

STATE OF CONNECTICUT
DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER PROTECTION
LIQUOR CONTROL DIVISION

MINUTES

MEETING PLACE: Commission Meeting Room – Room B

MEETING DATE: July 6, 2017 – 8:30 a.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Angelo J. Faenza, Liquor Control Commissioner

STAFF PRESENT: Robert Willard, Supervisor, Liquor Control
Caitlin Anderson, Staff Attorney and Designated Signatory
Richard Mindek, License and Applications Analyst
Mary Riddick, Secretary 2

PUBLIC PRESENT: None

APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

The Commission approves the minutes of June 29, 2017.

HEARINGS:

1. **GRANT, WILLIAM - LIR.16043** Grant's, West Hartford, CT
Remove from hearings. Prior to compliance meeting, the matter was settled by permittee agreeing to an offer in compromise in lieu of hearing. They will accept a \$500 fine and 1 day suspension on 8/14/17 for a March 31, 2017 incident involving a sale to minor and a minor in barroom violations.

PROVISIONALS:

1. **CHATZOPOULOS, GEORGE D. – LRW.5340** Chip's Family Restaurant, Wethersfield, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional liquor permit in receipt of \$500.00 fee. Endorse service bar only.

2. **PATEL, SAMIR – LIP.14968**

Orange Center Wine & Spirits, Orange, CT

The Commission approves the request to move on stipulation to 116 Boston Post Road, Orange, CT upon receipt of stipulated agreement for removal, executed copy of lease or right to occupy signed by both parties.

3. **EROS, CARTER – LGB.15270**

Hawkins Corner, Derby, CT

No action taken, assigned to agent.

4. **TAIBE, JEFFREY A. – LIR.19686**

Taproot, Bethel, CT

The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional liquor permit upon receipt of \$500.00 fee, abandonment affidavit, 8 x 10 photo of the exterior taken from a position directly across the street or highway showing trade name sign and 8x10 photos of the entire interior. The Commission approves the request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while the premises operates with a provisional liquor permit.

5. **THOMPSON, SENKA – LIR.19729**

Thompson's, New Milford, CT

The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional liquor permit upon receipt of \$500.00 fee, cancellation of permit #LIR.19360, bill of sale and seller's affidavit. Additional requirement: completed Provisional Permit Agreement form. The Commission approves the request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while the premises operates with a provisional liquor permit.

FINALS:

6. **STAEHLY, CHRISTOPHER E. – LMC.23**

Stahly Farm Winery, East Haddam, CT

The Commission approves the issuance of final permit upon receipt of 8 x 10 photo of the exterior taken from a position directly across the street or highway showing trade name sign and 8x10 photos of the manufacturing area showing manufacturing equipment and bonded area.

7. **ORECCHIO, STACEY – LCT.556**

Lifted Spirits, Stamford, CT

The Commission approves the issuance of final permit upon receipt of copy of CT sales and use tax permit.

8. **YAROSH, JENN – LSL.1714**

Verity Wines, LLC, New York, NY

The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit.

9. **IOVIENO, DOMENICO – LRW.5277**

Misto Italian Street Food, Stamford, CT

The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit. Endorse patio.

10. MEDUNJANIN, NEDZAD – LRW.5301

Fino's Pizza & Restaurant, Middletown, CT

The Commission approves the request of the final permit.

11. CELOTTE, KEVIN L. – LCA.7899

The Hidden Still, Ellington, CT

The Commission approves the issuance of final permit. Endorse patio and invoices off premises.

12. COOPER, BRIAN A. – LCA.7901

Northeast Wings, Groton, CT

The Commission approves the issuance of final permit.

13. CAMPOS, NATALIA T. – LCA.7906

Boteco Gaucho, Stamford, CT

The Commission approves the issuance of final permit.

14. DILLON, CHEDDI D. – LCA.7913

Nu-Vybez Café, Bridgeport, CT

The Commission approves the issuance of final permit upon receipt of publication notice, and 8x10 photo of lockable storage area (kitchen).

15. LOPEZ, JOSE N. – LGB.15276

Center Market, Hartford, CT

The Commission approves the issuance of final permit upon receipt of bill of sale and seller's affidavit. The Commission also approve Juliana Cosme as substitute permittee.

16. PARROTT, DEAN S. - LIP.15494

Wines Unlimited of Monroe, Monroe, CT

The Commission approves the issuance of final permit upon receipt of a copy of CT sales and use tax card.

17. GARCIA-RIVERA, GRABIEL – LIR.19613

Calypso Lounge, New Haven, CT

The Commission approves the issuance of final permit.

18. ZHENG, MIN – LIR.19625

Boiling Soho, New Haven, CT

The Commission approves the issuance of final permit.

19. DELMONICO, CHRISTOPHER – LIR.19678

The Crabby Dog, Stratford, CT

The Commission approves the issuance of final permit upon receipt of publication notice, and a copy of CT sales and use tax permit.

PROVISIONAL EXTENSTION:

20. MEDUNJANIN, NEDZAD – LRW.5301

Fino's Pizza & Restaurant, Middletown, CT

The Commission approves request to extend provisional permit.

21. **NAGATA, EMI – LIR.19601** Dashi, Restaurant, New Haven, CT
The Commission approves request to extend provisional permit.
22. **SAULINO, NEIL J. – LIR.19625** John & Maria's Pizza, East Haven, CT
The Commission approves request to extend provisional permit.
23. **DEDUSHAJ, GENTIANA – LIR.19657** Braise & Brew, Westbrook, CT
The Commission approves request to extend provisional permit.

SUBSTITUTE PERMITTEES:

24. **LALUMIERE, KEVIN D. – LPC.192** Brooklawn Country Club, Fairfield, CT
The Commission approves Kevin Daniel Lalumiere as substitute permittee.
25. **TORELLI, GARY M. – LIC.1823** Libero Pensiero, Wallingford, CT
The Commission approves Gary M. Torelli as substitute permittee.
26. **DEMARCO, OWNEY J., JR. – LIC.1960** Czech American Club, Shelton, CT
The Commission approves Owney J. Demarco as substitute permittee.
27. **DURITY, DARYL D. – LIC.2041** Loyal Order of Moose Lodge 183, Kensington, CT
The Commission approves Darryl Douglas Durity as substitute permittee.
28. **ZITOFISKY, JEREMY S. – LIP.14456** BJ's Liquors #84, Southington, CT
The Commission approves Jeremy Scott Zitofsky as substitute permittee.
29. **MARQUES, HELLEN C. – LGB.15233** Bem Brasil, ILC/BN Meat Market, Bridgeport, CT
The Commission approves Hellen Cristine Marques as substitute permittee.
30. **LUDENA, GRECIA A. – LIR.18404** Cora Cora Restaurant, West Hartford, CT
The Commission approves Grecia A. Ludena as substitute permittee.

OTHER:

31. **MAYNARD, LUK E. – LMP.24** 30 Mile Brewing Co., Old Saybrook, CT
The Commission approves request for extension of use.
32. **IASPARRA, CYNTHIA – PC.205** Wallingford Rod and Gun Club, Wallingford, CT
The Commission approves waiver for July 22, 2017.

33. MERLUZZO, JOSEPOH F. – LIC.1738

The Italian-American Friendship Club, Tolland, CT
The Commission approves waiver for August 19, 2017.

34. MOTEL, GEORGE – LTA.3313

Connecticut Wine Festival, Goshen, CT
The Commission approves request for CT Wine Festival for July 22 and 23 2017.

35. MARCHETTI, MICHAEL J. – LCA.5051

Columbus Park Tratttoria, Stamford, CT
The Commission approves request of patio for July 6, 12, 13, 19, 20, 26 and 27, 2017;
August 2, 3 and 10, 2017.

36. PURUSHOTHAM, SHARATH D. – LCA.7813

Chutni Biryani & Noodle Bar, Stamford, CT
The Commission approves request for extension of use for July 6, 12, 13, 19, 20, 26 and
27, 2017; August 2, and , 2017.

37. ERICKSON, LAWRENCE E. , JR. –LIR.14372

Jesse Camilles, Naugatuck, CT
The Commission approves request for extension of use and additional consumer bar.

38. HOLLAND, CATHLEEN J. – LIR.14790

S&P Oyster Co., Mystic, CT
The Commission approves Pete Nikolaisen retaining 80% of S&P Oyster, CT, and
Cathleen Holland acquiring 20% shares.

39. PEASE, MICHAEL A. – LIR.19294

Del Frisco's Grille of Connecticut, LLC, Stamford, CT
The Commission accepts notification that Neil Thompson has been named Treasurer of
Del Frisco's Grille of Connecticut, LLC and Treasurer of Del Frisco's Restaurant Group,
Inc. effective as of June 1, 2017.

40. HANSON, MICHELE M. – LIR.19578

Farmhouse Restaurant, Newtown, CT
The Commission approves Michele M. Hanson retaining 25% of Farmhouse Restaurant,
Winnie Togonon retaining 25% and Michael McGetrick acquiring 50% shares.

41. VETTAHUPARAMBIL, FINTO A. – LIR.19695

TAJ Indian Cuisine, Fairfield, CT
The Commission approves request for patio.

Adjourned 9:20 a.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

John Suchy, Director, Liquor Control Division
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