STATE OF CONNECTICUT

DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER PROTECTION

LIQUOR CONTROL DIVISION

MINUTES

MEETING PLACE: Commission Meeting Room – Room 124

MEETING DATE: March 7, 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

Elisa Nahas, Legal Director

Mary Ellen Gillon, Paralegal Specialist II

Richard Mindek, License and Application Analyst

Cher Donnelly, Secretary

PUBLIC PRESENT:

HEARINGS – Mary Ellen Gillon:

- **1. AGLIO, RUSSELL, W. –LIP.12714** Spirits of Madison, Madison, CT After compliance meeting, the Commission accepts offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 16 days held in abeyance for two years and \$2,000 for incident of April 2009-February 2012. 2012-1449
- **2. DORAN, JUDITH –LIR.15232** Charcoal Chef Restaurant, Woodbury, CT After compliance meeting the Commission accepts offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 3 days and \$750, of which 2 days and \$250 will be held in abeyance for 6 months, for incident of 11/10/12. 2012-1679
- **3. BRENNAN, THERESA, JH. –LIH.1602** Curtis House, Woodbury, CT After compliance meeting, the Commission would accept offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 3 days and \$750, of which 2 days and \$250 will be held in abeyance for 6

months, and furnish photographs of corrected separation within 60 days, for incident of 11/10/12. 2012-1685

- **4. BONAVITA, CARMELA –LIP.14792** Good Life Liquors, New Britain, CT After compliance meeting, the Commission accepts offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 6 days and \$1,700 for incident of 8/22/12. 2012-1211
- **5. ALI, BABAR-LGB.14621** Sam's Food Store, West Hartford, CT After compliance meeting, the Commission accepts offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 3 days and \$750, of which 2 days and \$250 will be held in abeyance for 6 months, for incident of 12/89/12. 2012-1784
- **6. CHANTHAVONG, PHONESAVANH-LRW.4449**Thai Place, Putnam, CT After compliance meeting, the Commission would accept offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 3 days and \$750, of which 2 days and \$250 will be held in abeyance for 6 months, for incident of 11/3/12. 2012-1725
- **7. MATHERS, JOHN –LIH.1730** Madison Beach Hotel, Madison, CT After compliance meeting, the Commission would accept offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of \$250 for incident of 8/30/12. 2012-1418
- **8. CACERES, SANTOS-LCA.7246** Santos Caceres, Elite Night Club, Stamford, CT After compliance meeting, the Commission would accept offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of \$375 for incident of 1/11/12. 2012-1699
- **9. POLANCO, INGRID-LCA.7087** Sangria Bar & Grill, Hartford, CT After compliance meeting, the Commission would accept offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 4 days for incident of 10/24/12. 2012-1605
- **10. FISHMAN, ADAM-LIP.12448** Harvey's Wine & Spirit Shop, West Hartford, CT After compliance meeting, the Commission would accept offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 5 days and \$3,000, of which 2 days would be held in abeyance for 6 months, for incident of 12/8/12. 2012-1857

PROVISIONAL PERMITS

NONE

PROVISIONAL PERMIT EXTENSIONS

- **11. PILLACELA, FAVIAN –LRW.4960.P-CW** Savores Restaurant, Wallingford, CT The Commission approves request to extend provisional permit.
- **12. NYBERG, JAMES, E. –LIR.18760.P-CW** Hash House A Go Go, Uncasville, CT The Commission approves request to extend provisional permit.
- **13. MARTINEZ, ANTONIO, G. –LIR.18739** Lu-Mart'z Bar & Grill, Waterbury, CT The Commission approves request to extend provisional permit.

FINAL PERMITS

- **14. HUBRICH, KAREN, K. –LPC.277** Pequot Yacht Club, Inc., Southport, CT The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit. Endorse one (1) additional consumer bar and extension of use.
- **15. CASSETTA, PAUL, M. –LRW.4951**The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit upon receipt of publication notice, and 8x10 photos (to include completed interior, patio, lockable storage, and restroom doors signs). Endorse no bar and patio.
- **16. MOZZICATO, RINO-LIP.15031** Cheers Wines and Spirits, Plainville, CT The Commission approves removal request from 112 New Britain Ave, Plainville, CT to 125 New Britain Ave, Unit C, Plainville, CT when in receipt of publication notice.

The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit upon receipt of publication notice, bill of sale, and seller's affidavit.

OTHER

- **17. ROSA, RONALD, J. –LIR.15922** Polpo Restaurant, Greenwich, CT The Commission approves the application for transfer of interest.
- **18. SOLTEZ, ANDREW, SR. –LGB.12775**Grade A Market of New Field, Stamford, CT The Commission approves Brian Lamp as substitute permittee.

- **19. TULLY, THOMAS –LGB.13517** Grade A Shoprite of Derby, CT The Commission approves Ghulam Musthafa as substitute permittee.
- **20. SIKORA, CAROL, M. –LIH.1706-C** Doubletree Hotel, Windsor Locks, CT The Commission approves Assaad A. Hallak as substitute permittee.
- **21. LIEBMAN, DAVID –LGB.14343** Trade Joe's, Westport, CT The Commission approves Scott Snyder as substitute permittee.
- **22. TRAN, VINH –LIR.18305** Mizu Japanese Restaurant, New Haven, CT The Commission approves Riri K. Bong as substitute permittee.
- **23. BOTHUR, JUSTIN –LPC.194** The Hartford Club, Hartford, CT The Commission approves James D. Fisher as substitute permittee.
- **24. CINGARI, DOMINICK –LGB.14635** Grade A Shoprite of Fairfield, CT The Commission approves Thomas Tully as substitute permittee
- **25. ROSCELLO, ANTHONY, JR –LIC.1973**Torrington Lodge of Elks #372, Torrington, CT
 The Commission approves request to waive guestbook requirement for 4/21/13, 4/27/13, 6/12/13, 8/17/13, 8/24/13, & 10/19/13.
- **26. GOLDEN, WILLIAM, J. –LIR.16385** Uno Chicago Grill, Milford, CT The Commission reviewed letter notifying the change in President/CEO/ Director. The department will update E-Licensing to reflect this change in office.
- **27. FRANCO, JOHN, F. –LCA.6854** Skrewy Lewy's, North Branford, CT The Commission approves the request for renewal; Zoning had no objections.
- **28. CONNECTICUT DISTRIBUTORS, INC.-LIW.532** STRAFTORD, CT The Commission reviews and approves request from wholesaler to deliver Brancott Sauv BL 750ml to the retail accounts at the February 2013 case price due to delayed supplier container.

The Commission reviews and denies request from wholesaler to deliver Hennessy 200ml product to the retail accounts at the February 2013 case price due to wholesaler error.

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Adjourned at 9:20 a.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

John Suchy Director of Liquor Control cd