STATE OF CONNECTICUT

DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER PROTECTION

LIQUOR CONTROL DIVISION

MINUTES

MEETING PLACE: Commission Meeting Room – Room 124

MEETING DATE: June 5, 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

John Suchy, Director of Liquor Control Mary Ellen Gillon, Paralegal Specialist II

Richard Mindek, License and Applications Analyst

Robin Densmore, Secretary 1

PUBLIC PRESENT: None

<u>HEARINGS – Mary Ellen Gillon:</u>

- 1. MARTIN, MOSES LCA.6905 La Bamba, East Haven, CT Commission accepts an offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of \$350.00 for incident of 2/9/14. 2014-132
- 2. **O'BRASKY, THOMAS H. LCA.7093** Stella Blues, New Haven, CT After compliance meeting, Commission accepts an offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 3 days and \$750.00, of which 2 days and \$250.00 will be held in abeyance for 6 months, for incident of 1/16/14. 2014-266, 2014-63
- 3. **CHEN, AARON K. LIR.17831** Fen Asian Bistro, Canton, CT Commission accepts an offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 2 days and \$5,000.00 for incident of 4/4/14. 2014-336

- 4. **SCARDERA, MARK S. LIP.13035** Coastal Wine & Spirit Co, Branford, CT After compliance meeting, Commission would accept an offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of \$100.00 for incident of January 2013-December 2013. 2013-1512
- 5. **BLOW, MICHAEL J. LIP.14954** Good Times Package Store, Enfield, CT After compliance meeting, Commission would accept an offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 5 days and \$1,500.00, of which 2 days and \$750.00 would be held in abeyance for 6 months, for incident of 4/26/14. 2014-450
- 6. MAHR-BATUZ, SASA LIR.14568 Barcelona, Norwalk, CT
 After compliance meeting, Commission would accept an offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 3 days and \$750.00 or 1 day and \$3,000.00, for incident of 1/27/10. 2012-753
- 7. **SANTANGELI, CATERINA R. LIR.17305** Bear & Grille II, Orange, CT After compliance meeting, Commission will take no further action on incident of 8/20/13. 2013-1132
- 8. **RODRIGUEZ, JUAN C. LIR.18428** Puerto Vallarta Orange, Orange, CT After compliance meeting, Commission will take no further action on incident of 8/20/13. 2013-1133
- 9. **MOSBY, RICKEY F. LIC.1787** Colonel Charles Young Post, Bridgeport, CT After compliance meeting, Commission would accept an offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of \$375.00 for incident of 11/8/13. 2013-9

PROVISIONAL PERMITS:

10. **ELIAS, PETER ANTHONY – LCA.7628**Boutique, Hartford, CT The Commission continues to take no action on the provisional permit request.

PROVISIONAL PERMIT EXTENSIONS

11. **MANSFIELD, PATRICK – LCA.7575.P-CW** Anna Liffeys, Fairfield, CT The Commission approves request to extend provisional permit.

FINAL PERMITS

12. SYLVESTRE, NICHOLAS RICHARD – LIR.18889

Moxie, Madison, CT

The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit after July 5, 2014 when in receipt of an 8 x10 photo of exterior trade name sign, 8x10 photos of completed furnished bar room, dining room, kitchen and lockable storage, Final f ire marshal approval for new application and patio, final Health approval for patio, and publication notice. Endorse patio only.

13. DESS, CHRISTOPHER A. – LIP.15096

Wine Works, Southington, CT

The Commission approved the issuance of the final permit upon receipt of 8x10 photos of interior to include cash register, cookers and shelving, 8x10 photos of exterior trade name sign.

14. SCHULER, RICHARD A. – LIR.18939

3 Figs, Suffield, CT

The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit. Endorse one ACB and interior access.

15. **1098 DISTRIBUTION – LSB.868**

Austin, TX

The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit.

16. MUNCH & FOX - LSW.896

Paso Robles, CA

The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit.

17. ABF FREIGHT SYSTEMS INC – LTR.207

Fort Smith, AR

The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit.

18. WINE HOOLIGANS LLC – LSL,1520

Santa Rosa, CA

The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit.

19. **SAISANAS, PETER K. – LIR.19031**

Dinerluxe, New Milford, CT

The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit after July 4, 2014 when in receipt of publication notice. Endorse service bar only and patio.

20. MOREL, FRANKLIN – LGB.14952

Junco 09, Bridgeport, CT

The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit upon receipt of publication notice, seller's affidavit, 8x10 photo of locking storage, and business phone number.

21. DEANGELIS, CARMINE – LIR.18916

Michael Anthony's Tuscan Grill, Milford, CT

The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit upon receipt of 8x10 photos of the entire premise to include dinnind rooms, bar room, kitchen, restrooms, lockable storage, exterior trade name sign, and copy of final menu. Endorse patio.

22. **FEDELL, MICHAEL VINCENT III– LCA.7621** Mcfaddens Barq, Stamford, CT The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit upon receipt of publication notice, and copy of sales & use tax permit. Endorce one ACB & patio.

<u>OTHER</u>

- 23. **FEDELL, MICHAEL VINCENT III– LCA.7621** Mcfaddens Barq, Stamford, CT The Commission approves the request for two temporary ACBs and patio for July 9,10,16,17,23,24,30,31, 2014 and August 6,7,13,14, 2014.
- 24. **WOLSZCZAK, JAY A LIR.16718** Hard Rock Café, Mashantucket, CT The Commission approves one temporary ACB & patio for June 5,12,19,26, 2014, July 3,10,17,24,31, 2014, and August 7,14,21,28, 2014.
- 25. **CHEEK, ROY LIC.1902** Thomaston Fish & Game Club, Thomaston, CT The Commission approves the extention of use for June 21, 2014 & August 3, 2014.
- 26. ROSCELLO, ANTHONY JR LIC.1973

Torrington Lodge of Elks #372, Torrington, CT The commission approves request to waive guestbook requierments for July 12, 2014, July 19, 2014, August 2, 2014, August 23, 2014, September 13, 2014, September 14, 2014 and September 20, 2014.

- 27. **AMERICAN BEVERAGE CORPORATION LSL.1009** Verona, PA The Commission is advised of the change in the officer and director of this corporation.
- 28. **BERGENTY, LINDSAY LIR.18221** Sliders Wallingford LLC, Wallingford, CT The Commission approves request to keep paid invoices off premises at 941 Queen St. Unit B Southington, CT.
- 29. **BRESCOME BARTON, INC. LIW-506**Commission reviewed June 2, 2014 letter from Brescome Barton Inc. requesting permission to deliver June 2014 priced goods through July 3, 2014. After review and consideration, the request was approved.
- 30. **WINE AND SPIRITS WHOLESALERS OF CONNECTICUT**Commission reviewed June 2, 2014 letter from Brescome Barton Inc. requesting permission to deliver June 2014 priced goods through July 3, 2014. After review and

consideration, the request was approved for its members.

31. STATEMENT FROM LIQUOR CONTROL COMMISSION

The Liquor Control Commission has approved an extension of delivery of all alcoholic liquor products (beer, wine, distilled spirits) through July 3, 2014 as long as the product was ordered by the end of the day on June 30, 2014.

This is an approval for an extension of delivery, not an extension of ordering product.

The department has waived any regulatory restrictions that might otherwise prevent wholesalers from delivering such orders through the end of business on July 3, 2014.

Wholesalers and retailers are reminded that, pursuant to section 30-6-A36 (a), the period of credit shall be calculated as the time elapsing between the date of receipt of merchandise by retailer and the date of full legal discharge of the retailer through the payment of cash or its equivalent from all indebtedness arising from the transaction.

Adjourned at 9:15a.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

John Suchy Director of Liquor Control rd