

STATE OF CONNECTICUT
DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER PROTECTION
LIQUOR CONTROL DIVISION
MINUTES

MEETING PLACE: Commission Meeting Room – Conference Room 9-B

MEETING DATE: April 9, 2019 8:30 a.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT: David Scribner, Commissioner, Liquor Control Commission

STAFF PRESENT: John Suchy, Director, Liquor Control Division
Caitlin Anderson, Staff Attorney and Designated Signatory
Richard Mindek, Licensing and Applications Analyst

PUBLIC PRESENT: None

APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

The Commission approves the minutes of April 4, 2019.

PROVISIONALS:

1. **LEININGER, STEVEN – LIR.20141** Backcountry Bar & Barbecue, Greenwich, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional permit upon receipt of 8x10 photo of the exterior of the premises taken from a position directly across the street or highway showing the trade name sign. The Commission approves the request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while the premises operates with a provisional liquor permit. Endorse (1) ACB and Patio.
2. **RYAN, JOSEPH – LIR.20130** Ryan's Place, Canterbury, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional permit upon receipt of \$500 fee, and copy of bill of sale. Endorse Service Bar only.

3. **HARDISTY, MATTHEW – LCA.8123** The Harp, Willimantic, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional permit upon receipt of cancel permit# LIT 1810. The Commission approves the request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while the premises operates with a provisional liquor permit.
4. **MATOS, ANYELINA – LRW.5492** Isla Restaurant, Bridgeport, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional permit upon receipt of bill of sale, seller's affidavit, 8x10 photos of the completed and fully furnished interior, and the staffing and equipment lists. The Commission approves the request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while the premises operates with a provisional liquor permit.
5. **DEJARDIN, ANTHONY SR. – LCA.8140** Bradford's, Stamford, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional permit upon receipt of \$500 fee, cancel permit# LIR 16903, copy of CT sales and use tax permit, 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 and fully furnished interior. The Commission approves the request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while the premises operates with a provisional liquor permit. Endorse Patio.
6. **BARON, NESTOR – LIP.15706** Nestor's Package Store, Bristol, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional permit upon receipt of cancel permit# LIP 13432, bill of sale, seller's affidavit, 8x10 photo of the exterior of the premises taken from a position directly across the street or highway showing the trade name sign. The Commission approves the request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while the premises operates with a provisional liquor permit.
7. **TAVERAS, YAMIL – LGB.15426** Marqueta La Casa De La Carne, Stamford, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional permit upon receipt of the \$500 fee. The Commission approves the request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while the premises operates with a provisional liquor permit.
8. **CUEVES, GLORIVITTE CORTES – LIR.20119** Come Aqui Restaurant & Bar, Hartford, CT
The Commission take no action on the request for the provisional permit. There is a question as to a possible ownership issue, and whether the square footage is adequate, along with the minimum seating required by statute. The file has been assigned to an agent for follow up investigation.
9. **CAPONE, MICHAEL – LCA.8144** Capone's Pizza Bar, Branford, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional permit upon receipt of 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 and fully furnished interior. The Commission approves the request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while the premises operates with a provisional liquor permit.

10. **TUCKER, JIMMY – LCA.8139** F.T. Mango'z Bar, Bridgeport, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional permit upon receipt of bill of sale, abandonment affidavit (correctly executed), executed copy of the lease in the name of the backer entity LLC, and copy of CT sales and use tax permit.
11. **HECHENG, CHEN – LIR.20129** Chosen 1 Cajun Seafood, Hartford, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional permit upon receipt of the abandonment affidavit. The Commission approves the request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while the premises operates with a provisional liquor permit. Endorse Patio.
12. **VELAZQUEZ, MAXIMILIANO – LIR.20122** Guacamole's Mexican Cuisine, Milford, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional permit upon receipt of \$500 fee, abandonment affidavit, executed copy of the lease or right to occupy, 8x10 photo of the exterior of the premises taken from a position directly across the street or highway showing the trade name sign, 8x10 photos of the completed and fully furnished interior, final fire marshal approval, and a copy of a more detailed sketch with labels, dimensions, and measurements. The Commission approves the request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while the premises operates with a provisional liquor permit.
13. **ZUNIGA, EUGENIA – LIR.20132** Public Pizza & Pasta, Bethel, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional permit upon receipt of \$500 fee, and abandonment affidavit. The Commission approves the request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while the premises operates with a provisional liquor permit.
14. **PAGANI, ANA – LGB.15425** Shippan Corner Variety, Stamford, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional permit upon receipt of \$500 fee and seller's affidavit. The Commission approves the request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while the premises operates with a provisional liquor permit.
15. **AUGUSTINO, NICHOLAS – LRW.5488** Clam Box, New Britain, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional permit upon receipt of \$500 fee and bill of sale. The Commission approves the request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while the premises operates with a provisional liquor permit. Endorse Service Bar only and Patio.
16. **RIVERA, RUSSELL – LCA.8141** JR's Place, West Haven, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional permit upon receipt of the abandonment affidavit (correctly notarized), copy of CT sales and use tax permit, 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 and fully furnished interior. The Commission approves the request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while the premises operates with a provisional liquor permit. Endorse Patio.

17. **MOUTOUDIS, IOANNIS – LIR.20131** Grill 445, Brooklyn, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional permit upon receipt of 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 and fully furnished interior. The Commission approves the request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while the premises operates with a provisional liquor permit.
18. **GABUCCI, ROSE – LIR.20136** Surf and Turf Grill, Westbrook, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional permit upon receipt of \$500 fee, and abandonment affidavit. The Commission approves the request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while the premises operates with a provisional liquor permit. Endorse Patio.
19. **KANABIS, ANGELA – LIR.20135** Bravo Bravo, Mystic, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional permit upon receipt of \$500 fee, copy of CT sales and use tax permit, 8x10 photo of the exterior of the premises taken from a position directly across the street or highway showing the trade name sign, 8x10 photos of the completed and fully furnished interior, final fire marshal approval, and proof of an active filing for 2019 from the CT Secretary of State's office for the backer entity. The Commission approves the request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while the premises operates with a provisional liquor permit.
20. **ROSENBAUM, ADAM – LIR.20120** The Meatball Shop, Westport, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional permit upon receipt of \$400 fee, abandonment affidavit, 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 and fully furnished interior. The Commission approves the request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while the premises operates with a provisional liquor permit. Endorse Patio.
21. **VINITH, KEOLA – LIR.20113** 50 West, Plainville, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional permit upon receipt of cancel permit# LIR 18633, bill of sale, and seller's affidavit. The Commission approves the request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while the premises operates with a provisional liquor permit.

FINALS:

22. **RAGAINI, RAYMOND – LCT.654** Bridge House, Milford, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit. No requirements.
23. **KIM, SUN Y. – LRW.5456.P-CW** BBQ Chicken, New Haven, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit once in receipt of 8x10 photo of the lockable storage area. Endorse Service Bar only.

24. **ROONEY, JAMES – LIR.19967.P-CW** Taco Bell, New Haven, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit. No requirements. Endorse No Bar.

PROVISIONAL PERMIT EXTENSIONS:

25. **PENA, ANTHONY – LIR.20081.P-CW** La Cocina Restaurant, Norwalk, CT
The Commission approves the extension of the provisional permit for an additional 90 days.
26. **SWEET, BRANDON – LIH.1903.P-CW-B** Two Trees Inn, Ledyard, CT
The Commission approves the extension of the provisional permit for an additional 90 days.
27. **ALMONTE, OSIRIS – LGB.15411.P-CW** Papi's Store 2, Bridgeport, CT
The Commission approves the extension of the provisional permit for an additional 90 days.

OTHER:

28. **TREMAGLIO, LEONARD – LCA.8080** Lenny's Café, Wallingford, CT
The Commission approves Todd L. Tremaglio as substitute permittee.
29. **RAITSES, OR – LGB.14905** Newington Local Market, Newington, CT
The Commission approves Aviv Raitses as substitute permittee. The Commission also approves the corporate structure change of the backer entity to now reflect Newington Local Market, Inc.
30. **BRODIN, ADAM – LIP.13710** Villa Spirits Shoppe, Storrs, CT
The Commission approves the transfer of interest in the backer entity "Villa Spirits Shoppe LLC" to now reflect Adam Brodin as a 90% member and Ann Brodin as a 10% member.
31. **HARPALDAS, ANKIT – LIR.20047** Sherkahn, New Haven, CT
The Commission approves to endorse the permit with a permanent patio endorsement.
32. **RANDHAWA, HARINDER – LIP.14512** All Star Wine & Spirits, Manchester, CT
The Commission approves the removal on stipulation due to hardship to 200 West Center St, Building D, Manchester, once in receipt of copy of the sales and use tax permit, 8x10 photo of the exterior of the premises taken from a position directly across the street or highway showing trade name sign, and 8x10 photos of the completed interior to show the coolers, cash register and shelving.

33. **PATEL, VAISHALIBEN – LIP.15150** One Stop Liquor, Wallingford, CT
The Commission approves the removal on stipulation due to hardship to 1056 South Colony Rd., Wallingford, once in receipt of copy of the sales and use tax permit, 8x10 photo of the exterior of the premises taken from a position directly across the street or highway showing trade name sign, and 8x10 photos of the completed interior to show the coolers, cash register and shelving.

Meeting Adjourned at 9.21 a.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

John Suchy, Director, Liquor Control Division
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