#### DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER PROTECTION

#### LIQUOR CONTROL DIVISION

## **MINUTES**

MEETING PLACE: Commission Meeting Room - Room 124

MEETING DATE: October 21, 2010 – 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 Counsel

Mary Ellen Gillon, Paralegal Specialist 2

Douglas Deveny, Secretary

## <u>HEARINGS – Mary Ellen Gillon:</u>

- 1. VASQUEZ, JOSE M. LGB.13329 Stamford Mini Mart, Stamford, CT Commission accepts offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 3 days and \$750 for incident of 1/30/10. 2010-134
- ALSAMRIN, TONI LGB.12090 K&H Food Stop, Bridgeport, CT Commission grants Attorney Leo's request for continuance of compliance meeting. 2010-151
- 3. MALICK, YASMIN LGB.13929 JZ's Grocery & Deli, Bridgeport, CT Commission grants Kahlid Malick's request for continuance of compliance meeting. 2010-606
- 4. **FARRAH, ROMMERRO H. LIR.17459** Alchemy, New Haven, CT After compliance meeting, Commission takes no further action on alleged violation of Sec. 30-6-A24(a) for incident of 2/1/09 (Case 2010-350). Commission rejects offer of 3 days, \$2,250 and 6-9 month moratorium on restaurant issue. Commission requests formal hearing on all charges. 2009-5827, 2010-173, 2009-3346, 2009-5688, 2009-2852, 2009-5845

## 5. **BRITO, JUAN E. - LGB.13880**

Brito Grocery Hartford, CT

After compliance meeting, commission requests that Liquor Division notify appropriate Hartford authorities concerning basement apartment. Commission would accept offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 6 months suspension for incidents of 7/2/09 and 10/23/09. 2009-5454, 2009-5718

#### 6. **DEROCCO, NORINE - LIR.14258**

Goldroc Diner, West Hartford, CT

After compliance meeting, Commission would accept offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 3 days and \$750, 2 days and \$375 of which would be held in abeyance for 6 months, for incident of 1/7/10. 2010-14

# 7. MARQUES, JOSEPH L. - LIR.14874

Torreira Restaurant Beacon Falls, CT

After compliance meeting, commission takes no further action on Sec. 30-6-B29; per Agent Gagne's 10/13/10 report, separation issue has been rectified. Commission would accept offer in compromise of revocation of permit on 12/6/10 or formal hearing for incidents of 8/4/09, 3/24/10, 5/22/10 and 8/3/10. 2010-525

#### 8. **ZOGRAFIDES, GUS - LCA.6769**

Enigma Café-Lounge, Norwalk, CT

At continued formal hearing, commission accepted permit for voluntary suspension; permit to be canceled upon issuance of new permit; and permit not to be removed from voluntary suspension 2010-334, 2010-80

## **PROVISIONAL PERMITS:**

9. **TEK, SODEN – LIR.18220** 

The Blue Elephant Trail, West Hartford, CT

Commission approves to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, bill of sale, staffing and equipment lists, proof by photo of effective separation of barroom from dining room at rear and front foyer (subject to agents review upon site inspection), abandonment affidavit. Commission approved request to waive COD requirement for provisional permit.

## 10. GARDNER, ROBERT W. – LIP.14770

Nutmeg Fine Wines & Spirits LLC, Waterbury, CT Commission approves to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee, cancel permit LIP.14419, bill of sale, seller's affidavit, copy of CT sales and use tax, complete application (sections E, F & G). Commission approved request to waive COD requirement for provisional permit.

## 11. TOSCANO, CARLOS – LIR.18232

Tuscano's, Newtown, CT

Commission approves to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee, re-sign and re-notarize publication notice.

- 12. **CLARO, NORBERTO S. LIP.14743** Park City Downtown LLC, Bridgeport, CT Commission approves to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee, sales tax verification, 8x10 photos of exterior and renovated interior, proof of filings for LLC. Commission approved request to waive COD requirement for provisional permit.
- 13. **FAHY, PATRICK J. LIR.18216** Hillstone Eatery, Stratford, CT Commission approves to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee, health certificate, sales tax verification, 8x10 photos of exterior and entire interior, menu. Commission approved request to waive COD requirement for provisional permit.
- 14. **MERCURIO, PHYLLIS R. LIR.18227** Round Robin of Milford, Milford, CT Commission approves to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, health certificate, completed patio application, 8x10 photos of exterior and interior after construction is completed. Endorse patio. Commission approved request to waive COD requirement for provisional permit.

# PROVISIONAL PERMIT EXTENSIONS:

- 15. **LEE, NAM H. LIR.18176.P.CW** Abis Japanese Restaurant, Greenwich, CT Commission approved to extend provisional permit.
- 16. GIAPOUTZIS, THEODORE LRW.4743.P.CW

New Canaan Diner, New Canaan, CT Commission approved to extend provisional permit.

## **FINAL PERMITS:**

- 17. **DELSON, INGRID LIR.18038.P.CW** Versailles Patisserie, Greenwich, CT Commission approves to issue final permit upon receipt of copy of CT sales and use tax permit and completed patio application. Endorse service bar only and patio.
- 18. ESPOSITO, RONALD J. LGB.14508.P.CW

Stop & Shop Supermarket, Darien, CT Commission approves to issue final permit upon receipt of copy of CT sales and use tax permit and publication notice.

19. **PAGAN, JESUS M. – LGB.14468**Commission approves to issue final permit when in receipt of copy of CT sales and use tax permit.

NOTE: Permit must be issued by 10/27/10.

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#### 20. W J DEUTSCH SPIRITS LLC – LSL.1269

Greenwich, CT

Commission approves to issue final permit when in receipt of zoning approval, FEIN, proof of lockable storage within business address.

21. **CIPULLY, AUGUST – LCA.7207.P.CW** KT Baxter's, Wallingford, CT

Commission approves to issue final permit upon receipt of publication notice. Endorse patio.

#### 22. MACLEAN, WILLIAM E. – LCA.7221

Star Hill Family Athletic Center, Tolland, CT Commission approves to issue final permit upon receipt of 8x10 photos of the 3 party rooms and exterior of premises. Endorse patio and interior access.

23. WANG, QIU - LIR.18072

Pacific Asian, Newtown, CT

Commission approves to issue final permit upon receipt of 8x10 photos (of completed dining rooms #1 & #2, hibachi area, kitchen and patio), disclaimer statement from Ying Guan Chen. Endorse patio and off-site storage.

24. **GOLUB, DAVID – LGB.14527.P.CW** Price Chopper #232, Middletown, CT Commission approves to issue final permit when in receipt of copy of CT sales and use tax permit.

#### OTHER:

25. **RAGAINI, RAYMOND – LIR.17689** Keys to the City, New Haven, CT Commission endorses permit with permanent additional consumer bar. NOTE: This is the 2<sup>nd</sup> ABC.

## 26. EAZARSKY, ROBERT C. – LIC.2078

Fraternal Order of Eagles 640, Naugatuck, CT Commission approves request for renewal.

Adjourned at 9:18 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

John Suchy Director of Liquor Control dd