DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER PROTECTION

LIQUOR CONTROL DIVISION

MINUTES

MEETING PLACE: Commission Meeting Room - Room 124

MEETING DATE: February 17, 2011 – 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

Elisa Nahas, Legal Counsel

Mary Ellen Gillon, Paralegal Specialist II

Douglas Deveny, Secretary

HEARINGS - Mary Ellen Gillon:

1. SWADIA, KRISHNAKANT K. - LGB.14097

Sunnyside Grocery Country Farms, Plainville, CT Remove from hearings; permit lapsed. 2010-346

- 2. **VENO, DOLORES M. LIR.17779** Driftwood Coffee Shop, Southport, CT Remove from hearings; fire marshal form received. 2011-112
- 3. **DEJESUS, MANUEL J. LCA.6763** Flaviense Café, Bridgeport, CT Remove from hearings; fire marshal form received. 2011-109
- 4. **PUGLISI, FRANK LIR.17515** Peep's All-In Café, Wallingford, CT Commission grants respondent's request for continuance of compliance meeting. 2010-812
- 5. **RYDECKY, KEVIN LIP.13140** Saugatuck Wine & Spirits, Westport, CT Commission grants respondent's request for continuance of compliance meeting. 2010-1064
- 6. **WHITEHOUSE, DIANE LIP.12258** Whitehouse Package Store, Ashford, CT After compliance meeting, commission accepts offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 3 days and \$800 of which 2 days and \$550 will be held in abeyance

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for 6 months, and takes no further action on alleged violation of Sec. 30-6-A12, for incident of 9/17/10. 2010-1338

- 7. **MORRELL, GENE F. LCA.7011** The Office Gentleman's Café, Norwalk, CT After compliance meeting, commission accepts offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 1 day and \$500 for incidents of 4/29/10 and 10/21/10. 2010-481, 2010-1364
- 8. **COOK, DONALD T. LGB.12085** Bridgeport Variety Plus, Bridgeport, CT Commission rejects offer of 2 days and \$750 for incident of 6/6/10. 2010-597
- 9. **AKTER, RAHIMA LGB.14208** Layla's Market, Bridgeport, CT Commission accepts offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 2 days and \$750 for incident of 4/11/10. 2010-492
- 10. **PIROZZOLI, MARIO LCA.5681**Centerfolds, Berlin, CT After compliance meeting, commission rejects request that no further action be taken, and accepts offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 3 days and \$7,500 for incident of May 8, 2009. 2009-4695
- 11. **VELEZ, ADA LGB.13476** Family Grocery, Hartford, CT After compliance meeting, commission would accept offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 60 days for incident of 3/25/10. 2010-383
- 12. **VELEZ, ADA I. LGB.13857**After compliance meeting, commission would accept offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 75 days for incident of 7/22/10. 2010-824
- 13. **LIEBMAN, DAVID LGB.14343**Trader Joe's, Westport, CT After compliance meeting, for settlement purposes commission would accept 3 days and \$5,000. In the alternative, commission would accept 8 days and \$2,250 for incident of 9/25/10. 2010-1240
- 14. **VICIOSO, MADELINE LGB.14593** San Pedro Grocery, Hartford, CT After review of additional documentation, commission grants final permit, subject to the agent's final requirements. 2011-47

PROVISIONAL PERMITS:

15. SANDHU, KULDEEP – LIP.14798 Somer's Win e & Liquors, Somers, CT Commission approves request to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee, executed copy of lease in name of LLC, articles of organization, information release form, CSBI. Commission approved request to waive COD requirement for provisional permit.

PROVISIONAL PERMIT EXTENSIONS:

16. PFORZHEIMER, CARL A. – LIR.18267.P.CW

Barcelona Restaurant & Wine Bar, West Hartford, CT Commission approved request to extend provisional permit.

FINAL PERMITS:

17. AUSTRALIAN WINE CONNECTION INC – LSL.1319

Concord, CA

Commission approved to issue final permit.

18. KUDELCHUK, ANTIONETTE A. – LCA.7257 Altone's Café, Jewett City, CT Commission approves to issue final permit upon receipt of permit LIR.14207 for cancellation.

19. **DIEUJUSTE, EMMANUEL – LGB.14617**

sales form.

Convenience Brand Grocery, Bridgeport, CT Commission approves to issue final permit when in receipt of breakdown of

20. **VERA, ROSALBA – LRW.4801** El Pueblito Restaurant, Bridgeport, CT Commission approved to issue final permit. Endorse service bar only.

21. STOCKBRIDGE, BRIAN D. – LIR.18281

Stockbridge's Cheesecake New England Bistro & Bakery, Woodbridge, CT Commission approves to issue final permit when in receipt of publication notice, CT sales and use tax permit, 8x10 photos of interior and exterior. Endorse service bar only.

22. SHEHADA, JOSEPH – LGB.14580

Caribe Market, Bridgeport, CT

Commission approves to issue final permit upon receipt of permit LGB.13079 for cancelation, seller's affidavit, publication notice, CT sales and use tax permit, updated 8x10 photos of interior sales area, letter explaining the name discrepancy of permittee (Joseph and Gouzaif).

23. PARAMJIT, SINGH – LRW.4808

Kamal, New Haven, CT

Commission approved to issue final permit. Endorse no bar.

OTHER:

24. GORDON, LEONARD – LIP.12190 Tunxis Hill Package Store, Fairfield, CT Commission approved application for transfer of stock.

- 25. **BARTLEY, BRENDA LIC.2179** Branford Elks #1939, Branford, CT Commission approved request for guestbook waiver on 3/12/11.
- 26. **CARPENTER, PAUL LIH.1704-B** Homewood Suites, Wallingford, CT Commission approved Richard Pennyman as substitute permittee.
- 27. DESCHENES, ROBERT J. LIC.1997

American Polish Citizens Club, Uncasville, CT Commission approved John H. Wood as substitute permittee.

- 28. **GRECO, LOUIS E. LIR.17039** Louie's Bar & Grill, New London, CT Commission approved Andrea Gorges as substitute permittee.
- 29. **SAMPEL, JUAN L. LGB.14091** Carolina Grocery, Hartford, CT Commission approved Jasmin Wen as substitute permittee.
- 30. GIOVANNI, MICHAEL G. LIC.1742

Annex Young Men's Association, New Haven, CT Commission approved Lewis C. Maturo as substitute permittee.

- 31. **DELORENZO, DAVE A. LCA.5232** Carmine's Café, Waterbury, CT Commission approved Helen Caffrey as substitute permittee.
- 32. BRESCOME BARTON INC LCL.540

Sterling Brands Division, North Haven, CT Commission approved Gennaro Sepe as substitute permittee.

- 33. **BRESCOME BARTON INC LIW.506**Commission approved Gennaro Sepe as substitute permittee.
- 34. **YAGAR, FATIH LIP.14652** Warehouse Wine and Liquors, Torrington, CT Commission approved the transfer of interest and approved Paul Baudouin as substitute permittee.

Adjourned at 9:12 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

John Suchy Director of Liquor Control dd