DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER PROTECTION

LIQUOR CONTROL DIVISION

MINUTES

MEETING PLACE: Commission Meeting Room - Room 124

MEETING DATE: January 27, 2011 – 1:30 p.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Angelo J. Faenza, Liquor Control Commissioner

Stephen R. Somma, Liquor Control Commissioner

STAFF PRESENT: Elisa Nahas, Legal Counsel

Mary Ellen Gillon, Paralegal Specialist II

Douglas Deveny, Secretary

HEARINGS - Mary Ellen Gillon:

- 1. **MAZZOLA, ANTHONY J. LIR.16097** Big Bubba's BBQ, Uncasville, CT Remove from hearings; issue with DOL resolved. 2010-1522
- 2. **LUBIN, THOMAS R. LGB.14164** Caribbean Grocery, Norwalk, CT Remove from hearings; permit received for cancellation. 2010-105
- 3. **VELEZ, ADA I. LGB.13476** Family Grocery, Hartford, CT Commission grant Attorney Aponte's request for continuance of compliance meeting. 2010-383
- 4. **VELEZ, ADA I. LGB.13857** Brook Market, Hartford, CT Commission grants Attorney Aponte's request for continuance of compliance meeting. 2010-824
- 5. **LATIFF, AMZAD LGB.13427** Whole Foods Market, Westport, CT Commission accepts offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 1 day and \$3,000 for incident of 9/25/10. 2010-1242
- 6. **MARANDINO, PETER LGB.12692** Marandino Foods, New Hartford, CT Commission accepts offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 13 days for incident of 6/18/10. 2010-693

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- 7. **HIRTEN, MARC J. LIP.14248** Country Liquor Store, Westport, CT Commission accepts offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 3 days and \$750 for incident of 9/25/10. 2010-1065
- 8. **JIMINIAN, MARIA LGB.14185** Christina Grocery, Hartford, CT Commission accepts offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 3 days and \$750 for incident of 4/23/09. 2009-4689
- 9. **PATEL, FALGUNI LIP.12386** Achorn's Discount Liquors, New Milford, CT Commission accepts offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 3 days and \$750 for incident of 4/17/10. 2010-452
- 10. **PATEL, RAJESHRI LIP.14569** Whalley Liquor Shop, New Haven, CT After compliance meeting, commission accepts offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 15 days and \$5,500, of which 3 days and \$500 will be held in abeyance for 6 months, for incident of 10/14/10. 2010-1002
- 11. **KIMBALL, JOHANNA B. LIP.12809** Goshen Wine & Spirits, Goshen, CT After compliance meeting, commission would accept offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 5 days and \$1,500, of which 2 days and \$750 would be held in abeyance for 6 months, for incident of 6/18/10. 2010-691
- 12. **LE, HOAI T. LCA.6502** Mi Bar Café, Hartford, CT After compliance meeting, commission takes no further action on incidents of 10/3/09, 10/6/09, 10/16/09. 2009-2829
- 13. **RAGAINI, RAYMOND LIR.17689** Keys to the City, New Haven, CT Commission rejects offer of 15 days held in abeyance for 6 months and payment of \$2,250 for incident of 9/30/12. 2010-99
- 14. **FORD, KEVIN J. LCA.5243** Gotham Citi Café, New Haven, CT Commission rejects offer of 2 days and \$1,500, on one count of Sec. 30-90 and no further action on remaining violations of September 20 2010 and May 13, 2010. Commission would accept offer of 2 days and \$1,500 for one count of Sec. 30-86 and no further action on remaining violations. 2010-1221, 2010-526.

PROVISIONAL PERMITS:

15. KIRANLIOGLU, KENAN – LIP.14779 ALK Wine & Liquors, Hamden, CT Commission approves request to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee, CT sales and use tax certificate, completed provisional permit request form. Commission approved request to waive COD requirement for provisional permit.

- 16. PATEL, YOGESH B. LIP.14763 Yogi's Wine & Liquor LLC, Clinton, CT Commission approved request for removal. Commission approves request to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee. Commission approved request to waive COD requirement for provisional permit.
- 17. **ISLAM, MOZAHARUL LRW.4813** Shelton Pizza, Palace, CT Commission approves request to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee, cancel permit LRW.3229, bill of sale, seller's affidavit not signed, executed copy of lease. Commission approved request to waive COD requirement for provisional permit.
- 18. **LIN, LI QING LIR.18287** Red Wood Inn Inc, Danbury, CT Commission approves request to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee, cancel permit LIR.17268, seller's affidavit, 8x10 photos of interior and exterior, copy of alien registration card, menu for Red Wood Inn, patio application.
- 19. **TISCIA, RYAN M. LIR.18298**Michael's Restaurant Group LLC, New Haven, CT

 Commission reviewed received documents and still approves provisional request with prior requirements.
- 20. **PENNINO, MARIA LIR.18286** Black Stallion Restaurant LLC, Branford, CT Commission approves request to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee, CT sales and use tax permit. Commission approved request to waive COD requirement for provisional permit.

PROVISIONAL PERMIT EXTENSIONS:

- **21. JUN, IN SOO LIR.18176.P.CW** Abis Japanese Restaurant, Greenwich, CT Commission approved to extend provisional permit.
- **22. CHOLLETI, RAJASEKHAR LIP.14760.P.CW** Groton Liquors, Groton, CT Commission approved to extend provisional permit.
- 23. **GARDNER, ROBERT W. LIP.14770.P.CW**Nutmeg Fine Wines & Spirits, Waterbury, CT

 Commission approved to extend provisional permit.
- **24. CRONIN, DANIEL G. LIR.18172.P.CW**Mattabesett Canoe Club, Middletown, CT

 Commission approved to extend provisional permit.

25. **LIU, HAI YAN – LIR.18184.P.CW** Sakura Garden Restaurant, West Hartford, CT Commission approved to extend provisional permit.

FINAL PERMITS:

26. OLSHANSKY, JOSHUA – LIR.18141.P.CW

On The Border Restaurant, Rocky Hill, CT Commission approved to issue final permit.

27. MYERS, WILLIAM J. – LGB.14502.P.CW

Grade A ShopRite of Shelton, Shelton, CT Commission approved to issue final permit.

- 28. **CHEN, ANDY M. LIR.18245** Sushi Palace III, Orange, CT Commission approves to issue final permit when in receipt of CT sales and use tax permit, bill of sale for equipment, staffing list.
- 29. **DHAR, SITNAATH LGB.14568** West Main Grocery, Stamford, CT Commission approved to issue final permit.
- 30. **MEISSENN, CHRISTIAN LCT.315** Mazzerr-Hze, Bloomfield, CT Commission approved to issue caterer permit.
- 31. GULLO, LESLIE J. LIR.18194

Whitney Bar & Grill Featuring Rosie's Pizza, Hamden, CT Commission approved to issue final permit.

- 32. **HORNA, JORGE LIR.18277** Incas Peruvian Restaurant, Milford, CT Commission approved to issue final permit. Endorse service bar only.
- 33. TAVERAS, YAMIL A. LGB.14497

Paiz International Supermarket, Stamford, CT Commission approved to issue final permit.

34. CHONG, KOK KHUEN – LIR.18226

Samurai Asian Fusion Corp, Old Saybrook, CT Commission approved to issue final permit. Endorse service bar only.

35. **DIAZ, SAMUEL A. – LGB.14612** Pembroke Variety, Bridgeport, CT Commission approves to issue final permit when in receipt of assignment of lease and consent from landlord, alien registration card, publication notice, abandonment affiidavit.

36. CAI, XIU EN – LRW.4791

Sushi Palace II, North Haven, CT

Commission approves to issue final permit when in receipt of publication notice, sketch with dimensions, 8x10 photos of interior and exterior, CT sales and use tax permit. Endorse no bar.

37. **CUMMINS, JOHN – LIR.18155**

The Millstone, Kent, CT

Commission approves to issue final permit when in receipt of publication notice.

Commission approved interior access – applicant needs to get extension of use approval before vacant space is utilized as part of restaurant premises. Endorse patio.

38. **MORSE, RICHARD T. – LIH.1779.P.CW.C** Hilton Garden Inn, Milford, CT Commission approves to issue final permit when in receipt of CT sales and use tax, bill of sale, seller's affidavit, FEIN.

39. CASTILLO, ALFREDO – LCA.7212

Studio 138, Bridgeport, CT

Commission approves to issue final permit when in receipt of LCA.7027 for cancellation, copy of CT sales and use tax permit, bill of sale, health certificate, sales agreement, seller's affidavit, proof of right to occupy by backer LLC. Endorse 1 ACB.

OTHER:

40. D'ANGELO, MAGDALENE – LIP.12146

D'Angelo's Wine and Spirits, South Windsor, CT Commission approved request for transfer of interest.

41. MUCCIACCIARO, ROBERT K. – LRW.4570

Rosina's Pizzeria, Plantsville, CT

Commission approved request for transfer of interest.

Adjourned at 2:23 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

John Suchy Director of Liquor Control dd