

DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER PROTECTION

LIQUOR CONTROL DIVISION

MINUTES

MEETING PLACE: Commission Meeting Room - Room 124

MEETING DATE: March 3, 2011 – 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
Mary Ellen Gillon, Paralegal Specialist II
Douglas Deveny, Secretary

HEARINGS - Mary Ellen Gillon:

1. **HERNANDEZ, THOMAS - LGB.14452**
Lucerito's Family Grocery, Stamford, CT
Remove from hearings; replacement check received. 2011-179
2. **LIEBMAN, DAVID - LGB.14343**
Trader Joe's, Westport, CT
After compliance meeting, commission accepts offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 1 day and \$11,000 for incident of 9/25/10. (This resolution includes pending abeyance for prior incident.) 2010-1240
3. **FERNANDES, MARIA A. - LCA.6481**
Panama Joe's Café and Pool Room, Bridgeport, CT
Commission accepts offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 1 day and \$500 for incident of 3/31/10. 2010-393
4. **PAREJA, LILIANA - LGB.14151**
Los Luceros Family Grocery, Stamford, CT
Commission accepts offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 1 day and \$500 for incident of 01/2/10. 2010-1226
5. **KHALID, FAIQA - LGB.13929**
JZ's Grocery & Deli, Bridgeport, CT
After compliance meeting, commission rejects offer of 7 days; commission would accept offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 10 days for incident of 6/6/10. 2010-606

6. **VELEZ, DALTON - LCA.6815** Dalton's, North Branford, CT
After compliance meeting, commission would accept offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 5 days and \$1,250 for incidents of 12/27/09 and 7/30/10. 2010-57
7. **FUSCO, ROBERT J. - LGB.12651** Robert's Food Center, Madison, CT
After compliance meeting, commission would accept offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 3 days and \$750 of which 2 days and \$500 would be held in abeyance for 6 months, for incident of 6/5/10. 2010-577
8. **PANG, LAN KWOK - LIR.14794** Butterfly Restaurant, West Hartford, CT
After compliance meeting, commission would accept offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 3 days and \$750 of which 2 days and \$500 would be held in abeyance for 6 months, for incident of 1/7/10. 2010-13
9. **BERUBE, ROBERT - LIP.14228** Rob's Wine and Spirit Shoppe, Plainfield, CT
After compliance meeting, commission would accept offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 3 days and \$750 of which 2 days and \$500 would be held in abeyance for 6 months for incident of 3/20/10. 2010-341
10. **PERUGINI, ROBERT - LCA.5541** Red Rooster Café, Winsted, CT
After compliance meeting, commission would accept offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 1 day and \$500 for incident of 12/8/09. 2010-387
11. **RECINE, ANGELO - LIR.16438** Stonybrook Restaurant, Stratford, CT
After compliance meeting, commission would accept offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 3 days and \$750 of which 2 days would be held in abeyance for 6 months, for incident of 11/28/10. 2010-1560
12. **BANNERMAN, JASON - LIP.13824** New Hartford Wine & Beverage, New Hartford, CT
After compliance meeting, commission would accept 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 6/18/10. 2010-695
13. **LYTRAS, PETER - LIR.14013** Midway Restaurant, Ashford, CT
After compliance meeting, commission would accept offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 3 days and \$750 of which 2 days would be held in abeyance for 6 months, for incident of 9/17/10. 2010-1037
14. **DEPENA, HENRY - LGB.13225** Los Cubanitos Market, Hartford, CT
After compliance meeting, commission would accept offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 30 days suspension, file new application, seal interior access to adjoining bakery, for incidents of 2003, 9/9/10. 2010-993

- 15. MOREL, FRANCESCO - LGB.13198** Amigo Grocery, Hartford, CT
Commission requests written warning be sent to Edwin F. Chestard concerning incidents of 5/17/10, 6/16/10 and 12/1/10. 2010-1565, 2010-671

PROVISIONAL PERMITS:

- 16. REYES, RICHARD – LIR.18306** Meson Restaurant, Danbury, CT
Commission approves to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee, copy of CT sales and use tax permit. Commission approved request to waive COD requirement for provisional permit.
- 17. KISH, JULIA – LIR.18309** Blue Moon Ultra Lounge, Bridgeport, CT
Commission approves to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee, cancel old permit LIR.17488, bill of sale, seller's affidavit, additional \$50 permit fee, CT sales and use tax permit. Endorse 1 ACB. Commission approved request to waive COD requirement for provisional permit.
- 18. MANGANO, VINCENT J. – LCA.7260** Neutral Ground, Bridgeport, CT
Commission approves to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee. Endorse patio. Commission approved request to waive COD requirement for provisional permit.
- 19. ARNAL, LIONEL – LIR.18310** Bon Appetit Café, Fairfield, CT
Commission approves to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee. Commission approved request to waive COD requirement for provisional permit.
- 20. LACONTE, LAWRENCE J. – LRC.263** Vazzano's Four Seasons, Stratford, CT
Commission approves to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement. Endorse 1 ACB. Commission approved request to waive COD requirement for provisional permit.
- 21. BHAVSAR, BHAIKAV – LIR.18312** Ike's Family Restaurant, Enfield, CT
Commission approves to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee, cancel old permit LIR.17314, bill of sale, seller's affidavit, executed copy of lease. Commission approved request to waive COD requirement for provisional permit.
- 22. CUTLER, JASON L. – LCA.7269** Pulse, New Haven, CT
Commission approves to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee, copy of CT sales and use tax permit. Commission approved request to waive COD requirement for provisional permit.

PROVISIONAL PERMIT EXTENSIONS:

23. STEPHENS, KATHERINE C. – LIP.14747.P.CW

The Study Fine Wine & Spirits, Greenwich, CT
Commission approved request to extend provisional permit.

24. NICHOLS, JASON E. – LBA.208.P.CW

High Rollers, Mashantucket, CT
Commission approved request to extend provisional permit.

25. SIMPSON, JEFFREY A. – LIR.18193.P.CW

Goodlife Grill, Granby, CT
Commission approved request to extend provisional permit for 60 days.

FINAL PERMITS:

26. RIVER VALLEY WINE CELLARS – LTR.177

Commission approved to issue final permit.

Hawthorne, NY

27. ATOMIC BRANDS INC – LSB.791

Commission approved to issue final permit.

Chicago, IL

28. WWRD INC – LSL.1324

Commission approved to issue final permit.

Windsor, CA

29. LINDEN BULK TRANSPORTATION COMPANY – LTR.178

Commission approved to issue final permit.

Linden, NJ

30. PFORZHEIMER, CARL A. – LIR.18267.P.CW

Barcelona Restaurant and Wine Bar, West Hartford, CT
Commission approves to issue final permit upon receipt of publication notice.
Endorse patio.

31. FIOCCOLA, MICHAEL A. – LCA.7270.P.CW

Buster's Billiards, New Milford, CT
Commission approves to issue final permit when in receipt of 8x10 photos of
completed barroom and trade name sign.

32. D'ANTONIO, PAMELA – LIR.18104.P.CW

Manhattan's Bar & Grill Inc, New Haven, CT
Commission approves to issue final permit upon receipt of publication notice.
Commission approved application for transfer of stock and Darwin Andrade
as substitute permittee.

33. JARVIS, ROBERT T. – LIP.14778

Quiet Corner Spirits, North Grosvenordale, CT
Commission approved to issue final permit.

34. **KISHIDA, KOHEI – LIR.18136** Umi Sushi & Tapas, West Hartford, CT
Commission approves to issue final permit upon receipt of 8x10 photos of completed premises (including exterior, interior dining room, service bar area, kitchen). Endorse service bar only.
NOTE: Permit MUST be issued by 4/26/11.

OTHER:

35. **SCANLON, ROBERT D. JR. – LGB.12013** Beechwood Supermarket, Shelton, CT
Commission approved application for transfer of stock.
36. **MASTRONI, ROBERT F. – LIP.14744** Discount Wine & Spirits, Newtown, CT
Commission approved request for transfer of interest when in receipt of completed form by Michael Kerler for authorization of the backer legal entity for release of financial information, CT sales and use tax permit, 8x10 photo of trade name “Discount Wine and Liquors”, proof of filing with secretary of state’s office, amendment of Krysanth LLC changing member to Michael Kerler, substitute permittee application and \$30 fee for Michael Kerler.
37. **MAREK, MILES P. – LTH.78** Fairfield Theatre Company, Fairfield, CT
Commission endorsed permit with permanent extension of use and additional consumer bar.
38. **MACKNICKI, JOSEPH – LCA.5465** Jonathan’s Pub & Café, Willimantic, CT
Commission endorsed permit with permanent extension of use and additional consumer bar.
39. **NADEAU, ROBERT C. – LIC.2061** VFW Post 6875, Wauregan, CT
Commission discussed letter of request and will follow up with a letter of inquiry.
40. **SADLOSKI, BETH W. – LIS.2277** 35 Degrees Distribution, Sandy Hook, CT
Commission approved application for liquor wholesaler salesman certificate.
41. **RYDECKI, KEVIN – LIP.13140** Saugatuck Wine & Spirits, Westport, CT
Commission approved Carmai L. Rydecki as substitute permittee.
42. **VERTUCCI, ALAN JR. – LIP.12902** Al’s Warehouse, Norwalk, CT
Commission approved Alan Vertucci as substitute permittee.
43. **VERTUCCI, ALAN JR. – LIP.12006** Al’s Warehouse, Norwalk, CT
Commission approved James T. Cain as substitute permittee.
44. **SCHROEN, RICHARD J. – LIH.1739-C** Hilton Garden Inn, Danbury, CT
Commission approved Lisa Marie Brady as substitute permittee.

45. BOSCO, KATHRYN M. – LIC.2166

Essex Veteran's Memorial Hall, Centerbrook, CT
Commission approved Gary W. Clark as substitute permittee.

46. MURPHY, JAMES H. II – LIR.14193

Fireside Restaurant, New Haven, CT
Commission approved Carl Newton as substitute permittee.

47. GILL, SHARON G. – LIR.14325

Grassmere Country Club, Enfield, CT
Commission approved Jenny Kameron as substitute permittee.

Adjourned at 9:45 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

John Suchy
Director of Liquor Control
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