

DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER PROTECTION

LIQUOR CONTROL DIVISION

MINUTES

MEETING PLACE: Commission Meeting Room - Room 124

MEETING DATE: October 22, 2009 – 9:00 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
(9:00 a.m. – 9:07 a.m.)
Lynn Fiore, Staff Attorney 3
(9:00 a.m. – 9:09 a.m.)
Douglas Deveny, Secretary

HEARINGS - Mary Ellen Gillon:

1. **DEROSA, DAVID - LIR.14728** DeRosa Restaurant, Westport, CT
Remove from hearings; permit canceled. 2009-5559
2. **PATEL, SHARMISHTA - LIP.14534** Beverage Depot, Southington, CT
Commission grants Attorney Gallagher's request for continuance of formal hearing to December 17, 2009, and notes that no further continuances can be granted due to age of application. 2009-1679
3. **FARRAH, ROMMERRO H. - LIR.17459** Alchemy, New Haven, CT
Commission accepts offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of \$8,500 and 6 days suspension, 3 days of which will be held in abeyance for 6 months. If, during that 6-month abeyance period, there are no new similar allegations or incidents then the Commission will take no further action on the remaining charges that are the subject of the offer in compromise. 2008-5538, 2008-11642, 2008-8745, 2008-8751
4. **MUIR, BONNIE - LCA.5443** Berlin Station, Kensington, CT
Commission requests that information noted in Agent Lewis's 9/24/09 memorandum be provided by respondents within 30 days. 2009-746

DISCUSSIONS – Lynn Fiore:

5. **LYONS, PATRICK T. - LCA.6346** Dubliner Pub, Uncasville, CT
Commission accepts offer of \$3000 to resolve alleged violation of 30-86
(intox) 2009-4761

PROVISIONAL PERMITS:

6. **SMITH, SUSAN M. – LCA.7139** Bottoms LLC, Norwich, CT
Commission approves to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee, health certificate, abandonment affidavit needs to be notarized. Commission approved request to waive COD requirement for provisional permit.
7. **KHEMPILAR, RATTANPORN – LRW.4698** Som Siam East, Old Saybrook, CT
Commission approves to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee. Endorse patio. Commission approves request to waive COD requirement for provisional permit upon signing of application.
8. **PATEL, PARUL B. – LIP.14634** Queen Liquors LLC, Southington, CT
Commission approves to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee, cancel old permit LIP.14321, bill of sale, seller's affidavit, executed copy of lease in name of LLC. Commission approved request to waive COD requirement for provisional permit.
9. **GARDELL, MARIA G. – LIR.17984** John's Best Pizza, Ridgefield, CT
Commission approves to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee. Endorse service bar only. Commission approved request to waive COD requirement for provisional permit.
10. **FOX, DAMIAN J. – LIR.17966** Thirsty Frog LLC, Willimantic, CT
Commission approves to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, health certificate, final fire marshal approval, proof right of occupancy for backer LLC, business phone number, completed personal history forms for – R. Ledoux and Simone Cunha-Sarnebti Motuzick. Endorse patio and 1 ACB. Commission approved request to waive COD requirement for provisional permit.
11. **WARNAGIRIS, MARIA L. – LIR.17973** Tuscan Restaurant, Ivoryton, CT
Commission approves to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee, complete application (sections E & F), sketch with dimensions.
12. **CHAROENSUK, VIENTHONG – LIR.18021** Thai Hut Restaurant, Southington, CT

Commission approves to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee, layout sketch with dimensions, sales tax number, 8x10 photos of interior and exterior. Commission approved request to waive COD requirement for provisional permit.

13. **LUCCA, CHYLOE F. – LIR.18008** Wrapsody Bistro, Southington, CT
Commission approves to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee, executed copy of lease in name of LLC, health certificate, 8x10 photos of interior and exterior, sketch with dimensions, personal history and information release forms for – Michael Delucca; Thomas Smith; Mauro Belli. Commission approved request to waive COD requirement for provisional permit.

PROVISIONAL PERMIT EXTENSIONS:

14. **SMITH-WALLACH, NATALIA – LIP.14561.P.CW**
Grapes and Hops of Greenfield Liquor Shop, Fairfield, CT
Commission approved to extend provisional permit.
15. **MARTEL, DANIRA – LIR.17940.P.CW**
Tequila's Mexican Cantina, Torrington, CT
Commission approved to extend provisional permit.
16. **LEE, KOK K. – LIR.17969.P.CW**
Panda IV Asian Restaurant of Fairfield Inc, Fairfield, CT
Commission approved to extend provisional permit.

FINAL PERMITS:

17. **HOLOPONO INC – LSW.517** Calistoga, CA
Commission approved to issue final permit.
18. **AQUARO, PASQUALE – LIT.1789.P.CW** Goodwin Park Restaurant, Hartford, CT
Commission approves to issue final permit upon receipt of 8x10 photos of tavern barroom and adjustment fee of \$60.00. Endorse 2 ACB's (beverage carts), patio and interior access to Pro Shop.
19. **AQUARO, PASQUALE – LIT.1790.P.CW** Keney Park Restaurant, Hartford, CT
Commission approves to issue final permit upon receipt of 8x10 photos of tavern barroom and adjustment fee of \$60.00. Endorse ACB (beverage cart), patio and interior access to Pro Shop.
20. **EGAN, JOHN M. – LCA.7127** The Speak LLC, Waterbury, CT

Commission approves to issue final permit upon receipt of documentation which shows proof of the source of funds, supplemental fee for final permit if applicable.

21. **YOUSAF, NOUREEN – LGB.14435** Honey Plus, New London, CT
Commission approved to issue final permit.
22. **BROUILLARD, KEVIN H. – LGB.14427** Tri Town Food, Uncasville, CT
Commission approves to issue final permit upon receipt of publication notice.
23. **MIGLIOZZI, GINA LEE – LCA.7067.P.CW** Webster Theatre, Hartford, CT
Commission approves to issue final permit upon receipt of corrected copy of bill of sale showing cost of business, proof of right to occupy for backer CT LIVE LLC, 8x10 photos (of theatre area, underground area with stage concessions and red room), payment of adjusted fee \$250. Endorse 5 ACB's.
24. **KHATIWALA, MEHUL – LIH.1760.P-C** Holiday Inn, East Hartford, CT
Commission approves final permit upon receipt of publication notice, 8x10 photos of interior and exterior, sketch with dimensions and all rooms labeled.
25. **PIAZZA, ABEL A. – LIR.17969** Tequila Grill Mexican Restaurant, Naugatuck, CT
Ok to issue final permit when in receipt of 8" X 10" photos of kitchen, applicant or backer to complete sections E and F of application, and backer to sign the liquor application. Endorse "No Bar".

OTHER:

26. **RESNISKY, MARK R. – LIR.17270** Shea's American Bar & Grill, Manchester, CT
Commission approved request to allow renovations during period of suspension 10/26/09 through 10/29/09.
27. **O'BRIEN, JAMES – LCA.5898** Johnny's Grill, West Haven, CT
Commission approved request for transfer of interest.
28. **GRIFFIN, DAVID J. – LIS.2153** Ace Distributing, New Britain, CT
Commission approved application for wholesaler salesman certificate.
29. **MARRON, JEFF – LIS.2154** Bridgeport, CT
Commission approved application for wholesaler salesman certificate.
30. **PANICCIA, FERNANDO – LIC.2212** Circolo Sportiva Club, Bridgeport, CT
Commission endorsed permit with permanent additional consumer bar.

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Adjourned at 9:38 a.m.
Respectfully submitted,

John Suchy
Director of Liquor Control
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