

STATE OF CONNECTICUT
DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER PROTECTION
LIQUOR CONTROL DIVISION

MINUTES

MEETING PLACE: Commission Meeting Room – Room 124

MEETING DATE: April 29, 2014 – 8:30 a.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Angelo J. Faenza, Liquor Control Commissioner
Stephen R. Somma, Liquor Control Commissioner

STAFF PRESENT: Elisa Nahas, Legal Director
John Suchy, Director of Liquor Control
Mary Ellen Gillon, Paralegal Specialist II
Richard Mindek, License and Applications Analyst
Robin Washbond, Administrative Assistant

PUBLIC PRESENT: None

HEARINGS – Mary Ellen Gillon:

1. **THOMAS, JOHANNY – LGB.14853** Bombom Mini Market, Meriden, CT
Commission accepts an offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 3 days and \$900.00 for incident of 3/8/14. 2014-244
2. **LUCIBELLI, JONATHAN – LCA.6829** Exhibit X, New Haven, CT
After compliance meeting, Commission accepts an offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 6 days and \$3,000.00, of which 3 days and \$1,500.00 for incidents of 12/20/13, 9/5/13, 9/15/13, and 9/19/13. 2013-1098, 2013-1532, 2013-1253, 2013-1254

PROVISIONAL PERMITS:

3. **LONGLEY, MICHAEL J – LIR.19022** The Regal Beagle, New Haven, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement for provisional, \$500.00 fee, copy of CT sales and use tax permit, final Fire Marshal approval, 8x10 photo of exterior trade name sign and 8x10 photos of entire completed interior. The Commission approves request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while operating with provisional permit.
4. **MOLNAR, TIBOR B – LIP.15166** Howe Liquor Mart, Shelton, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement for provisional, \$500.00 fee, cancel permit #LIP.14926, bill of sale, seller's affidavit, copy of CT sales and use tax permit and 8x10 photos of interior including coolers, cash register and shelving. The Commission approves request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while operating with provisional permit.

PROVISIONAL PERMIT EXTENSIONS

None

FINAL PERMITS

5. **BONILLA, PABLO – LGB.14927** Cherry Market, Naugatuck, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit. No requirements.
6. **ALAS, MARIO A – LGB.14954.P-CW** A & L Mini Market, Bridgeport, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit when in receipt of publication notice and 8x10 photo of lockable storage in basement.
7. **AGOR, JOHN A – LIP.15154** The Barn, Somers, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit when in receipt of cancelled permit #LIP.13646, copy of bill of sale and seller's affidavit.
8. **ISMAILI, AGIM – LIR.18935.P-CW** Mazzo, Danbury, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit when in receipt of CT sales and use tax permit.
9. **GALE, GREGORY J – LIR.18976** Tavern at the Meadows, Ellington, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit when in receipt of publication notice. Endorse patio and interior access.

10. **HOLMES – HANNON, LINDA – LIH.1833.P-CW-C**
Homewood Suites by Hilton Stratford, Stratford, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit when in receipt of publication notice. Endorse extension of use.
11. **THE GAINEY VINEYARD – LSW.884** Paso Robles, CA
The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit.
12. **VIGNETTE WINERY LLC – LSL.1509** Sonoma, CA
The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit.
13. **RADENGRP LLC – LSL.1510** Big Sky, MT
The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit.
14. **HOOD RIVER DISTILLERS INC – LSL.1512** Hood River, OR
The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit.
15. **COPPER CANE LLC – LSW.874** Paso Robles, CA
The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit.
16. **PORTER CREEK VINEYARDS LLC – LSW.875** Healdsburg, CA
The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit.
17. **DIAGEO CHATEAU & ESTATE WINES COMPANY – LSW.882** Paicines, CA
The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit.
18. **MADERA, MANUEL A – LCA.7559.P-CW** Rosa's Café, Hartford, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit when in receipt of publication notice.
19. **FURNARI, ROBERTO – LCA.7592** Tazza Osteria & Bar, Fairfield, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit when in receipt of CT sales and use tax permit, 8x10 photos of completed interior including kitchen, lockable storage, dining room and bar room, 8x10 photos of exterior trade name and patio, and copy of bill of sale. Endorse patio.
20. **MILLER, MICHAEL CHARLES – LCA.7594** Hop Haus, Plantsville, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit. Endorse patio.

OTHER

21. **BALIN, JENNIFER – LIR.17968** Sugar & Olives, Norwalk, CT
The Commission approves request for permanent extension of use.

22. **SNARSKI, RAYMOND – LIP.12571** Snarskis Liquors, Salem, CT
The Commission approves request to remove on stipulation to 468 Old Colchester Rd., Salem, CT, upon receipt of publication notice and 8x10 photos of salesroom, cooler and cash register.
23. **COCHACHI, VILMA A – LRW.4897** Taste of Brasi, Norwalk, CT
The Commission approves request for patio for April 2014 through October 31, 2014.
24. **RANCOURT, PATRICIA – LCA.5708** Pappys, East Hartford, CT
The Commission approves request for patio for June 14, 2014 and June 21, 2014.
25. **ANGEL, HECTOR – LIR.18917** Plaza Azteca Mexican Restaurant, Enfield, CT
The Commission approves request for extension of use for May 5, 2014.
26. **SCHERBAN, THOMAS J – LCA.7366** J R's Café, East Windsor, CT
The Commission approves the renewal of the liquor permit.
27. **IASPARRA, CYNTHIA – LPC.205** Wallingford Rod & Gun Club, Wallingford, CT
The Commission approves request to waive guestbook requirement for May 16, 2014, June 13, 2014, July 26, 2014, and September 14, 2014.
28. **FARONE, DENNIS C – LPC.164** Westbrook Elks #1784, Westbrook, CT
The Commission approves request to waive guestbook requirement for May 11, 2014.
29. **HORGAN, SEAN WILLIAM – LIC.1827** Swedish Singing Society, Bridgeport, CT
The Commission approves request to waive guestbook requirement for May 18, 2014.
30. **POND, RICHARD C – LIR.17851** Taqueria Tavern, West Hartford, CT
The Commission approves transfer of interest of Taqueria Tavern LLC to John Butler (100%) when in receipt of copy of Secretary of State filing showing change.

Adjourned at 9:05 a.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

John Suchy
Director of Liquor Control
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