

DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER PROTECTION

LIQUOR CONTROL DIVISION

MINUTES

MEETING PLACE: Commission Meeting Room - Room 124

MEETING DATE: June 10, 2008 – 9:00 a.m.

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

STAFF PRESENT: Gerald C. Langlais, Administrator of Liquor Control
John Suchy, Director of Liquor Control
Elisa Nahas, Legal Counsel
Mary Ellen Gillon, Paralegal Specialist 2
(9:00 a.m. – 9:09 a.m.)
Douglas Deveny, Secretary

1. Stephen R. Somma was sworn in as the new liquor Commissioner by Legal Director Elisa Nahas at 9:18a.m.

HEARINGS - Mary Ellen Gillon:

2. **WALLACE, ROBERT F. - LCA.6013** Community Café, Waterbury, CT
Remove from hearings; fire marshal form received. 2008-4134
3. **VFW POST 254 - LIC.1859** Hartford, CT
Remove from hearings; fire marshal form received. 2008-4131
4. **PYTEL, JERZY - LCA.6520** Ibiza Café, Berlin, CT
Remove from hearings; fire marshal form received. 2008-4135
5. **VAZZANO, JOHN J. - LIR.17017** Vazzy's Trattoriaz, Milford, CT
Remove from hearings; fire marshal form received. 2008-4147
6. **ALSBACK, KENNETH - LIP.12399** Shore Discount Liquors, Clinton, CT
Commission accepts offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 1 day and \$3,000 for incident of 2/23/08. 2008-1831
7. **BERNARD, DELIA M. - LGB.13520** Martinez Mini Market, Hartford, CT

Commission accepts offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 1 day and \$1,500 for incident of 11/29/07. 2008-133

8. **HERNANDEZ, JUNIOR - LGB.13446** La Familia Grocery, Hartford, CT
Commission accepts offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 4 days and \$1,000 for incident of 10/20/07. 2007-7514

9. **LUCIBELLI, JONATHAN - LCA.6829** Centre Street Lounge, New Haven, CT
Commission grants Attorney Trendowski's request for continuance of compliance meeting. 2007-6752

PROVISIONAL PERMIT:

10. **SHERMAN, DOUGLAS A. – LIR.17694** Chris's American Restaurant, Brookfield, CT
Commission approved to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee, cancel old permit LIR.14941, seller's affidavit. Commission approved request to waive COD request for provisional permits.

11. **AZCONA-PERALTA, IGNACIO – LCA.6960** Mario's Café, Danbury, CT
Commission approved to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee, alien registration card for backer and applicant, abandonment affidavit, copy of sales & use tax permit.

12. **CHRISOVECHOTIS, ANNA A. – LIR.17684** Dino's Grill, Canterbury, CT
Commission approved to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee. Endorse service bar.

13. **CYR, LEONA J. – LCA.6972** Heroes, Berlin, CT
Commission approved to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee, cancel old permit LIR.16450, bill of sale, seller's affidavit, list inventory purchased. Transfer LIR.17613 fee's to LCA.6972 - Commission approved amendment: NEED - \$550.

PROVISIONAL PERMIT EXTENSIONS:

14. **NOWSCH, DONALD E. – LCA.6943.P** Fat Cats Bar & Grill, Colchester, CT
Commission approved to extend provisional permit.

15. **AVELLINO, DINO – LIR.17504.P** John's Best Pizza & Grille, Westport, CT
Commission approved to extend provisional permit.

16. **SIMEON, SERGE – LCA.6933.P** Simbus Café, Ansonia, CT
Commission approved to extend provisional permit.
17. **ROSARIO, MIGDALIA – LCA.6924.P** Los Boricuas Café, Waterbury, CT
Commission approved to extend provisional permit.
18. **STRANITI, JOHN JR. – LIR.17593.P** Mona Lisa Restaurant of Wolcott, Wolcott, CT
Commission approved to extend provisional permit.

FINAL PERMITS:

19. **DIAGEO NORTH AMERICA INC. – LSW.363** Rosenblum Cellers, Alameda, CA
Commission approved to issue final permit.
20. **AMBIANCE INC. – LSB.746** Fort Collins, CO
Commission approved to issue final permit.
21. **OLIMP INTERNATIONAL CORPORATION – LSL.1167** Santa Clara, CA
Commission approved to issue final permit.
22. **GREEN, RODNEY – LCT.222** Olde Tymes Restaurant, Norwich, CT
Commission approved to issue final permit.
23. **CORMIER, KEVIN N. – LCT.223** Tavern Downtown, Hartford, CT
Commission approved to issue final permit.
24. **DELAURENTIS, SEMINA – LTH.81** Seven Angels Theatre, Waterbury, CT
Commission approved to issue final permit upon receipt of financial affidavit, corrected personal history for applicant – section 2 & 3, completed application – section M & N.
25. **NOWSCH, DONALD E. – LCA.6943.P** Fat Cats Bar & Grill, Colchester, CT
Commission approved to issue final permit upon receipt of publication notice.
26. **LIN, FENG – LIR.17635.P** Cheng's Garden, Enfield, CT
Commission approved to issue final permit. Endorse service bar only.
27. **BROWN, FREDRICK – LIT.1779** Burger Dog Restaurant, Bridgeport, CT
Commission approved to issue final permit AFTER 6/29/08. Endorse no bar and patio.
28. **DOMENIC R. BUONOMO JR. – LIR.17557.P**

Mark Stevens Restaurant, Waterbury, CT
Commission approved request to waive section 30-6-B28(c) – men’s room
in barroom.

29. OETJEN, JEFFREY H. – LIP.14446

World of Wine and Spirits of Newtown, Newtown, CT
Commission approved to issue final permit upon receipt of bill of sale,
seller’s affidavit, sales tax permit, cancel old permit LIP.13948.

30. ZATORSKI, TADEUSZ J. – LRW.4576

Varsovita Pizza Bistro Polish Deli, New Britain, CT
Commission approved to issue final permit upon receipt of publication
notice, photos (8x10) of barroom & proper separation between barroom and
dining room. Endorse interior access (through fire door to common hallway
at rear to serve as fire escape route).

31. ACHILLE, MICHAEL – LRW.4578

Pizzamia, Old Saybrook, CT
Commission approved to issue final permit upon receipt of publication
notice, sales tax permit, photos (8x10) of furnished interior. Endorse no bar.

32. BOLINSKY, JACK – LIR.17530.P

Biksbees Eatery, Ridgefield, CT
Commission approved to issue final permit upon receipt of seller’s affidavit.

33. PAUL, ROBERT E. – LIR.17700.P

Rob Roy’s Grille & Bar, Orange, CT
Commission approved to issue final permit AFTER 6/26/08.

34. ZELKEN, PETER A. – LGB.14239

Haley Brook Market, Mystic, CT
Assign to hearing – Section 30-20, grocery store permits.

OTHER:

35. MILLER, DIANA – LGB.14254

Hispana Grocery, East Hartford, CT
Commission approved request to amend application to show partnership of
2 (two) partners: Miriam Acevedo and Pedro Urena Escolastica.

36. RANCOURT, PATRICIA S. – LCA.5708

Pappy’s, East Hartford, CT
Commission approved patio for 6/21/2008 (1 day only).

37. MARRERO, MIGUEL III – LCA.6739

The Lounge, Hartford, CT
Commission approved to endorse permit with permanent extension of use.

38. PALMER, WALTER – LCA.6822

That Bar, New Haven, CT
Commission approved to endorse patio for the following 5 (five) days only:
6/13/2008; 6/20/2008; 7/11/2008; 7/18/2008; 7/4/2008.

39. **STEFANIS, CHRISTOS – LIR.17044** Athena II, North Haven, CT
Commission approved transfer of interest.
40. **HODGES, RAMONA JEAN – LCA.5962** Ernie's Café, New London, CT
Commission approved request for change of ownership; ok to establish trust.
41. **COOK, MEAGHAN H. – LIR.17706** Northside Tavern, Torrington, CT
Commission approved request to amend application from LIR (restaurant) to LIT (tavern).
42. **CIOTTI, VINCENT O. JR. – LRC.165** Liedles Catering, Stratford, CT
Commission approved transfer of stock and Dennis Thomas as substitute permittee.

Adjourned at 10:05 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Gerald C. Langlais
Administrator of Liquor Control
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