

STATE OF CONNECTICUT
DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER PROTECTION
LIQUOR CONTROL DIVISION

MINUTES

MEETING PLACE: Commission Meeting Room – Room 124

MEETING DATE: January 3, 2013 – 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
Mary Ellen Gillon, Paralegal Specialist II (8:30 a.m. –8:40 a.m.)
Richard Mindek, License and Application Analyst
Cher Donnelly, Secretary 1

PUBLIC PRESENT: None

HEARINGS – Mary Ellen Gillon:

1. **TRIBBLE, LINDA, S. –LCA.5005** Duffy Tavern, Naugatuck, CT
Remove from hearings; permit lapsed. 2012-799, 2012-1002
2. **CUTLER, JASON –LCA.7269** Pulse, New Haven, CT
The Commission grants Attorney Trendowski’s request for continuance of compliance meeting. 2012-1701
3. **LAVALLEE, KEVIN, M. –LIR.15070** Huskies, Storrs, CT
The Commission grants respondent’s request for continuance of compliance meeting. 2012-1416
4. **EDWARDS, MICHAEL, P. –LCA.7295** Stadium Sports Bar & Grille, Waterbury, CT
After compliance meeting, the Commission would accept offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 1 day and \$500 for incidents of 2/10/12 and 2/14/12. 2011-1382

PROVISIONAL PERMITS:

5. **VALENTIN, CELINA, B. LIP.15003** Arch Street Package Store, New Britain, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement for provisional, \$500 fee, and seller's affidavit. The Commission approves applicant's request to amend new backer "Arch Street Liquors LLC" and will re-issue placard. The Commission approves request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while operating with provisional permit.
6. **SZAPIRO, AVI -LIR.18736** Roia Restaurant, New Haven, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement for provisional, \$500 fee, proof that Hub & Spoke LLC and Start Now Venture LLC has filed successfully with the CT Secretary of State's Office, 8x10 photos of the completed interior, and 8x10 photo of the exterior trade name sign. Endorse one (1) additional consumer bar. The Commission approves request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while operating with provisional permit.
7. **DIVARANIYA, AJIT, D. -LGB.14816** Ads Group Liquors, Norwalk, CT
The Commission takes no action on provisional permit; assigned to agent for investigation.
8. **KAROUTA, DIMITROIS -LRW.4967** Ollies Pizza, Litchfield, CT
The Commission takes no action on provisional permit.

PROVISIONAL PERMIT EXTENSIONS

9. **HERNANDEZ, THOMAS -LGB.14759.P-CW** Norwalk Supermarket, Norwalk, CT
The Commission approves request to extend provisional permit.
10. **MORGILLO, ANTHONY, J. -LIR.18664.P-CW** Knuckleheads, Wallingford, CT
The Commission approves request to extend provisional permit until 2/28/13.
11. **LEWANDOWSKI, STEPHEN -LIR.18617.P-CW** Harlan Social, Stamford, CT
The Commission approves request to extend provisional permit.
12. **TZIOLIS, XENOFON -LIR.18689.P-CW** Monroe Diner, Monroe, CT
The Commission approves request to extend provisional permit.

FINAL PERMITS

13. **MALIN, JUDD –LIR.18680** Boca, Stamford, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit upon receipt of 8x10 photos of complete interior and exterior (to include kitchen, dining room, barroom, patio, trade name, and exterior building). Endorse patio.

14. **PFORZHEIMER, CARL, A. –LIR.18656.P-CW** Bar Taco, West Hartford, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit upon receipt of 8x10 photos (to include furnished barroom, dining rooms, kitchen, and patio). Endorse patio.

15. **REYES, ADELICIO, C. –LGB.14806** Gladys's Deli and Grocery, Hartford, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit after 1/29/13 upon receipt of publication notice.

16. **FANG, XIAO, L. –LRW.4954** Hokkaido Japanese Restaurant, Hamden, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit and waives the restroom requirement. Endorse no bar.

17. **JOHNSON, ERIKA, A. –LCA-7461** Expression's Bar, Bridgeport, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit.

18. **DERRICO, JOSEPH, F. –LIR.18682** Wood-N-Tap, Wallingford, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit.

19. **CARR, RACHEL, A. –LCA.7467** Six Main, Chester, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit upon receipt of publication notice, cancel permit #LIR.18558, and 8x10 photos of barroom. Endorse patio.

20. **AVERILL, TYSON, R. –LMC.18** The Cidery at Averill Farm LLC, Washington, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit.

21. **BOWMAN, MICHAEL, P. –LWG.10.P-CW** The Pink Petunia, Cheshire, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit upon receipt of original publication notice.

22. SGOURIS, ATHANASIA –LRW.4952.P-CW

The Original Pappa's Pizza, Stamford, CT

The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit upon receipt of publication notice. Endorse no bar and patio.

23. BINELLI, BRIAN, L. –LIR.18706

Dos Amigos, Bristol, CT

The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit.

24. PAROLVINI US CORP. –LCL.618

Stamford, CT

The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit.

OTHER

25. DISCHELLO DISTRIBUTORS INC. –LIW.516

Orange, CT

The department accepts OIC in the amount of \$120,000.000 to settle allegations of trade practice violations for the period of April 1, 2009 through December 21, 2012. In addition, the permit is suspended for 28 days, such suspension being held in abeyance for 2 years. If during this 2 year period, the department finds that the wholesaler has exchanged in a pattern of illegal trade practices, the 28 day suspension will be imposed at the discretion of the department. 2012-626

26. CONSTELLATUION BRANDS INC. –LSL.520

Canandaigua, NY

The department accepts OIC in the amount of \$3,000.00 to settle allegations of trade practice violation which occurred on or about December 10, 2010. 2012-158

27. ALGIERI, WHITNEY, R.M. –LIP.14905

Madison Wine Shop, Madison, CT

The Commission approves the application for transfer of stock.

28. MAHLIS, HELEN –LRW.3466

Queen Pizza, East Hartford, CT

The Commission approves the application for transfer of interest.

29. ROSCELLO, ANTHONY, JR. –LIC.1973

Torrington Lodge of Elks #372, Torrington, CT

The Commission approved request to waive guestbook requirement for 2/9/13 and 2/23/13.

30. CORMIER, KEVIN, N. –LCA.7450.P-CW

The Russian Lady, New Haven, CT

The Commission approves request for off-site storage of invoices.

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31. **LOPEZ, JAMIE, L. – LIR.15776** La Paella Wine Bar & Restaurant, Norwalk, CT
The Commission approves permit with permanent extension of use.

32. **BAAKE, JENS –LCN.3** Foxwoods Resort Casino, Mashantucket, CT
The Commission accepts offer of \$18,000 to resolve 2012-825, 2012-865, 2012-978,
2012-1164, and 2012-1175.

Adjourned at 9:25 a.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

John Suchy
Director of Liquor Control
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