

STATE OF CONNECTICUT
DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER PROTECTION
LIQUOR CONTROL DIVISION

MINUTES

MEETING PLACE: Commission Meeting Room – Room 124

MEETING DATE: March 12, 2013 – 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 Director
Mary Ellen Gillon, Paralegal Specialist II
Richard Mindek, License and Application Analyst
Cher Donnelly, Secretary

PUBLIC PRESENT:

HEARINGS – Mary Ellen Gillon:

1. **CHANTHAVONG, PHONESAVANH-LRW.4449** Thai Place, Putnam, CT
After compliance meeting, the Commission accepts offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 3 days and \$750, of which 2 days and \$250 will be held in abeyance for 6 months, for incident of 11/3/12. 2012-1725
2. **MATHERS, JOHN –LIH.1730** Madison Beach Hotel, Madison, CT
After compliance meeting, the Commission accepts offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of \$250 for incident of 8/30/12. 2012-1418
3. **CACERES, SANTOS-LCA.7246** Santos Caceres, Elite Night Club, Stamford, CT
After compliance meeting, the Commission accepts offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of \$375 for incident of 1/11/12. 2012-1699

4. **GAGLIARDI, EDWARD, JR. –LIP.12085** Forest Package Store, West Haven, CT
After compliance meeting, the Commission accepts offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 3 days and \$750, of which 2 days and \$250 will be held in abeyance for 6 months, for incident of 9/2/12. 2012-801
5. **ESPOSITO, RONALD, J. –LGB.12452** Stop & Shop Supermarket, Enfield, CT
The Commission accepts offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 1 day and \$3,000 for incident of 2/23/13. 2013-128
6. **MUDRE, WILLIAM, J. –LGB.12792** Hilltop Food Market, Stratford, CT
After compliance meeting, the Commission accepts offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 7 days for incident of 10/27/12. 2012-1626

PROVISIONAL PERMITS

7. **BRENNAN, BARRY –LIR.18775** Brennan's, Norwalk, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement for provisional, \$500 fee, abandonment affidavit, copy of CT sales and use tax permit, 8x10 photo of exterior trade name sign, and 8x10 photos of completed and renovated interior. The Commission approves request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while operating with provisional permit.
8. **LIN, LIJUAN –LRW.4984** Kama Sushi, Stratford, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement for provisional, \$500 fee, cancel permit #LRW.4914, bill of sale, seller's affidavit, copy of CT sales and use tax permit, and 8x10 photo of exterior trade name photo to reflect "Kama Sushi". Endorse no bar.
9. **KHAWAJA, SHAEZA –LIP.15050** Liquor Express, Enfield, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement for provisional, \$500 fee, abandonment affidavit, executed copy of lease or right to occupy in the name of "Liquor Express LLC", copy of CT sales and use tax permit, 8x10 photo of exterior trade name sign "Liquor Express", 8x10 photos (to include completed interior, cash register, coolers, and shelving), and completed/signed provisional permit-credit waiver request form. The Commission approves request allowing wholesalers to extend credit while operating with provisional permit.

PROVISIONAL PERMIT EXTENSIONS

- 10. FASANO, JILL –LIR.18642.P-CW** Silver Sands Beach Club, East, Haven, CT
The Commission approves request to extend provisional permit.
- 11. HAWLI, ELIA, S –LIR.18643.P-CW** Market Place, Danbury, CT
The Commission approves request to extend provisional permit.

FINAL PERMITS

- 12. PATEL, RAJNIKANT, P –LIP.15040** Spring Liquor, New Haven, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit upon receipt of publication notice, bill of sale, and seller's affidavit.
- 13. PATEL, PRISCILLA –LIP.15015** The Grapevine, Groton, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit.
- 14. NEW ENGLAND BEVERAGE-LIW.674** Hamden, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit upon receipt of publication notice.
- 15. KAROUTA, DIMITRIOS –LRW.4967** Ollies Pizza, Litchfield, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit. Endorse no bar.

Department will process request for refund for Provisional Permit fee.
- 16. PATEL, SARVESHWAR, K. –LGB.14824.P-CW** Kish Food Market, Ashford, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit after 4/5/13 upon receipt of publication notice. Endorse interior access.
- 17. WEBSTER, JOHNNY –LGB.14829.P-CW** Hot Corner Market, Hartford, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit after 4/11/13 upon receipt of bill of sale, seller's affidavit, and publication notice.
- 18. DASILVA, WILLIAM, A. –LIR.18747.P-CW** Nola, Norwalk, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit.
- 19. LAM, KEI –LIR.18696** Fuji, Torrington, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit.

- 20. BASARAN, HAKAN –LIR.18704.P-CW** Picador, New Canaan, CT
The Commission approves the issuance of the final permit and waives the restroom requirement. Endorse service bar only.

Department will respond in writing to the backer regarding the facts and circumstances relating to the request for waiver of restroom requirement.

OTHER

- 21. VENEZIA, LOUIS, M. –LIP.13682** Brookfield Country Wine & Spirits, Brookfield, CT
The Commission approves and endorses permit with off-site storage.
- 22. MCHUGH, KEVIN, J. –LCA.7199** The Gray Goose, Southport, CT
The Commission approves and endorses permit with permanent patio.
- 23. KITCHINGS, KENNETH, D. –LIH.1794-A** Old Lyme Inn, Old Lyme, CT
The Commission approves and endorses permit with one (1) additional consumer bar upon receipt of 8x10 photos of bar and barroom renovations.
- 24. MEISER, DANIEL –LIR.18424** Oyster Club, Mystic, CT
The Commission approves and endorses permit with one (1) additional consumer bar.
- 25. ZAKKA, RAMZE –LRW.3817** Terra Restaurant, Greenwich, CT
The Commission approves the application for transfer of stock.
- 26. STUBBLEFIELD, JENNIFER –LIR.18374** Outback Steakhouse, North Haven, CT
The Commission approves Jaime Mitchell as substitute permittee.
- 27. ROSCELLO, ANTHONY, JR. –LIC.1973** Torrington Lodge of Elks #372, Torrington, CT
The Commission approves request to waive guestbook requirement for 8/9/14.
- 28. CLARK, SCOTT –LIP.12781** Liquor Depot, New Britain, CT
The Commission read notification letter and approves transfer of inventory to Liquor Depot in Simsbury, CT.
- 29. CLARK, SCOTT-LIP.14076** Liquor Depot, Simsbury, CT
The Commission read notification letter and approves transfer of inventory to Liquor Depot in New Britain, CT.

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30. MCLELLAN, JEFFREY –LCA.6842

Sol Toro Tequila Grill, Uncasville, CT

The Commission accepts offer in compromise of \$750 to resolve 2012-1600.

Adjourned at 9:20 a.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

John Suchy
Director of Liquor Control
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