DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER PROTECTION

LIQUOR CONTROL DIVISION

MINUTES

MEETING PLACE: Commission Meeting Room - Room 124

MEETING DATE: July 31, 2007 - 8:30 a.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Angelo J. Faenza, Liquor Control Commissioner

Gary W. Berner, Liquor Control Commissioner

STAFF PRESENT: Gerald C. Langlais, Administrator of Liquor Control

Elisa Nahas, Legal Counsel Lynn Fiore, Staff Attorney

(8:30 a.m. - 9:10 a.m.)

Mary Ellen Gillon, Paralegal Specialist

(8:30 a.m. - 8:50 a.m.)

Diana Sedok, Secretary

HEARINGS - Mary Ellen Gillon:

1. LEVINE, LEONARD - LIW.527

Commission accepts offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of \$375 for incident of 1/9/06.

2. PATEL, RAJESHKUMAR - LIP.13798

Commission accepts offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 1 day and \$3,050 for incident of 4/28/07.

3. BOUCINO, STEVEN - LBP.52

Commission accepts offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of \$250 for incident of 5/7/07.

4. **GENTILE, STEVE - LCA.6165**

Commission denies Attorney Carocci's request for continuance of formal hearing. Commission rejects offer of 8 days and \$5,000. Commission would accept 12 days and \$7,500 to resolve incident of 10/13/06. Commission accepts offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 10 days and \$7,500 to resolve incident of 10/13/06.

5. EARLEY, JOSHUA - LIR.16116

Due to imminent sale, commission would accept offer in compromise of \$7,500 to resolve incidents of 2/3/06, 10/20/06 and 4/26/07. Due to imminent sale, commission accepts offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of \$7,500 to resolve incidents of 2/3/06, 10/20/06 and 4/26/07.

DISCUSSION - Lynn Fiore:

1. CAMMAROTA, ALFONSO - LCA.6749

Commission notes correct date of alleged after hours violation on 1/14/07 and would accept 1 day suspension and \$500 fine following a compliance meeting.

2. RAGAINI, RAYMOND - LIR.17178

Commission rejects offer of \$2,275 to resolve 4/28/07 and 4/29/07 pending violations. Would accept \$3,375 to resolve in lieu of formal proceedings.

3. MCLELLAN, JEFFREY - LCA.6140

Commission accepts offer in compromise of \$3,000 to resolve 6/22/07 alleged violation.

4. FEDEX GROUND PACKAGE SYSTEM INC - LTR.62

Commission reviewed FedEx Attorney Spalvieri's 7/23/07 letter in response to alleged violations of 30-19(c)(2). Commission requests more information regarding respondent's investigation and internal response to consumer's complaint regarding deliveries of alcohol requiring adult signature.

PROVISIONAL PERMIT:

1. **BAEZ, EVELINE** - **LGB.14176** Pershing Convenience, Ansonia No action taken by commission on provisional permit.

PROVISIONAL PERMIT EXTENSION:

1. **CARON, JULIANNA** - **LCA.6804** Players II Sports Bar & Grill, Terryville Extension of provisional permit approved.

FINAL PERMITS:

- 1. **BELFAST BAY BREWING CO INC LSB.730** Belfast, ME No requirements. Ok to issue final permit.
- 2. **RIDGE VINEYARDS INC LSW.222** Cupertino, CA No requirements. Ok to issue final permit.
- 3. **PEACH SYSTEMS INC LSL.1107** Santa Fe Springs, CA No requirements. Ok to issue final permit.
- 4. **A TO Z WINEWORKS LLC LSW.272** Newberg, OR No requirements. Ok to issue final permit.
- 5. **SERVELLO IMPORTS LLC LSL.1104** Union, NJ No requirements. Ok to issue final permit.
- 6. **WORTH, DOMINIQUE LCT.198** Angelo's, Bridgeport No requirements. Ok to issue final permit.
- 7. **HINE, NICHOLAS LIP.14246** Stafford Spirits, Stafford Springs Assigned to hearing, section 30-39, remonstrance. If approved, still need completion of application (section K), FEIN.

OTHER:

1. **COCCHIA, DOMENIC - LIR.15014** Cobbs Mill Inn, Weston Commission approved transfer of stock and new substitute permittee.

- 2. **SHARPE, MICHAEL LCA.6814** The Ginger Man, Norwalk Commission approved patio and additional consumer bar for August 4 and August 5, 2007 only.
- 3. **CHOLKO, MICHAEL LIS.1640** Star Distributors Inc., Ridgefield Assigned to hearing, section 30-17b(b), suitability.
- 4. **ST PIERRE, AMY LIR.16860** West Main Pizza, Plainville Assigned to hearing, section 30-39b(b) and 30-6-A3.
- 5. **D'ANGELO, MAGDALENE LIP.12146** D'Angelo's Wine & Spirits, So. Windsor Commission approved transfer of stock.
- 6. **QUIJANO, WILNFER LIR.16155** Tisane Tea & Coffee House, Hartford Commission approved Allie Gamble as substitute permittee.
- 7. **MATHERS, DANIEL LCA.5083** Maguires Sports, Newington Commission approved Tyrone Eddy as substitute permittee.
- 8. **GILPATRICK IV, PRESTON LTH.80** Westport Country Playhouse, Westport Commission approved Bruce A. Miller as substitute permittee.
- 9. **CHASSE, PETER LIH.1516** Courtyard by Marriott, Wallingford Commission approved Jason Raynor as substitute permittee.
- 10. **PARNES, STUART LPA.13** Connecticut River Museum, Essex Commission approved Jerry Roberts as substitute permittee.
- 11. **MATKASYAN, HARUT LCT.131** Foxwoods Resort Casino, Mashantucket Commission approved Dennis Khanh as substitute permittee.
- 12. **MATKASYAN, HARUT LCN.3** Foxwoods Resort Casino, Mashantucket Commission approved Dennis Khanh as substitute permittee.
- 13. **HEEDEN, MICHAEL LIH.1651** Nathan Hale Inn & Conference Center, Storrs Commission approved Brian Wells as substitute permittee.
- 14. **ABUD, MARIA LIR.16495** K & N Grill, Danbury Commission approved Philippe I. Karam as substitute permittee.

- 15. **DUTKIEWICZ, JEFF LIC.2009** B P O E Lodge 1010, Bristol Commission approved David Dabrowski as substitute permittee.
- 16. **MARGUY JR., JOHN LBA.167** AMF Hamden Lanes, Hamden Commission approved Wayne Hedges as substitute permittee.
- 17. **RINALDINI, ORLANDO LIC.2158** VFW Post 511, New Britain Commission approved Richard A. Williams as substitute permittee.
- 18. **DYER, KATHLEEN LCA.5635** Iggy's Café, Willimantic Commission approved Wayne D. Massa as substitute permittee.
- 19. **LONGO, ALICE LCA.5729** A & J Café, Uncasville Commission approved John L. Longo Sr. as substitute permittee.
- 20. **PLITSAS, STACEY LIR.16629** Cozy Corner Restaurant, Brooklyn Commission approved Konstanlinos Plitsas as substitute permittee.
- 21. **ZHENG, ENLING LRW.4470** Shiki Sushi Japanese Restaurant, Fairfield Commission approved Yu Chen as substitute permittee.

Adjourned at 9:45 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Gerald C. Langlais Administrator of Liquor Control

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