

**STATE OF CONNECTICUT**  
**DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER PROTECTION**  
**LIQUOR CONTROL DIVISION**

**MINUTES**

MEETING PLACE: Commission Meeting Room – Room 124

MEETING DATE: April 12, 2016 – 8:49 a.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Angelo J. Faenza, Liquor Control Commissioner  
David A. Scribner, Liquor Control Commissioner

STAFF PRESENT: Robert Willard, Supervising Liquor Control Agent  
Caitlin Anderson, Staff Attorney  
Mary Ellen Gillon, Paralegal Specialist  
Richard Mindek, License and Applications Analyst  
Robin Densmore, Secretary 2

PUBLIC PRESENT: None

HEARINGS – Mary Ellen Gillon: None

PROVISIONAL PERMITS:

1. **PENNETTE, JODY – LIR.19463** Wuji, Greenwich  
The Commission takes no action on the request for provisional. File assigned to agent, question as to suitability of applicant.
2. **PENA, ELY – LIP.15390** Ely Liquor Store, Bridgeport  
The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional liquor permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement for provisional, \$500.00 fee, cancel permit # LIP.12102, bill of sale, and seller's affidavit (correctly executed). The Commission approves the request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while operating with provisional liquor permit.
3. **HESLIN, ANTHONY – LCA.7817** Note Kitchen & Bar, Bethel  
The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional liquor permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement for provisional, \$500.00 fee, abandonment affidavit, and copy of CT sales and use tax permit. The Commission approves the request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while operating with provisional liquor permit.

4. **GONZALEZ, JUAN V. – LIR.19468** Tablo Wine Bar & Restaurant, Norwalk  
The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional liquor permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement for provisional, \$50.00 fee, abandonment affidavit, and copy of CT sales and use tax permit, 8x10 photos of the entire completed and fully furnished and renovated interior, and Commission approves to transfer \$2000.00 in fees from LCA.7821. The Commission approves the request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while operating with provisional liquor permit.
5. **ORDONEZ, MARIELLA J. – LRW.5243** C-Viche 181, New Haven  
The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional liquor permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement for provisional, \$500.00 fee, executed copy of lease or right to occupy assignment of the lease to the backer legal entity LLC with landlord consent, copy of CT sales and use tax permit, 8x10 photo of the exterior of the proposed premises, to be taken from a position directly across the street or highway showing the trade name sign, and 8x10 photos of the completed and renovated interior. The Commission approves the request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while operating with provisional liquor permit.
6. **KNEEN, JESSYCA L. – LIR.19454** D'Vine Bistro, Guilford  
The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional liquor permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement for provisional, seller's affidavit, 8x10 photo of the exterior of the proposed premises, to be taken from a position directly across the street or highway showing the trade name sign, and 8x10 photos of the completed and furnished interior. The Commission approves the request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while operating with provisional liquor permit. Endorse patio.
7. **ALMONTE, PASCUALA E. – LGB.15182** Papi's Store 3, Bridgeport  
The Commission takes no action on the request for provisional. File assigned to agent for further investigation.
8. **ECHEVARRIA, ALEJANDRO – LGB.15181** Cibao Deli Mini Market, Waterbury  
The Commission takes no action on the request for provisional. File assigned to agent for further investigation.
9. **RODRIGUEZ, EDWIN R. – LGB.15180** Edwin Market, Hartford  
The Commission takes no action on the request for provisional. File assigned to agent for further investigation.

PROVISIONAL PERMIT EXTENSIONS:

10. **KOTHARI, SHAILEE K. – LIP.15343** Wilton Wine Shoppe, Wilton  
The Commission approves the request to extend the provisional liquor permit.

FINAL PERMITS:

11. **KENT GLOBAL MANAGEMENT LLC – LIW.702** Stratford  
The Commission approves the issuance of the final liquor permit upon receipt of 8x10 photos of the steel cage storage and lock, 8x10 photo of the exterior of the proposed premises, to be taken from a position directly across the street or highway, and publication notice. Endorse interior access.
12. **VINTAGE WINE ESTATES INC – LSW.1055** Viansa Winery, Sonoma, CA  
The Commission approves the issuance of the final liquor permit.
13. **KELLEY STERN FOX WINES LLC – LSW.1057** Portland, OR  
The Commission approves the issuance of the final liquor permit.
14. **VINTAGE WINE ESTATES INC – LSW.1052** Clos Pegase Winery, Calistoga, CA  
The Commission approves the issuance of the final liquor permit.
15. **VINTAGE WINE ESTATES INC – LSW.1054**  
Swanson Vineyards & Winery, Rutherford, CA  
The Commission approves the issuance of the final liquor permit.
16. **VINTAGE WINE ESTATES INC – LSW.1051** BR Cohn Winery, Glen Ellen, CA  
The Commission approves the issuance of the final liquor permit.
17. **VINTAGE WINE ESTATES INC – LSW.1053** Cosentino Winery, Yountville, CA  
The Commission approves the issuance of the final liquor permit.
18. **SPIRIT IMPORTS INC – LSL.1619** Sidney Harlow Trading, Sunrise, FL  
The Commission approves the issuance of the final liquor permit.
19. **SHAND IMPORT LLC – LSL.1620** South Pasadena, CA  
The Commission approves the issuance of the final liquor permit.

OTHER:

20. **MCNULTY SR., WALTER – LIP.13189** Wineport of Darien, Darien  
The Commission approves the request for removal from 25-40 Old Kings HWY, Darien to 25-20 Old Kings HWY, Darien upon receipt of stipulated agreement for provisional, copy of CT sales and use tax permit, 8x10 photo of the exterior of the proposed premises, to be taken from a position directly across the street or highway showing the trade name sign, and 8x10 photos of the completed interior to include cooler, cash register, and shelving.

21. **D'AMATO, JOHN M. – LIR.14801** Skyline Restaurant, Windsor Locks  
The Commission approves the request to endorse extension of use for April 15, 2016 through October 15, 2015.
22. **FLORES, GAIL M. – LIR.14685** Jalapeno Heaven, Branford  
The Commission approves the request to endorse extension of use for May 5, 6, 7, & 8, 2016.
23. **NEWMAN, JENNIFER R. – LIR.18649** La Cuisine Café, Branford  
The Commission approves Tracy A. Jackson as the new substitute permittee.
24. **BRADY, LISA MARIE – LIH.1739** Hilton Garden Inn Danbury, Danbury  
The Commission approves Jaclyn Taylor as the new substitute permittee.
25. **KELLEY-VOKET, JULIANNE – LIC.1999** Country Club of Farmington, Farmington  
The Commission approves Michael H. Iwanicki as the new substitute permittee.
26. **LETTICK, MICHAEL DAVID – LBA.161** Brunswick Colony Lanes, Wallingford  
The Commission approves Robert Ryan Conway as the new substitute permittee.
27. **WELLER, BERNADETTE M. – LPC.167** Polish Falcons Nest 519, Middletown  
The Commission approves the request to waive the guestbook requirements for the following dates: May 3, 4, 10, 11, 17, 18, 24, 25 & 31, 2016; June 1, 7, 8, 14, 15, 21, 22, 28 & 29, 2016; July 5, 6, 12, 13, 19, 20, 26 & 27, 2016; August 2, 3, 9, 10, 16, 17, 23, 24, 30 & 31, 2016.
28. **ANGELL, W. CURTIS – LIC.1734** Birchwood Country, Westport  
The Commission approves the request to waive the guestbook requirements for the following dates: April 23, 2016; May 14 & 15, 2016; September 24, 2016; October 8, 13, 15 & 28, 2016; November 11, 2016.
29. **DELIO, ROSEMARY – LPC.191** American Legion Post 68, Berlin  
The Commission approves the request to waive the guestbook requirements for April 15, 2016.
30. **CONNECTICUT DISTRIBUTORS INC – LIW. 532** Stratford  
The Commission is notified of and approves of the change in officers as follows: New elected Directors – Joseph Davolio, Andrew Hillman, Chad Stone, Brian Onufrychuk, Jacob Onufrychuk. John Parke has been appointed President following the resignation of Brian Albenze.

31. **CONNECTICUT DISTRIBUTORS INC – LCL.532**

Stratford

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Adjourned at 9:14 a.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to be 'R. Willard', written over a large, stylized blue starburst or scribble.

Robert Willard for  
John Suchy  
Director of Liquor Control  
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