

DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER PROTECTION

LIQUOR CONTROL DIVISION

MINUTES

MEETING PLACE: Commission Meeting Room - Room 124

MEETING DATE: November 4, 2010 – 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 2  
Douglas Deveny, Secretary

HEARINGS – Mary Ellen Gillon:

1. **ALLEN, COLIN E. - LCA.6857** D’Cornerstone Café, Hartford, CT  
Remove from hearings; fire marshal form received. 2010-1313
2. **LE, HOAI T. - LCA.6502** Mi Bar Café, Hartford, CT  
Commission grants Mr. Le’s request for continuance of compliance meeting.  
2009-2829
3. **RUSSELL, GEORGE R. - LGB.14220** George’s Deli, Bridgeport, CT  
After compliance meeting, commission accepts offer in compromise in lieu of  
hearing of 45 days and \$5,000 for incidents of 1/31/10 and 6/6/10. 2010-487,  
2010-596
4. **BRITO, JUAN E. - LGB.13880** Brito Grocery, Hartford, CT  
Commission notes receipt of photographs of corrected access and rejects  
offer of 2 week suspension and \$1,000 for incidents of 7/2/09 ad 10/23/09.  
2009-5454, 2009-5718

PROVISIONAL PERMITS:

5. **RAMSDELL, RALPH H. – LGB.14601** Big Y Supermarket, Old Lyme, CT  
Commission approves to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee, cancel permit LGB.12743, bill of sale, executed copy of lease for right to occupancy for Big Y Foods Inc, FEIN. Commission approved request to waive COD requirement for provisional permit.
6. **RAMSDELL, RALPH H. – LGB.14600** Big Y Supermarket, Branford, CT  
Commission approves to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee, cancel permit LGB.12164, bill of sale, executed copy of lease for right to occupancy for Big Y Foods Inc, FEIN. Commission approved request to waive COD requirement for provisional permit.
7. **RAMSDELL, RALPH H. – LGB.14598** Big Y Supermarket, Mystic, CT  
Commission approves to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee, cancel permit LGB.12392, bill of sale, executed copy of lease for right to occupancy for Big Y Foods Inc, FEIN. Commission approved request to waive COD requirement for provisional permit.
8. **RAMSDELL, RALPH H. – LGB.14599** Big Y Supermarket, West Hartford, CT  
Commission approves to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee, cancel permit LGB.12306, bill of sale, executed copy of lease for right to occupancy for Big Y Foods Inc, FEIN. Commission approved request to waive COD requirement for provisional permit.
9. **LI, XIAO JIA – LRW.4786** Toro Sushi Restaurant, Cheshire, CT  
Commission approves to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee, bill of sale, seller's affidavit, executed copy of lease to backer Toto Sushi Corp, sales tax verification, staffing list, equipment list. Endorse no bar. Commission approved request to waive COD requirement for provisional permit.
10. **PUKA, DORJAN – LIR.18223** Treva Restaurant, West Hartford, CT  
Commission approves to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee, cancel old permit, final fire marshal approval. Endorse patio. Commission approved request to waive COD requirement for provisional permit.
11. **SHAH, VIRAL S. – LIP.14777** Suffield Cordial Shoppe, Suffield, CT  
Commission approves to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee, cancel old permit LIP.14059, bill of sale, seller's affidavit, FEIN, right of occupancy for Havi Enterprises LLC (copy of executed lease). Commission approved request to waive COD requirement for provisional permit.

PROVISIONAL PERMIT EXTENSIONS:

12. **ROUX, PHILIP E. – LIR.18189.P.CW**  
Pearl Restaurant & Lounge, Georgetown, CT  
Commission approved to extend provisional permit.
13. **PATEL, PARESHKUMAR G. – LIP.14678.P.CW**  
Shelton Wine & Spirits, Shelton, CT  
Commission approved to extend provisional permit.
14. **ARAUJO, FRANK – LCA.7184** Metro Lounge, Ansonia, CT  
Commission approved to extend provisional permit.
15. **RESSA, JOHN – LCA.7209** Hideaway, Stamford, CT  
Commission approved to extend provisional permit.

FINAL PERMITS:

16. **GILA BREW CO LLC – LSB.788** Roswell, GA  
Commission approved to issue final permit.
17. **DAOU VINEYARDS LLC – LSW.602** Paso Robles, CA  
Commission approved to issue final permit.
18. **DEVOTION SPIRITS INC – LSL.1302** San Francisco, CA  
Commission approved to issue final permit.
19. **ROSA DISTRIBUTORS LLC – LCL.608** Litchfield, CT  
Commission approved to issue final permit.
20. **VINTAGEFACTOR LLC – LSW.599** Saint Helena, CA  
Commission approved to issue final permit.
21. **TR WINES INC – LSW.600** Milton Freewater, OR  
Commission approved to issue final permit.
22. **CHENG, SCOTT – LRW.4735** Cheng Square, Middlebury, CT  
Commission approves to issue final permit upon receipt of publication notice,  
8x10 photos of lockable storage, kitchen and dining room. Endorse no bar.

OTHER:

23. **PATEL, HINA R. – LIP.13741** Lighthouse Liquors, New Haven, CT  
Commission approves request for transfer of interest.

**24. DESANTIS, ANTHONY J. – LIS.2280**

Meriden, CT

Commission approved liquor wholesaler salesman certificate.

**25. DIGIULIO, ARISTODEMO C. – LIP.14772**

Village Wine and Spirits, Ridgefield, CT

Commission approves request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while operating with provisional permit.

**26. ANTIARIS, JOHN D. – LIR.17859**

Sherwoods Restaurant, South Woodstock, CT

Commission approves permanent extension of use.

Adjourned at 9:12 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

John Suchy

Director of Liquor Control

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