

DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER PROTECTION

LIQUOR CONTROL DIVISION

MINUTES

MEETING PLACE: Commission Meeting Room - Room 124

MEETING DATE: October 30, 2007 - 8:30 a.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Angelo J. Faenza, Liquor Control Commissioner
Gary W. Berner, Liquor Control Commissioner

STAFF PRESENT: Jack Suchy, Director of Liquor Control
Elisa Nahas, Legal Counsel
Lynn Fiore, Staff Attorney
Diana Sedok, Secretary

DISCUSSION - Lynn Fiore:

1. **BABCOCK, SAMUEL - LCA.5822**
Following compliance, commission accepts offer in compromise of 3 days suspension on January 7, January 8 and January 9, 2008 to resolve 3/24/07 alleged violations. (2007-5162)
2. **WADE, RICHARD - LGB.14178**
Commission cancels formal hearing scheduled for November 1, 2007 and grants final permit.
3. **KRAUSS, VIVIAN - LIR.16350**
Commission reviewed photographs of separation, and would accept 1 day suspension on a Thursday to resolve pending violations in lieu of formal scheduled for November 1, 2007. (2007-6539)

PROVISIONAL PERMITS:

1. **BUONOMO JR., DOMENIC - LIR.17557** Mark Stevens Restaurant, Waterbury
Ok to issue provisional permit when in receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee, cancel permit LIR.15096, bill of sale, sellers affidavit, fire marshal approval. The toilet facility in dining room is to be designated as unisex. Commission grants request to waive section 30-6-A36(b), wholesalers period of credit, on provisional permit.

2. **CHEN, XING - LIR.17494** L C Bistro, Fairfield
Ok to issue provisional permit when in receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee, cancel permit LIR.15634, bill of sale, sellers affidavit.
3. **PAN, ANDY - LIR.17457** Ichiro Hibachi & Sushi Bar, West Hartford
Ok to issue provisional permit when in receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee, staff list, completion of application (section J # 1-3). Endorse patio.
4. **LUDWIG, MICHAEL - LCA.6892** Asylum Café, Hartford
Change in type. Ok to issue provisional permit when in receipt of stipulated agreement, cancel permit LIR.16029, completed financial affidavit, corrected personal history for Quan, Michael and Gerard.
5. **WILBURN, SALLY - LIR.17514** Chives, Lakeville
Ok to issue provisional permit when in receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee, health certificate, completion of application (sections J, M & N), copy of lease, sketch with dimensions, copy of savings statement, completion of personal history for Sally, personal history and information release form for David Wilburn.
6. **TURCOTTE, TODD - LBB.13** Highland Bowl Hartford, Hartford
Ok to issue provisional permit when in receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee, sellers affidavit, proof of right of occupancy for backer LLC, completed financial affidavit.
7. **CHENG, MARTY - LIR.17555** Matsura Restaurant, Darien
Ok to issue provisional permit when in receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee, bill of sale, sellers affidavit, health certificate.
8. **RENALDI, NORMAN - LIR.17561** Clam's, Old Lyme
Ok to issue provisional permit when in receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee, bill of sale, sellers affidavit.
9. **LEFLOCH, SYLVIE - LIR.17556** Brasserie M, Norwalk
Ok to issue provisional permit when in receipt of stipulated agreement. Jack Suchy recused himself for this file.

PROVISIONAL PERMIT EXTENSIONS:

1. **MEISSNER, ELIZABETH - LCA.6859** Crave, Ansonia
Extension of provisional permit approved.
2. **ROMANO, NICHOLAS - LIR.17465** Joey Garlic's, Farmington
Extension of provisional permit approved.

FINAL PERMITS:

1. **WU, YUANSHAN - LIR.17527** Maru, Clinton
Ok to issue final permit after remonstrance date of November 5, 2007.
Need publication notice, FEIN.
2. **SHAH, HARESH - LIP.14359** Town & Country Liquors, Derby
Ok to issue final permit when in receipt of copy of sales and use tax permit.
3. **MOUNT, CLYDE - LIP.14351** Harbor View Wine & Spirits, Norwalk
Ok to issue final permit when in receipt of bill of sale, sellers affidavit, publication notice, 8 x 10 photos of exterior, cancel old permit LIP.14084.
4. **ROMANO, NICHOLAS - LIR.17465** Joey Garlic's, Farmington
No requirements. Ok to issue final permit.
5. **LANGAN, JEFFREY - LIR.17377** Club Copa, Meriden
Assigned to hearing for section 30-39 (remonstrance) and 30-47(5) (suitability of backer). If approved, still need final fire marshal approval, copy of sales and use tax permit, resolution of pending charges for permit LCA.6446. Endorse ACB.
6. **TORRUELLA, JERMAINE - LIR.17456**
Firehouse Steakhouse & Halligan Tap Room, Middletown
Ok to issue final permit when in receipt of publication notice, 8 x 10 photos of furnished interior and lockable storage. Remove patio endorsement from permit.

7. **FINITSIS, STEVE - LRW.4523** Finish Line Diner, Stratford
Ok to issue final permit after remonstrance date of 11/9/07. Still need publication notice. Endorse no bar.
8. **BURRELL, WILLIAM - LCA.6904** Claddagh House, Higganum
Ok to issue final permit after remonstrance date of November 25, 2007. Still need \$550 permit fee (changed from restaurant to café), 8 x 10 photos of furnished interior and patio. Endorse patio.

OTHER:

1. **DEBLOIS, MARK - LIR.16526** Sidebar Restaurant/Twilite Lounge, New Haven
Commission approved transfer of interest. Need a substitute permittee application for Jon Loricco to replace Mark Deblois.
2. **COSTANZO JR., ANTHONY - LIR.14871** Rays Grill, Stratford
Endorse permit with permanent patio approval.
3. **DIPERSIO, ROBERT - LCA.6887** Sorrento on the Green, Rocky Hill
Commission approved request to waive section 30-6-A36(b), wholesalers period of credit, on provisional permit.
4. **PICKETT, PATRICK - LIR.17479** Cheesecake Factory, West Hartford
Commission approved request to waive section 30-6-A36(b), wholesalers period of credit, on provisional permit. Request to keep records and invoices off-site approved. Request to post placard in the window of the outer door of restaurant has also been approved.

Adjourned at 9:45 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Jack Suchy
Director of Liquor Control

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