bridgeport, CT The Commission approves request to extend provisional liquor permit.

FINAL PERMITS:

18. GALARRAGA, MIGUEL D – LMC.19.P-CW

New England Cider Company, Wallingford, CT The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit when in receipt of publication notice and 8x10 photo of exterior trade name sign.

19. **GALLETTI, JENNIFER – LIR.18989-P.CW** A Vucchella, Bridgeport, CT The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit when in receipt of publication notice. Endorse patio.

20. POZO VALLEY LLC – LSW.878

Santa Margarita, CA

The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit.

21. SABEMOS BEVERAGES LLC – LSB.865

Carlsbad, CA

The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit.

22. MAGNET ENTERPRISES INC. - LSW.885

Paso Robles, CA

The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit.

23. MICHAEL L AND YVONNE LANDT LLC – LSW.887

Elkton, OR

The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit.

24. BLUE FARM LLC – LSW.888

Sonoma, CA

The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit.

25. BELDON BARNS SONOMA LLC – LSW.889

Santa Rosa, CA

The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit.

26. GRAPES OF SPAIN INC. – LSL.1514

Lorton, VA

The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit.

OTHER

27. MOYLAN, MICHAEL F – LUW.32

Reds, Fairfield, CT

The Commission approves request for one (1) additional consumer bar and extension of use for June 2, 2014, June 5, 2014 and June 9, 2014.

28. HALLIDAY, SCOTT ALAN – LPC.206 The Commission approves request for one (1) additional commission approximate (1) additional commission

Milford Yacht Club, Milford, CT

The Commission approves request for one (1) additional consumer bar.

29. **LEE, FAI – LCA.5077**

Asie Fusion Cuisine, New Canaan, CT

The Commission approves request for offsite storage.

30. HEFFERNAN, WILLIAM J – LCA.5898

Johnnie's Grill, West Haven, CT

The Commission approves request for patio for May 26, 2014.

31. **FARLEY, KEVIN – LIR.17204**

Union Street Tavern, Windsor, CT

The Commission approves request for one (1) additional consumer bar and patio for September 21, 2014.

32. MAC LOCHLAINN, JOHN D – LIR.18880.P-CW

BB Shack, Branford, CT

The Commission approves request for patio when in receipt of 8x10 photo of finish patio.

- 33. **TROWBRIDGE, JASON R LIC.2195** Fraternal Order of Eagles, Middletown, CT The Commission approves request to waive guest book requirements for May 26, 2014.
- 34. **BROWN, CHARLES P LCT.236** Chartwells, Hartford, CT The Commission reviewed notification of change in Corporate Officers.
- 35. **GOLDEN, WILLIAM J LIR.16385** Uno Chicago Grill, Milford, CT The Commission reviewed notification of change in Corporate Officers.
- 36. **KNUDSEN, CHRISTOPHER J LCC.49**Oneonta Athletic Corporation, Norwich, CT
 The Commission approves Eric Knighton as substitute permittee.
- 37. **KNUDSEN, CHRISTOPHER J LCM.54**Oneonta Athletic Corporation, Norwich, CT
 The Commission approves Eric Knighton as substitute permittee.
- 38. **MEERMANS, DENNIS R LPC.176** The Round Hill Club Inc, Greenwich, CT The Commission approves Brian George Walshe as substitute permittee.
- 39. **DONNEAUX, HENRI LPC.201** Black Rock Yacht Club, Bridgeport, CT The Commission approves Eric A. Chambry as substitute permittee.
- 40. **WINEBOW INC LCL.541** Mid-State Distributors LLC, Wallingford, CT The Commission approves Joseph Michael Wooters as substitute permittee.
- 41. **WINEBOW LIW.548** Wallingford, CT The Commission approves Joseph Michael Wooters as substitute permittee.
- 42. **DRISCOLL, MEAGHAN E LIC.1861** Golf Club of Avon, Avon, CT The Commission approves Richard Sinclair as substitute permittee.
- 43. **GOLDEN, DAVID A LIR.16595** Maggie McFly's Unique Eatery, Southbury, CT The Commission approves Raymond Harper as substitute permittee.

Adjourned at 9:20 a.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

John Suchy Director of Liquor Control rw