

DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER PROTECTION

LIQUOR CONTROL DIVISION

MINUTES

MEETING PLACE: Commission Meeting Room - Room 124

MEETING DATE: April 20, 2010 – 8:30 a.m.

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

STAFF PRESENT: Elisa Nahas, Legal Counsel  
Jennifer Sturgeon – Liquor Control Special Agent  
Mary Ellen Gillon, Paralegal Specialist 2  
(8:30 a.m. – 8:37 a.m.)  
Douglas Deveny, Secretary

HEARINGS - Mary Ellen Gillon:

1. **TALLEY, LEROY - LGB.14361** Ace's Smoke and Cell Shop, Hartford, CT  
Remove from hearings; application withdrawn. 2009-5823
2. **TORRES, FREDDY - LCA.6626** Gemini's Boulevard, Hartford, CT  
Remove from hearings; fire marshal approval form received. 2010-404
3. **BIRNEY, JAMES D. - LFC.40 AND LFC.42**  
Bradley Teletheater, Windsor Locks, CT  
Remove from hearings; fire marshal approval form received. 2010-410 and  
2010-411
4. **MORRELL, GENE - LCA.7011** The Office Café, Norwalk, CT  
Commission accepts offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 2 days and  
\$750 for incident of 5/15/09.
5. **AHN, YONG W. - LIP.14392** Beverage World, Meriden, CT  
After compliance meeting, commission accepts offer in compromise in lieu of  
hearing of 9 days and \$2,250, of which 4 days and \$1,150 are 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. 2009-5696

PROVISIONAL PERMITS:

6. **PENA, JEFFY E. – LCA.7171** Amber Café, Waterbury, CT  
Commission approves request to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, sketch with dimensions, copy of sales and use tax, proof of funding, abandonment affidavit. Commission DENIED request to waive COD requirement for provisional permit at this time.
7. **SONG, BYUNGSUK – LGB.14515** Food Bazaar, Bridgeport, CT  
Commission approves request to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee, 8x10 photos of interior and lockable storage, CSBI. Commission approved request to waive COD requirement for provisional permit.
8. **MASANOTTI, JENNIFER A. – LIR.18113** River's Edge Bar & Grill, Derby, CT  
Commission approves request to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee, 8x10 photos of interior and exterior. Commission DENIED request to waive COD requirement for provisional permit at this time.
9. **PATEL, JIGNESH J. – LGB.14505** Jay's Market, Bristol, CT  
After reconsideration, Commission approves request to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee, cancel LGB.13385, bill of sale, seller's affidavit, proof right of occupancy for backer LLC. Commission DENIED request to waive COD requirement for provisional permit at this time.
10. **KOSAKOWSKI, TODD M. – LCA.7186** Wicked Wolf, New Haven, CT  
Commission approves request to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee, cancel permit LCA.6159, bill of sale, seller's affidavit, CSBI. Endorse patio and 3 ACBs. Commission approved request to waive COD requirement for provisional permit.
11. **PATEL, VATSLA M. – LIP.14680** World of Liquors, New Britain, CT  
Commission approves request to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee, cancel permit LIP.14380, bill of sale, seller's affidavit, complete section "E" of application, sketch with dimensions, personal history for Mahesh Dandikar, copy of \$100,000 loan, assignment and consent for lease. Commission DENIED request to waive COD requirement for provisional permit at this time.

PROVISIONAL PERMIT EXTENSIONS:

12. **PIATTI, ERNEST H. – LIR.18056.P.CW** Hilltop Barbeque & Steak, Moodus, CT  
Commission approved to extend provisional permit.
13. **CHEN, YU – LRW.4676.P.CW** Shiki Hana Japanese Bistro, Fairfield, CT  
Commission approved to extend provisional permit.

FINALS:

14. **MUSTANG EXPRESS TRUCKING & LOGISTICS INC – LTR.169** Hopewell Junction, NY  
Commission approved request to issue final permit.
15. **NOGGLE VINEYARDS AND WINERY – LSW.556** Clearlake Oaks, CA  
Commission approved request to issue final permit.
16. **ROWALAND CELLARS – LSW.557** Yountville, CA  
Commission approved request to issue final permit.
17. **FOKAIDIS, AGORITSA – LRW.4732** Village Pizza & Grille, Niantic, CT  
Commission approves to issue final permit AFTER 4/22/10.  
NEED: health certificate, equipment list, copy of CT sales and use tax permit,  
8x10 photos of completed interior. Endorse no bar.
18. **LEONE, MARCELO – LIR.18020.P.CW** La Casona, Hartford, CT  
Commission approves to issue final permit upon receipt of publication notice,  
8x10 photos of interior and exterior. Endorse patio.
19. **WELLS, CHARLES P. – LIR.17905** Eurest Dining Service, Hartford, CT  
Commission approves to issue final permit upon receipt of \$250.00 fees.  
Endorse patio and 4 ACBs. NEED: Letter from permittee stating that liquor  
service will be provided by wait staff only.
20. **SYLVESTRE, DAVID P. – LRW.4722** The Dock, Waterford, CT  
Commission approves to issue final permit upon receipt of bill of sale, seller's  
affidavit, cancel LRW.4484. Endorse Patio. Commission approved refund of  
\$90 due to overpayment.

OTHER:

21. **SPATHAKIS, CHARLES A. – LCT.118** Coastal Gourmet Catering, Mystic, CT  
Commission approves request for change of address to 112 Greenmanville  
Ave in Mystic.

- 22. RUSSELL, HUGH – LCT.215** The Russell, Hartford, CT  
Commission approved request to amend address to 103 Pratt Street.
- 23. AMIN, DEVENDRA J. – LIP.14523** The Liquor Mart, Hamden, CT  
Commission approved request for transfer of interest and Devendra J. Amin as substitute permittee.
- 24. FRANCIS, NERISSA L. – LCA.6934** Blue Hills Café, Hartford, CT  
Commission endorsed permit with permanent patio approval.
- 25. SOLIS, NELSON E. – LCA.6722** The Palms, Stamford, CT  
Commission approved request for patio and 1 ACB for 5/16/10 ONLY.  
NEED: \$40 for ACB.

Adjourned at 9:34 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Jennifer Sturgeon  
Liquor Control Special Agent  
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