

DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER PROTECTION

LIQUOR CONTROL DIVISION

MINUTES

MEETING PLACE: Commission Meeting Room - Room 124

MEETING DATE: March 31, 2009 – 8:30 a.m.

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

STAFF PRESENT: Gerald C. Langlais, Administrator of Liquor Control
John Suchy, Director of Liquor Control
Mary Ellen Gillon, Paralegal Specialist 2
(8:30 a.m. – 8:36 a.m.)
Douglas Deveny, Secretary

HEARINGS - Mary Ellen Gillon:

1. **VAZZANO, JOHN J. - LIR.17017** Vazzy's Trattoria, Milford, CT
Remove from hearings; fire marshal form received. 2009-2792
2. **SANTAGATA, WILLIAM - LCA.5381** Van Dome, New Haven, CT
Commission grants Attorney Ressler's request for continuance of compliance meeting. 2008-1700
3. **AGHA, HASSAN - LGB.14313** Sam's Deli, Bridgeport, CT
Commission grants Attorney Riccio's request for continuance of formal hearing. 2008-11987
4. **PATEL, NELAM - LGB.13821** Red Apple Supermarket, Rockville, CT
Commission accepts offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 3 days and \$750 for incident of 8/15/08. 2008-4725
5. **ANDREWS, MICHAEL - LCA.6848** Life, Hartford, CT
Commission accepts offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of \$250 for incident of 5/22/08. 2008-8835
6. **MARTINEZ, ESPERANZA - LGB.14172** Rincon Latino Market, Waterbury, CT

Commission accepts offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 3 days and \$750 for incident of 4/5/08. 2008-2378

PROVISIONAL PERMITS:

7. **SPEIGHT, PHAEDRA S. – LIT.1787** One Love Social Club, Bridgeport, CT
Commission approves to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee, seller's affidavit or abandonment affidavit.
8. **BIGLIARDIERI, CHRISTOPHER J. – LCA.7062** Bocca Rossa, Hartford, CT
Commission approves to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee, cancel old permit (if applicable), copy of lease, copy of loan, return of record check, disclaimer: Louise Ritcher - \$60,000.
Commission approved request to waive COD requirement for provisional permits.
9. **SINGH, AMRIK – LGB.14347** Krauszer's Food Store, Stratford, CT
Commission approves to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee. Commission approved request to waive COD requirement for provisional permits.
10. **CHU, PAULA – LIP.14552** Enfield Discount Wines and Liquors, Enfield, CT
Commission approves to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee, cancel old permit LIP.13511, bill of sale, seller's affidavit, proof right of occupancy for backer LLC, copy of sales and use tax permit, resolution of charges on existing permit LIP.13511.

PROVISIONAL PERMIT EXTENSIONS:

11. **TING, SOO KEONG – LIR.17803.P** Jerry Sans Sushi Bar II, West Haven, CT
Commission approved to extend provisional permit.
12. **MARTELLI, THOMAS R. III – LIR.17621.P** Café Poalo, Waterbury, CT
Commission approved to extend provisional permit until 4/7/2009 ONLY.
Last extension.

FINAL PERMITS:

13. **CALIFORNIA CELLARS LLC – LSW.461** Isleton, CA
Commission approved to issue final permit.
14. **ABITA BREWING COMPANY LLC – LSB.760** Abita Springs, LA
Commission approved to issue final permit.

15. **MESABA AVIATION INC – LIA.42** Windsor Locks, CT
Commission approved to issue final permit.
16. **HONIGFELD, BRADFORD L. – LIH.1754.P-C** Hilton Garden Inn, Milford, CT
Commission approved to issue final permit.
17. **SHI, HONG – LIR.17842** Royal Buffet, Enfield, CT
Commission approved to issue final permit. Endorse service bar only.
18. **TEJADA, ELVIS R. – LCA.7041** Passion Night Club, Hartford, CT
Commission approved to issue final permit. Endorse patio and 2 ACB's.
19. **PATTERSON, ONIEL – LGB.14342** Trader Joe's, West Hartford, CT
Commission approves to issue final permit upon receipt of publication notice and photos (8x10) of entire stocked interior.
20. **PENA, CARLOS – LIR.17751.P** Soco's Bar and Restaurant, New Haven, CT
Commission approves to issue final permit upon receipt of all photos (8x10) of exterior and furnished interior. Endorse patio.
21. **MCCALL, TIA M. – LIP.14514.P** Pit Stop Spirit Shop, Plainfield, CT
Commission approved to issue final permit.
22. **JOHNSON, ROBERT M. – LIR.17845.P** Park Central Tavern, Hamden, CT
Commission approves to issue final permit upon AFTER 5/9/2009.
NEED: publication notice, photos (8x10) of furnished interior. Endorse ACB and patio.
NOTE: NEED \$100 additional fee if patio permit is issued.

OTHER:

23. **COPELAND, CARRIE A. – LIR.16289** Bohemian Pizza, Litchfield, CT
Commission approves request for transfer of interest and substitute permittee. Permittee resubmitted past paperwork that satisfies the Offer in Compromise.
24. **STEFAN, YESENIA A. – LGB.14382.P** Junco 9 Mini Market, Bridgeport, CT
Commission approved request to waive COD requirement for provisional permits.
25. **RUBIN, PAUL A. – LIR.17847.P** Chili's Grill & Bar, Lisbon, CT
Commission approved request to waive COD requirement for provisional permits.
26. **ZHENG, JIA DING – LRW.4660.P** Fuji Asian Bistro & Sushi, Bethel, CT

Commission approved request to waive COD requirement for provisional permits.

27. **HINCKS, DANIEL A. – LCA.7003.P** Infinity Hall, Norfolk, CT

Commission approves to amend application from a café to a restaurant permit.

Ok to transfer fees.

NEED: new publication notice and permit number.

28. **WAHLSTEDT, RICK T. – LIH.1661-C**

Delamar at Greenwich harbor Hotel, Greenwich, CT

Commission discussed potential for repayment for hotel mini bars.

29. **ROSS, ROCKY – LIR.17867**

Aqua Restaurant, Clinton, CT

Return to agent for zoning approval and health certificate for annual permit.

Adjourned at 9:43 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Gerald C. Langlais

Administrator of Liquor Control

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