

STATE OF CONNECTICUT
DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER PROTECTION
LIQUOR CONTROL DIVISION

MINUTES

MEETING PLACE: Commission Meeting Room – Room 124

MEETING DATE: June 3, 2014 – 8:30 a.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Angelo J. Faenza, Liquor Control Commissioner
Stephen R. Somma, Liquor Control Commissioner

STAFF PRESENT: Elisa Nahas, Legal Director
John Suchy, Director of Liquor Control
Mary Ellen Gillon, Paralegal Specialist II
Robin Washbond, Administrative Assistant
Robin Densmore, Secretary 1

PUBLIC PRESENT: None

HEARINGS – Mary Ellen Gillon:

1. **GOMEZ, YAJAIRA – LCA.6338** Azteca Café, New Haven, CT
Remove from hearings at the request of the Department of Labor. 2014-309
2. **PATTERSON, ROSEMARY E – LCA.7055** Sunset Café, Hartford, CT
After compliance meeting, the Commission accepts an offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of \$175.00 for incident of 1/23/14. 2014-61
3. **PAPAGODA, EDWARD – LCA.5567** Michaels Café, East Haven, CT
After compliance meeting, the Commission accepts an offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 2 days and \$375.00 for incident of 11/7/13 and 12/12/13. 2013-1317, 2013-1367

4. **RODRIGUEZ, ELIZABETH – LGB.14738** Aybar Deli Grocery, Waterbury, CT
After compliance meeting, the Commission accepts an offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 15 days for incident of 1/14/13 and 12/20/13. 2013-1439
5. **LEE, FAI – LCA.5077** Asie Fusion Cuisine, New Canaan, CT
The Commission accepts an offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of \$525.00 for incident of 3/18/14. 2014-264
6. **DESAI, KEYUR H. – LGB.14841** Danbury Food & Variety Store, Danbury, CT
The Commission accepts an offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 3 days and \$900.00 for incident of 3/22/14. 2014-289
7. **SALAME, JACQUELINE A. – LIP.14882** The Cave, Danbury, CT
After compliance meeting, the Commission accepts an offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 7 days and \$1,750.00 for incident of 3/22/14. 2014-287
8. **DODSON, CHILTON B. – LCA.7589** Azu, mystic, CT
The Commission accepts an offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 1 day and \$3,000.00 for incident of 4/12/14. 2014-466
9. **KOSAKOWSKI, TODD – LCA.6800** Black Bear, New Haven, CT
After compliance meeting, the Commission accepts an offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 3 days and \$750.00, of which 2 days and \$250.00 will be held in abeyance for 6 months, for incident of 11/27/13. 2013-1497
10. **PATIL, SANJAY H. – LIP.13116** College Wine, New Haven, CT
The Commission grants additional time for payment of fine until either June 13, 2014 or the closing on the sale of the business, whichever occurs earlier. 2013-1113.

PROVISIONAL PERMITS:

11. **TOLK, JESSICA N – LRW.5112** Lunchbox, Weston, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement for provisional, \$500.00 fee, bill of sale, seller's affidavit, 8x10 photo of exterior trade name sign and 8x10 photo of completed interior. The Commission approves request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while operating with provisional permit. Endorse service bar only.
12. **WHITED, CHAD – LCA.7631** Tierra at Old Town Hall, Wesport, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement for provisional, abandonment affidavit, copy of CT sales and use tax permit and 8x10 photo of exterior trade name sign. The Commission approves request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while operating with provisional permit.

13. **STEFAN, JOHN E – LGB.14978** Comeback Mini Market, Bridgeport, CT
The Commission took no action on the provisional permit request; file assigned to agent for further investigation. Sales figures do not reflect photos.
14. **SATTANI, VINCENT J JR – LIP.15177** Al's Warehouse Wine Beer Liquor, Trumbull, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement for provisional and proof that new application #LIP.15164 has been withdrawn. The Commission approves request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while operating with provisional permit.
15. **OVALLE, CARLOS – LIR.18983** Humacao Restaurant & Lounge, East Hartford, CT
The Commission took no action on the provisional permit request; file returned to agent for further investigation and three (3) letters of reference one preferably from an employer.

PROVISIONAL PERMIT EXTENSIONS

16. **RAJA, ASIF – LIR.18940.P-CW** Damon's Tavern, Hartford, CT
The Commission approves request to extend provisional liquor permit.

FINAL PERMITS

17. **ZAVALA, EVELYN – LIR.19015** Elane's Pizza Restaurant, Broad Brook, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit when in receipt of publication notice.
18. **RAJA, ASIF – LIR.18940.P-CW** Damon's Tavern, Hartford, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit; refund \$190.00-additional consumer bar fee (not required). The Commission approves application for transfer of interest. The Commission approves Gemma Capistrano as substitute permittee.
19. **UBALDO, ROBERT – LIR.18961** Farmers Table, New Canaan, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit. Endorse service bar only, patio and interior access.
20. **SHERPA, SHERAB GYALTSEN – LRW.5092** Tibetan Kitchen, Middletown, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit when in receipt of publication notice, copy of CT sales and use tax permit, 8x10 photo of exterior trade name sign and kitchen and fully completed abandonment affidavit. Endorse no bar. The Commission approves waiver of separate toilet facilities.

21. **JEFFREY, DINA – LCA.7616.P-CW** Celtic Cavern, Middletown, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit after June 5, 2014 when in receipt of publication notice.
22. **MIR, MICHAEL D – LCA.7627.P-CW** Illusions Sports Bar, Waterbury, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit after June 20, 2014 when in receipt of publication notice.
23. **DEJESUS, GLADIS – LGB.14949** G & C Grocery LLC, Hartford, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit.
24. **JACK’S ABBY BREWING LLC – LSB.867** Framingham, MA
The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit.
25. **SILVAN RIDGE WINERY – LSW.890** Eugene, OR
The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit.
26. **VIGNAIOLI LTD – LIW.685** Vignaioli Selection, Suffield, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit after July 3, 2014 when in receipt of publication notice and 8x10 photo of exterior trade name sign.
27. **DUGAS, DARCY MAYO – LMB.1535** Duvig Brewing Company, Branford, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit.
28. **KAUR, NARINDER – LRB.1845** Pitta Gourmet, Hartford, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit when in receipt of publication notice, bill of sale and seller’s affidavit. Endorse no bar.
29. **CHEN, XUEFANG – LIR.19024.P-CW** Panda House, Danbury, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit after June 9, 2014 when in receipt of publication notice.

OTHER

30. **BEST VALLEY WINES CONNECTICUT** Madison, CT
The Commission approves request to remove.
31. **SHOJI, AKIO – LGB.12784** Fuji Mart, Greenwich, CT
The Commission approves the application for transfer of stock.
The Commission approves Masakatsu Watarai as substitute permittee.
32. **SON, CHONCHAN – LIR.18275** Thai Pearl Restaurant, Ridgefield, CT
The Commission approves the application for transfer of interest.

33. **PATEL, HARMAN – LIP.14990** Blue’s Package Store, Hartford, CT
The Commission approves the application for transfer of interest.
34. **PATEL, JAIMIN H – LIP.13232** Young’s Package Store, Willimantic, CT
The Commission approves the application for transfer of interest.
35. **MARTINEZ, DOMINGO – LGB.14301** J & D Market, Hartford, CT
The Commission approves the application for transfer of interest.
The Commission approves Stephannie Rolon as substitute permittee.
36. **PATEL, HETAL R – LIP.14589** Village Liquor, Meriden, CT
The Commission approves the application for transfer of interest.
37. **PATEL, BANSARI – LIP.14893** Eastern Point Wine & Liquor, Groton, CT
The Commission approves the application for transfer of interest.
38. **IERARDI, SHEILA A – LIP.14969** Special Discount Liquor, Seymour, CT
The Commission approves the application for transfer of interest.
39. **VO, MAI J – LCA.7579** The Lounge, Watertown, CT
The Commission approves the application for transfer of interest.
The Commission approves Cynthia Frances Szczepanski as substitute permittee.
40. **MICHAELIDIS, GREGORY – LIR.18523** D & G Pizza Pub, Canterbury, CT
The Commission approves Demetrios Pasiakos as substitute permittee.
41. **LESSARD, MARCEL ALAN – LBA.215** Silver Lanes, East Hartford, CT
The Commission approves Anthony John Reynaud as substitute permittee.
42. **MALONEY, GREGORY S SR - LCA.6216** Maloney’s Pub, Meriden, CT
The Commission approves Gregory S. Maloney Jr as substitute permittee.
43. **FARONE, DENNIS C – LPC.164** Westbrook Elks #1784 BPOE, Westbrook, CT
The Commission approves request to waive guestbook requirements for June 15, 2014.
44. **SANTOS, ALBINO – LIC.1828** Portuguese Sport Club, Waterbury, CT
The Commission approves request to waive guestbook requirements for June 8, 2014.

Adjourned at 9:15 a.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

John Suchy
Director of Liquor Control
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