## STATE OF CONNECTICUT

#### DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER PROTECTION

# LIQUOR CONTROL DIVISION

# **MINUTES**

MEETING PLACE: Commission Meeting Room – Room 124

MEETING DATE: December 27, 2016 – 8:30 a.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Angelo J. Faenza, Liquor Control Commissioner

STAFF PRESENT: John Suchy, Director, Liquor Control

Caitlin Anderson, Staff Attorney "Designated Signatory"

Marion Slater, Paralegal Specialist

Mary Riddick, Secretary 2

PUBLIC PRESENT: None

#### APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

1. The Commission approves the minutes of December 22, 2016.

#### **HEARINGS**:

1. **Prakunj Patel - LGB.13547** Westville Quality Market, New Haven, CT Remove from hearings; Prior to compliance meeting, the matter was settled by permittee agreeing to an offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of a three (3) day suspension and \$1,700.00 for an incident of September 19, 2016. 2016-403

## PROVISIONAL PERMITS:

1. MICELI, PATRICK R. – LIT.1866

Bob Ramen, Hartford, CT

The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional liquor permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement for provisional. Additional requirements: 8x10 photo of the exterior of the premises taken from a position directly across the street or highway showing the trade name sign and 8x10 photos of the completed entire furnished interior.

The Commission approves the request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while operating with provisional liquor permit. Endorse service bar.

## **FINAL PERMITS:**

- 2. **SHERIDAN, ROBERT H. LRW.5244** Palmieri's Slice Shop, Niantic, CT The Commission approves the issuance of the final liquor permit upon receipt of completed publication notice and final permit to be issued after February 3, 2017. Endorse service bar.
- **3. SUN, XIANGKUN LRW.5283** Blue Gingerasian Fusion, Stamford, CT The Commission approves the issuance of the final liquor permit. Endorse service bar.
- 4. **CORDON, CRAIG LCA.7871** The Office, Oxford,CT The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit when in receipt of corrected backer's financial statement which is missing the printed representative name of the backer, date, and title. Financial statement needs to reconcile difference between Section A (Costs) and Section B (Source of Funds). Commission requires proof of assignment of lease to Tomas, LLC.
- 5. **MODHWADIA, KALPANA N. LGB.15214** Jay Shree Krashna, Waterbury, CT Assigned to Hearing, Section 30-20(b) Definition of Grocery Store.
- 6. **TOMAJ, ALFRED LIR.19540** Milano, Bridgeford, CT The Commission approves the issuance of the final liquor permit upon receipt of final publication notice after replacarding, executed copy of LLC Operating Agreement and 8x10 photo of lockable storage area. Endorse interior access.
- 7. **LACONTE, LAWRENCE J., JR. LIR.19541** Beach House Grill, Stratford, CT The Commission approves the issuance of the final liquor permit upon receipt of sales and use tax for Beach House Grille and Clammy Cousins, LLC; 8x10 photo of lockable storage room in office and proof of amended articles filed with the Secretary of the State showing member name as John O. Vazzano. Endorse interior access.
- 8. **MAGRIPLIS, DIMITRIOS LIR.19546** Cheshire Pizza & Ale, Cheshire, CT The Commission approves the issuance of the final liquor permit upon receipt of 8X10 photos of completed interior showing, barroom, dining room kitchen, and posted permittee name sign.
- 9. **JIMENEZ-HEREDIA, PABLO G. LIR 19558** Ingapirca Restaurant, Waterbury, CT The Commission approves the issuance of the final liquor permit upon receipt of final completed publication notice and amend page two Sec. E of application to include Pablo Jimenez-Heredia as LLC member.

## 10. MARTONE, EDUARDO – LIR.19610

Castello of Niantic Italian Restaurant & Pizza, Niantic, CT The Commission approves the issuance of the final liquor permit upon receipt \$350.00 fee, completed publication notice, 8x10 photos of the entire interior, including dining room, patio, and service bar. Final permit may be issued after January 5, 2017. Endorse service bar and patio.

## PROVISIONAL PERMIT EXTENSIONS:

## 11. LARUSSO, MICHAEL J. – LCA.7841

The Plate, Milford, CT

The Commission approves the request to extend the provisional liquor permit.

#### OTHER:

#### 12. **PEASE, MICHAEL A. – LIR.19294**

Del Frisco's Grille of CT, LLC, Stamford, CT

The Commission accepts the notification of an officer change, where

Mr. Norman J. Abdullah has been named as President of Del Grisco's Grille of Connecticut, LLC and Chief Executive Officer of Del Frisco's Restaruant Group, effective as of November 21, 2016.

| 13. PEASE, MICHAEL A. – LIR.16814 – Enfield | LIR.16954 -Torrington     |
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| LIR. 16610 – Stratford                      | LIR.16334 – Glastonbury   |
| LIR. 19289 – Wallingford                    | LIR.15338 - Bristol       |
| LIR.14126 - Vernon                          | LIR.16475 - Cromwell      |
| LIR.17838 – Dayville                        | LIR.16902 - Norwich       |
| LIR.19499 – Danbury                         | <b>LIR.16757 – Groton</b> |

99 Restaurant, Connecticut

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Mr. Charles O. Noyes has been named Presdient of 99 Restuarants and Mr. Greg Hayes has been named Chief Administrative Officer and Treasurer of ABRH, LLC and Fidelity Newport Holdings, LLC, as of November 8, 2016.

Adjourned 8:49 a.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

John Suchy Director, Liquor Control Liquor Control Minutes December 27, 2016 Page 4 of 4

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