

STATE OF CONNECTICUT
DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER PROTECTION
LIQUOR CONTROL DIVISION
MINUTES

MEETING PLACE: Commission Meeting Room – Room 124

MEETING DATE: August 30, 2016 – 8:30 a.m.

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

STAFF PRESENT: John Suchy, Director of Liquor Control
Caitlin Anderson, Staff Attorney
Mary Ellen Gillon, Paralegal Specialist
Robin Densmore, Secretary 2

PUBLIC PRESENT: None

HEARINGS – Mary Ellen Gillon:

1. **TROIANO, LINDA J. - LIP.15243** Vitro's Package Store, Bridgeport
Remove from hearings; permit canceled. 2016-0002
2. **SETTE, JOSEPH F. - LIC.1957** Italian American Club, West Haven
The Commission grants Attorney Farrell's request for continuance of formal hearing.
2015-733
3. **CUMBO-COTTO, YARIBEL - LCA.7715** Four Aces Café, West Haven
After compliance meeting, the Commission would accept an offer in compromise in lieu
of hearing of \$375 for incident of 4/15/16. 2016-169
4. **ALSAMRIN, TONI - LGB.12090** K&H Food Stop, Bridgeport
After compliance meeting, the Commission would accept an offer in compromise in lieu
of hearing of 3 days and \$1,125, of which 2 days and \$250 would be held in abeyance for
6 months, for incident of 5/7/16. 2015-489

5. **MARINI, MARISA - LIR.14343** Marisa's Ristorante, Trumbull
After compliance meeting, the Commission would accept an offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 3 days and \$750, of which 2 days and \$250 would be held in abeyance for 6 months, for incident of 5/6/16. 2016-388
6. **SCHNEIDER, KIRK C. - LIR.14572** Ruby Tuesday, West Hartford
After compliance meeting, the Commission would accept an offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 3 days and \$750, of which 2 days and \$250 would be held in abeyance for 6 months, for incident of 5/20/16. 2016-434
7. **SOTO, PABLO - LGB.14947** Enrique Express Market, Waterbury
After compliance meeting, the Commission would accept an offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of \$375 for incident of 6/14/16. 2016-384
8. **HESS, DAVID - LGB.13103** Adam's IGA Supermarket, Milford
After compliance meeting, the Commission would accept an offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 3 days and \$750, of which 2 days and \$250 would be held in abeyance for 6 months, for incident of 6/4/16. 2016-470
9. **RUIZ, JOSE - LIR.17287** Las Garzas, Hartford
After compliance meeting, the Commission accepts an offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of \$375 for incidents of 12/24/15 and 3/30/16. 2016-14
10. **UDDIN, KAMAL - LGB.15022** Fist Market, Bridgeport
After compliance meeting, the Commission would accept an offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 3 days and \$750, of which 2 days and \$250 would be held in abeyance for 6 months, for incident of 5/7/16. 2015-1350

PROVISIONAL PERMITS:

11. **DESTEFANO, JAMES H. - LGB.15222** Shoprite of Orange, Orange
The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional liquor permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement for provisional, 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 entire interior of the sales areas. The Commission approves the request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while operating with provisional permit.
12. **KALMANDIS, MERCURIOS M. - LIR.19542** Cross Roads Pizza, Bridgeport
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 permit. Endorse service bar only.

13. **CHENG, SO PEN – LIP.15430** Straits Wine & Liquor, Watertown
The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional liquor permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement for provisional, cancel permit # LIP.12840, bill of sale, seller's affidavit, copy of CT sales and use tax permit, and 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. The Commission approves the request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while operating with provisional permit.
14. **SINAPIS, STEVEN P. – LCA.7855** Donovan's Reef Restaurant, Branford
The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional liquor permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement for provisional, \$500.00 fee, cancel permit # LCA.6236, bill of sale, seller's affidavit. The Commission approves the request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while operating with provisional permit. Endorse patio.
15. **SYED, AFTAB A. – LGB.15215** Rainbow Grocery, New London
The Commission takes no action on the request for provisional. File assigned to agent. Question as to whether this is a bona fide grocery store, photos are sparse and breakdown of sales is estimates.
16. **SCACCA, ANTHONY J. – LIR.19544** First and Last Tavern, Middletown
The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional liquor permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement for provisional, \$500.00 fee, cancel permit # LIR.15787, bill of sale, and copy of CT sales and use tax permit. The Commission approves the request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while operating with provisional permit. Endorse patio.
17. **QUADIR, FIRYAD J. – LGB.15216** Sunshine Deli Kitchen, Bridgeport
The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional liquor permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement for provisional. The Commission approves the request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while operating with provisional permit.

PROVISIONAL PERMIT EXTENSIONS:

18. **BARTOLOMEO, ROBERT F. – LCA.7832** Dockside Resort Bar, New London
The Commission approves the request to extend the provisional liquor permit.

FINAL PERMITS:

19. **HAYES, JAMES B. – LPC.286**
Faulk Marcolini Post 113 American Legion, Old Saybrook
The Commission approves the issuance of the final liquor permit upon receipt of cancel permit # LIC.2116. Endorse patio and extension of use.

20. **BLANK, BRIDGET L. – LMB.1544** Twelve Percent, Stratford
The Commission approves the issuance of the final liquor permit upon receipt of publication notice (missing clippings from newspaper) and 8x10 photo of tradename sign. Endorse interior access.
21. **VIDYARTHI, ANSHU – LCA.7849** Le Penguin, Westport
The Commission approves the issuance of the final liquor permit upon receipt of final publication notice.
22. **CARDILLO JR., LUIGI – LIR.19524** Riko's Pizza, Stamford
The Commission approves the issuance of the final liquor permit upon receipt of final publication notice, 8x10 photos of completed interior, 8x10 photos of the awning or signage that indicates the dining room entrance, and 8x10 photo of the exterior of the proposed premises, to be taken from a position directly across the street or highway.
23. **CHITYALA, CHANDRAMOHAN R. – LCA.7857** Aces Sports Bar, Norwich
The Commission approves the issuance of the final liquor permit upon receipt of completed publication notice. Endorse interior access (hotel).
24. **ROCHE, EAMON – LIR.19517** The Stand, Branford
The Commission approves the issuance of the final liquor permit. Endorse patio.
25. **HUANG, YAN C. – LIR.19529** Hanami II, Branford
The Commission approves the issuance of the final liquor permit after September 2, 2016, upon receipt of completed publication notice. Endorse no bar.
26. **GAMBOA CAMACHO, DAVID G. – LIR.19411** La Cantina Bar & Grill LLC, Plainfield
The Commission approves the issuance of the final liquor permit upon receipt of completed publication notice.
27. **LLIGUIZACA, JOE R. – LGB.15196** South Main Convenience Store, Waterbury
The Commission approves the issuance of the final liquor permit.
28. **SOSA, BENEDICTO N. – LRW.5265** Taste of Braziz Restaurant, Norwalk
The Commission approves the issuance of the final liquor permit. The Commission approves the request for waiver of separate toilet facilities. Endorse service bar only.

OTHER:

29. **CLASSIC WINES INC – LIW.565** Stamford
The Commission approves the transfer of stock resulting in Dominic V. Rodriguez having 40 shares, Jorge Rodriguez having 15 shares and Manuel Dominguez having 15 shares of stock in Classic Wines Inc.

30. **STORCH, MATTHEW – LCA.5927** Match, Norwalk
The Commission approves the request to endorse patio.
31. **MILLER, BRUCE A. – LTH.80** Westport Country Playhouse, Westport
The Commission approves to extend alcohol service for a pre-performance cocktail party and a post-performance dinner on September 19, 2016.
32. **FINCH, STANLEY J. – LRW.5052** Muse Paintbar & Eatery, West Hartford
The Commission approves the corporate structure change from The Pain and Sip Corporation to Muse Paintbar, LLC.
33. **FINCH, STANLEY J. – LRW.5104** 55 N Main St, Norwalk
The Commission approves the corporate structure change from The Pain and Sip Corporation to Muse Paintbar, LLC.
34. **MCDONALD, RYAN S. – LIR.17497** Ted's Restaurant, Storrs
The Commission approves Brady Steven McDonald as the new substitute permittee.
35. **DOWNING, KIMBERLY ANN – LPC.154** American Legion #156, Moodus
The Commission approves Ambrose H. Gates Jr. as the new substitute permittee.

Adjourned at 9:20 a.m.

Respectfully Submitted,



John Suchy
Director of Liquor Control
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