

DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER PROTECTION

LIQUOR CONTROL DIVISION

MINUTES

MEETING PLACE: Commission Meeting Room - Room 124

MEETING DATE: March 13, 2012 – 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 II
Douglas Deveny, Secretary

HEARINGS – Mary Ellen Gillon:

1. **FULLER, SHAUN - LCA.7323** McGuire's Ale House, Newington, CT
Commission denies Kristen Mattered's request for continuance of compliance meeting. 2011-902
2. **ALBUCK, WARREN J. - LIP.13200** The Wine Cellar, Norwalk, CT
After compliance meeting, commission accepts 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 12/2/11. 2011-1287
3. **VASQUEZ, VLADIMIR - LGB.13721** Polla Supermarket, Danbury, CT
Commission accepts offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 3 days and \$850 for incident of 1/21/12. 2012-160
4. **MENA, RAMON - LGB.14583** Ebenezer Mini Market, Waterbury, CT
Commission accepts offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 3 days and \$750 for incident of 1/14/12. 2012-112
5. **SHARMA, MOHAN - LGB.12192** Jimmie's Market, Danbury, CT
Commission accepts offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 3 days and \$800 for incident of 1/21/12. 2012-159

6. **ROSADO, MICHELLE M. - LGB.14640** Junco Market X, Bridgeport, CT
After compliance meeting, commission accepts offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 5 days and \$1,000, of which 2 days and \$1,000 would be held in abeyance for 6 months, for incident of 12/2/11. 2011-1039
7. **DHARANI, DEVANGI - LIP.13819** Ranis Wine & Liquor, New Haven, CT
After compliance meeting, commission accepts 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 12/17/11. 2011-1391
8. **PATIL, SANJAY H. - LIP.13116** College Wine, New Haven, CT
Commission rejects offer 5 days and \$1,500 of which 2 days and \$1,000 would be held in abeyance for 6 months, for incident of 12/17/11. 2011-1383

PROVISIONAL PERMITS:

9. **SHI, WEN XIU – LIR.18538** Ichiban Asian Bistro, Colchester, CT
Commission approves to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee. Commission approved request to waive COD requirement for provisional permit.
10. **HAMEL, KIM A. – LCA.7373** Brass Horse Café, Barkhamsted, CT
Commission approves to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee, cancel permit LCA.5320, bill of sale, seller's affidavit. Endorse patio. Commission approved request to waive COD requirement for provisional permit.
11. **LUCAS, CASILDA G. – LIH.1806-B** Brigadoon Bed & Breakfast, Mystic, CT
Commission approves to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement. Commission approved request to waive COD requirement for provisional permit.
12. **MORIN, SARAH M. – LIR.18540**
Buffalo Wild Wings Grill & Bar, Manchester, CT
Commission approves to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee, final fire marshal approval, 8x10 photo of exterior trade name sign, 8x10 photos of furnished dining area and barroom. Endorse patio. Commission approved request to waive COD requirement for provisional permit.

13. **LARA, MIGUEL – LCA.7371** Café Luna, Stamford, CT
Commission approves to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee, cancel permit LCA.7155, bill of sale, seller's affidavit. Commission approved request to waive COD requirement for provisional permit.
14. **WOLF, HELMAR – LIR.18529** Republic, Bloomfield, CT
Commission approves to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee, 8x10 photo of exterior trade name sign, 8x10 photos of furnished interior. Commission approved request to waive COD requirement for provisional permit.
15. **PAPER, HENRY A. – LIT.1814** Best Video Coffee Bar, Hamden, CT
Assigned to hearing: 30-20.
16. **GRAHAM, JOHN P. – LIR.18536** Hearsay Bar & Grill, New London, CT
Commission approves to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee, cancel LIR.17039, bill of sale, seller's affidavit, final fire marshal approval, 8x10 photo of exterior trade name sign. Commission approved request to waive COD requirement for provisional permit.
17. **CARPIO, DIOSA – LCA.7370** Rumba Latina, Waterbury, CT
Commission approves to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, release of financial information for permittee Dosia Carpio, staff and equipment lists, update financial statement showing source of \$9,200.00 in funding. Commission approved request to waive COD requirement for provisional permit.
18. **GORAGANDHI, RISHI – LIH.1807-C** Holiday Inn, Danbury, CT
Commission approves to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee plus \$470 balance for 3 ACBs – (paid \$100), cancel LIH.1783, bill of sale, seller's affidavit. Endorse 3 ACBs. Commission approved request to waive COD requirement for provisional permit.
19. **SKEHAN, SHAWN M. – LIR.18535** Plan B Burger Bar, Stamford, CT
Commission approves to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, 8x10 photo of exterior trade name sign, 8x10 photos of furnished interior. Endorse patio. Commission approved request to waive COD requirement for provisional permit.

PROVISIONAL PERMIT EXTENSIONS:

20. **PATTERSON, JUANITA L. – LCA.7299.P.CW** Gene's Place, Bridgeport, CT
Commission approved request to extend provisional permit.

21. **AXILOTE, ROLANDO – LIR.18480.P.CW** El Coyote B, Brookfield, CT
Commission approved request to extend provisional permit.

22. **CHEN, LING P. – LIR.18456.P.CW** Sweet Mango, Newtown, CT
Commission approved request to extend provisional permit.

FINAL PERMITS:

23. **SCHEID VINEYARDS CALIFORNIA INC – LSW.707** Greenfield, CA
Commission approved to issue final permit.

24. **FARERI, JOHN J. - LIH.1795-C** Riverside, CT
Commission approves to issue final permit upon receipt of final fire marshal for premises and patio, 8x10 photos of exterior trade name sign, copy of CT sales and use tax permit, publication notice, 8x10 photos of interior (barroom, banquet rooms, dining rooms, patio, lockable storage). Endorse patio.

25. **PALAZZO, SUSAN N. – LWG.003** City Line Florist, Trumbull, CT
Commission approved to issue final permit.

26. **GREGORICH, JOHN – LML.511** Gregor Distilleries LLC, Torrington, CT
Commission approved to issue final permit. Endorse interior access.
NOTE: brands and labels to be approved before use and sale of product.

27. **MARDIS, DAVID E. – LIR.18506.P.CW** Tools Bar & Grill, New Britain, CT
Commission approves to issue final permit after 3/18/12.

28. **KARUNANIDHI, SABINA – LGB.14726** Coventry Farms Dairy Store, Manchester, CT
Assigned to hearing: 30-20.
If approved after hearing – final requirements would be bill of sale, seller's affidavit, publication notice, cancel LGB.13503.

29. **STUDENROTH, JACOB Z. – LIP.14934.P.CW** Wise Old Dog, West Hartford, CT
Commission approves to issue final permit after 3/18/12.

30. **LILLANEY, VASHDEV C. – LIP.14929.P.CW** Liquor World of Ellington, Ellington, CT
Commission approves to issue final permit upon receipt of 8x10 photos of exterior trade name sign and 8x10 photos of stocked interior.

31. **PATEL, SONAL Y. – LIP.14924.P.CW** Shore Discount Liquor, Clinton, CT
Commission approved to issue final permit.

32. ZAROKOSTAS, JOANNIS I. – LIR.18495.P.CW

The Gentleman Farmer Diner Inc, Plainfield, CT
Commission approves to issue final permit upon receipt of 8x10 photos of exterior trade name sign, copy of CT sales and use tax permit, 8x10 photos of interior (updated dining rooms, barroom, kitchen), placard needs to be re-signed and re-notarized.

33. KITCHINGS, KENNETH D. – LIH.1794.P.CW-A

Old Lyme Inn, Old Lyme, CT
Commission approves to issue final permit upon receipt of 8x10 photos of interior (furnished dining rooms, barroom, jazz room and kitchen). Endorse patio.

34. WITHERS, GREGORY B. – LRW.4876.P

Marty's Café, Washington, CT
Commission approves to issue final permit upon receipt of publication notice. Endorse no bar. Commission approved unisex restroom due to hardship letter.

35. ANDRE, MICHAEL E. – LCA.7363.P.CW

Black Rock Yacht & Athletic Club, Bridgeport, CT
Commission approves to issue final permit after 3/15/12. Endorse patio and interior access.

36. PATEL, BANSARI – LIP.14893.P.CW

Eastern Point Wine & Liquor, Groton, CT
Commission approved to issue final permit.

37. SCHERBAN, THOMAS J. – LCA.7366

JR's Café, East Windsor, CT
Commission approves to issue final permit after 4/3/12 and upon receipt of bill of sale, seller's affidavit, cancel LCA.5575, publication notice.

38. GUTIERREZ, YISSEL D. – LIR.18440.P.CW

Los Magelles Restaurant, Bridgeport, CT
Commission approved to issue final permit. Endorse service bar only.

39. PATEL, JAYESH – LGB.14718.P.CW

Howe Convenient, Shelton, CT
Commission approved to issue final permit.

40. KHALIL, ESSAM – LIR.18483.P.CW

Vazzy's Pizza & Pasta, Stratford, CT
Commission approves to issue final permit upon receipt of publication notice.

41. CASTROGIOVANNI, SALVADOR – LRW.1889.P.CW

San Gennaro Napolitano Pizza, Bristol, CT
Commission approves to issue final permit upon receipt of publication notice. Endorse service bar only.

42. **SALAME, JACQUELINE A. – LIP.14882** The Cave, Danbury, CT
Commission approves to issue final permit upon receipt of executed copy of lease for backer S&S Investors Inc, 8x10 photo of exterior trade name, 8x10 photos of interior (showing shelving, cooler, cash register), proof that door leading to basement level foyer of hotel has been sealed.
NOTE: Final permit MUST be issued by 8/11/12.
43. **FILINTARAKIS, MIHAIL – LIR.18513**
Michael's Restaurant & Lounge LLC, Middletown, CT
Commission approves to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, copy of CT Sales and use tax permit, Copy of alien registration for Neckles Rickenson, assignment of lease to LLC. Commission approves request to waive COD requirement for provisional permit.
- OR -
Commission approves to issue final permit upon receipt of publication notice, 8x10 photo of lockable storage area, assignment of lease to Michael's Restaurant & Lounge LLC, copy of CT sales and use tax permit, copy of alien registration card for Neckles Rickenson, disclaimer affidavit – Mina Filintarakis for \$129,743.90.
44. **BONILLA, DOMINGO – LGB.14699. P.CW**
Junco Deli Grocery, Bridgeport, CT
Commission approves to issue final permit upon receipt of bill of sale and seller's affidavit.
45. **BAKER, ADAM C. – LIS.2513** Farmington, CT
Commission approved application to issue Liquor Wholesaler Salesman Certificate.
46. **GASPEL, GERARD R. – LIS.2489** Westport, CT
Commission approved application to issue Liquor Wholesaler Salesman Certificate.
47. **WELSH, BRENDON M. – LIS.2500** Portland, CT
Commission approved application to issue Liquor Wholesaler Salesman Certificate.
48. **STARKEY, JASON J. – LIS.2501** Old Lyme, CT
Commission approved application to issue Liquor Wholesaler Salesman Certificate.
49. **BIRGE, TIMOTHY G. – LIS.2499** Milford, CT
Commission approved application to issue Liquor Wholesaler Salesman Certificate.

50. **JACOBSON, KEVIN M. JR. – LIS.2510** Middlefield, CT
Commission approved application to issue Liquor Wholesaler Salesman Certificate.

OTHER:

51. **ANGELES, LUIS E. – LGB.14422** Express Food Shop, Hartford, CT
Commission approves request for removal to 614 Asylum Ave in Hartford.
52. **PATEL, ANIL K. – LGB.14194** Friendly Market, North Grosvenordale, CT
Commission approved application for transfer of interest.
53. **GURUNG, HEM R. – LIR.17701** Bombay Olive, West Hartford, CT
Commission approved application for transfer of interest.
54. **GUGLIUZZA, RYAN – LGB.14194** Liquid Lounge, Norwich, CT
Commission approved application for transfer of interest upon receipt of proof that changes were made in the backer LLC to reflect change in ownership.
55. **ZUKLIE, GLENN J. – LIR.18365** McCoy's Pub, Stratford, CT
Commission approved request for patio and ACB for 3/17/12 (1 day only).
56. **COTE, CYNTHIA A. – LIP.14269** Cindy's Wine & Spirits, Westbrook, CT
Commission approved Robert Godikson as substitute permittee.

Adjourned at 9:31 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

John Suchy
Director of Liquor Control
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