STATE OF CONNECTICUT

DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER PROTECTION

LIQUOR CONTROL DIVISION

MINUTES

MEETING PLACE: Commission Meeting Room – Room B

MEETING DATE: October 30, 2018 8:30 a.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT: David Scribner, Liquor Control Commissioner

STAFF PRESENT: John Suchy, Director, Liquor Control

Caitlin Anderson, Staff Attorney and Designated Signatory Richard Mindek, Licensing and Applications Analyst

Mary Riddick, Secretary 2

PUBLIC PRESENT: Robert Shea, arrived 8:42

APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

The Commission approves the minutes of October 25, 2018.

PROVISIONALS:

1. **YOUNGER, NATAYSHAD D. – LCA.8081** Vision Bar, Bridgeport, CT The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional liquor permit upon receipt of copy of CT sales and use tax permit. Additional requirements: Copy of menu, staff and equipment lists, proof of active filing of your backer entity with the CT Secretary of State.

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store.

2. **RIVERA, BENNY A. – LCA.8083**

Provisional Permit Agreement form.

BLVD Karaoke, Bridgeport, CT The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional liquor permit upon receipt of 8x10 photo of the exterior taken from a position directly across the street or highway showing trade name sign and 8x10 photos of the completed and fully furnished interior. Additional requirements: Backer to complete Section G #32 and finish completing the

3. **FERNANDEZ, JUAN I. – LGB.15396** First Ave Delimart, West Haven, CT No action taken. Assigned to agent. Questions as to whether this is a bonafide grocery

4. **SUPPA, JOSEPH – LIP.15636**

Derby Discount Liquor, Derby, CT

The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional liquor permit upon receipt of cancelation of permit # LIP.14615, bill of sale and seller's affidavit.

5. **PARIKH, FALGUNI G. – LIP.15672**

Co-op Liquor, New Haven, CT

The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional liquor permit upon receipt of cancelation of permit # LIP.13685, bill of sale, seller's affidavit and executed copy of lease or right to occupy. The Commission approves the request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while the premises operates with a provisional liquor permit.

6. ANNUNZIATA, JOSEPH R. – LIP.15673

The Grapevine at King's Corner, Westport, CT

The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional liquor permit upon receipt of \$500.00 fee, cancelation of permit # LIP.14292, bill of sale, seller's affidavit, 8x10 photo of the exterior taken from a position directly across the street or highway showing trade name sign and 8x10 photos of the completed and fully furnished interior including coolers, cash register and shelving.

7. ARBOLEDA, CESAR A. – LIR.20000

Ibiza Restaurant, Hamden, CT

The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional liquor permit upon receipt of \$500.00 fee, cancelation of permit # LCA.7090, bill of sale and seller's affidavit. Additional requirements: Backer to complete Section G, #32 and re-completed backer's Financial Statement form.

8. MCDONALD, JAMES C. – LIR.20014

Bear's Smokehouse, New Haven, CT

The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional liquor permit upon receipt of 8x10 photo of the exterior taken from a position directly across the street or highway showing trade name sign and 8x10 photos of the completed and fully furnished interior. The Commission approves the request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while the premises operates with a provisional liquor permit. Endorse additional consumer bar (1) and patio.

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FINALS:

- 9. **KLEIN, EVAN LSB.1006** Barrier Brewing Company LLC, Oceanside, NY The Commission approves the issuance of final permit.
- 10. **ZHAN, QIANG LSW.1339**

Dongyi International LLC, Calistoga, CA The Commission approves the issuance of final permit.

11. **PRICCO, ALAN – LSL.1817** Grape Expectations, Inc., Richmond, CA The Commission approves the issuance of final permit.

12. MCGIVERN, MATTHEW J. - LIT.1904

Spark VR, Vernon, CT

The Commission approves the issuance of final permit upon receipt of 8x10 photos of the entire completed interior of the tavern to include barroom, lounge/entertainment area and lockable storage and final fire marshal approval.

13. HAILEGIORGIES, ETSEGENET T. – LRW.5432.P

Walia Ethiopian Restaurant, Manchester, CT The Commission approves the issuance of final permit. Endorse service bar only.

- 14. **RIOS, EDWIN LRW.5437** La Bodega Del Mofongo, Bridgeport, CT The Commission approves the issuance of final permit upon receipt of 8x10 photos of the entire completed interior of the dining room with service bar showing removal of chairs, lockable storage room, patio, rear dining area behind the service bar room. Endorse service bar only and patio.
- 15. **CARRILLO, ROBERTO A. LCA.8022** Antojitos Latinos, Bridgeport, CT The Commission approves the issuance of final permit.
- 16. **FROMERTH, AMANDA K. LCA.8076.P-CW**Brizo, Rocky Hill, CT
 The Commission approves the issuance of final permit upon receipt of publication notice, assignment of lease to the backer, bill of sale, seller's affidavit, 8x10 photo of the exterior taken from a position directly across the street or highway showing trade name sign and withdrawal of Francis Delmastro from LLC as manager.
- 17. **NASHER, TAWFIQ A. LGB.15350** Imart, Milford, CT The Commission approves the issuance of final permit upon receipt of publication notice, and 8x10 photo of lockable storage area in current store room.
- 18. **RAGAINI, RAYMOND P. LIR.19892.P-CW** Fireside Grill, Orange, CT The Commission approves the issuance of final permit.

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19. **ANAND, PRATIBA – LIR.19924.P-CW**

The Naan, Westport, CT

The Commission approves the issuance of final permit upon receipt of final publication. Endorse service bar only.

TRANSFER OF STOCK/INTEREST:

20. SUGRUE, DAVID J. – LCT.21

Port N Starboard, New London, CT

Jack will give wording.

21. LEBARRON, ROBERT G. – LCC.44

The Bridgeport Arena, Bridgeport, CT

Jack will give wording.

The Commission accepts Robert Glywn LeBarron as substitute permittee.

22. **LEBARRON, ROBERT G. – LCM.46** The Bridgeport Arena, Bridgeport, CT Jack will give wording.

The Commission accepts Robert Glywn LeBarron as substitute permittee.

23. **GNAZZO, KEITH W. – LGB.12495**

Gnazzo Food Center, Plainville, CT

The Commission approves Kenneth W. Gnazzo retaining 82 shares, Kaye L. Gnazzo retaining 82 shares and Keith W. Gnazzo acquiring 836 shares.

SUBSTITUTE PERMITTEES:

24. **YOUNG, ROBERT J. – LIC.1705** Lee Hartell Chapter 25 DAV, Danbury, CT The Commission approves Robert John Young as substitute permittee.

25. GRACZYK, NICHOLAS E. – LIC.1969

The Hartford Golf Club, West Hartford, CT

The Commission approves Nicholas E. Graczyk as substitute permittee.

26. SCHREYER, CYNTHIA – LGB.14342 Trader Joe's, West Hartford, CT

The Commission approves Cynthia Schreyer as substitute permittee.

27. PENNISON, THOMAS J., JR. – LIR.18131

On The Border Mexican Grill & Cantina, Orange, CT

The Commission approves Thomas J. Pennison, Jr. as substitute permittee.

28. **PENNISON, THOMAS J., JR. – LIR.18141**

On The Border Mexican Grill & Cantina, Rocky Hill, CT

The Commission approves Thomas J. Pennison, Jr. as substitute permittee.

29. **CHIN, HELEN – LIR.19600** Oriental Bar & Grill Restaurant, Uncasville, CT

The Commission approves Helen Chin as substitute permittee.

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OTHER:

30. JEFFREY KOLESSAR – LIH.1900.P-CW-B

Farmington Marriott, Farmington, CT The Commission approves the request to extend provisional permit.

- 31. **HOBERT, GARY J. LCA.7938** Friar Tuck's Tavern, Mystic, CT The Commission approves the request to move to 12E Water St., Mystic, upon receipt of stipulated agreement for removal and executed copy for the proposed location at 12E Water St., Mystic, CT.
- 32. **PATEL, SNEHALKUMAR R. LIP.15643.P** Howe Liquor Mart, Shelton, CT The Commission approves the request to extend provisional permit.

Adjourned 9:16 a.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

John Suchy, Director, Liquor Control Division mer