

DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER PROTECTION

LIQUOR CONTROL DIVISION

MINUTES

MEETING PLACE: Commission Meeting Room - Room 124

MEETING DATE: February 8, 2011 – 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 Counsel  
Mary Ellen Gillon, Paralegal Specialist II  
Douglas Deveny, Secretary

HEARINGS - Mary Ellen Gillon:

1. **CARDOSA, FRANK - LIR.16608** The Old Well Tavern, Simsbury, CT  
Remove from hearings; issue with DOL resolved. 2010-1337
2. **MENDEZ, WANDA - LGB.13562** Quality Market, Waterbury, CT  
Commission grants Attorney Wabiszczewicz's request for a continuance of  
the compliance meeting. 2010-832
3. **LE, VAN - LCA.6183** Rick's Billiards, Putnam, CT  
Commission accepts offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 3 days and  
\$750 for incident of 8/21/10. 2010-912
4. **ZACHEM, KENNETH L. - LIP.12854** Lu Mac Package Store, Preston, CT  
Commission accepts offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 3 days and  
\$750 for incident of 4/3/10. 2010-397
5. **HAINES, JOHN K. - LIP.12838** Friendly Spirits, Danielson, CT  
Commission accepts offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 1 day and  
\$3,000 for incident of 6/4/10. 2010-599

6. **RAGAINI, RAYMOND - LIR.17689** Keys to the City, New Haven, CT  
After compliance meeting, commission rejects offer of \$7,500 and 3 days, 2 of which would be held in abeyance for 6 months. Commission would accept \$7,500 and 15 days, of which 14 days would be held in abeyance, for incident of 9/30/10. 2010-99

PROVISIONAL PERMITS:

7. **PLANT, DANA L. – LRW.4810** Whistle Stop Café, Windsor, CT  
Commission approved to amend application from sole proprietor to an LLC – department to issue new placard. Commission approves to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, replacard with new backer name, proof by photos of effective separation (6’ partition as required and 4’ to 5’ openings for access) from dining room to barroom – subject to agents review upon site inspection. Commission approved request to waive COD requirement for provisional permit.
8. **DEOLIVEIRA, RODRIGO A. – LRW.4814** Brooklyn Pizza, Brooklyn, CT  
Commission approves request to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee, cancel old permit LRW.4663, bill of sale, seller’s affidavit, executed copy of lease in name of LLC, 8x10 interior photos, equipment list, copy of CT sales and use tax, menu, return of CSBI. Commission approved request to waive COD requirement for provisional permit.
9. **PALMIERI, ANDREW E. – LRW.4815** Palmieri’s Pizza, Putnam, CT  
Commission approves request to issue provisional permit upon receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee, proof of filing with secretary of state’s office, articles of organization for LLC, complete sections 29a through 32 of new application, return of CSBI.

PROVISIONAL PERMIT EXTENSIONS:

10. **CESTA, SUSAN E. – LIH.1775.P.CW-A** Falls Village Inn, Falls Village, CT  
Commission approved to extend provisional permit.
11. **JOSEPH, CHARLES B. JR. – LGB.14538.P.CW**  
ShopRite of West Hartford, West Hartford, CT  
Commission approved request to extend provisional permit.
12. **RIZZUTO, WILLIAM B. – LIR.18252.P.CW**  
Rizzuto’s Wood Fired Kitchen & Bar, Westport, CT  
Commission approved request to extend provisional permit.

13. **MERCURIO, PHYLLIS R. – LIR.18227.P.CW**  
Round Robin of Milford LLC, Milford, CT  
Commission approved request to extend provisional permit.
14. **DRUST, DONALD L. JR. - LGB.14607.P.CW**  
Shoprite of Southington, Southington, CT  
Commission approved request to extend provisional permit.

FINAL PERMITS:

15. **PATEL, PRANAY – LIP.14790**  
Micky Finns, Hartford, CT  
Commission approves to issue final permit when in receipt of bill of sale, seller's affidavit, cancel old permit LIP.14712, copy of lease in name of LLC, 8x10 photos of interior, publication notice, document sources of \$69,000.00.
16. **BALICKI, STEVEN – LIR.18170.P.CW**  
Hot Tomato's, Hartford, CT  
Commission approves to issue final permit when in receipt of 8x10 photos of interior and exterior. Endorse patio and ACB.
17. **RAMADANI, LJATIF – LCA.7210**  
Max 40, Danbury, CT  
Commission approves to issue final permit when in receipt of 8x10 photos of interior and exterior, copy of CT sales and use tax permit, publication notice. Endorse patio.
18. **DE LOS ANGELES, ANA L. – LRW.4802**  
Manjares Fine Pastries, New Haven, CT  
Commission approves to issue final permit when in receipt of abandonment affidavit. Commission approves single restroom due to hardship letter. Endorse no bar and patio.
19. **SIMPSON, JEFFREY A. – LIR.18193.P.CW**  
Goodlife Grill, Granby, CT  
Commission approves to issue final permit when in receipt of publication notice. Endorse patio.
20. **LEFRANCOIS, STEPHANIE N. – LCT.319**  
Forks & Fingers, East Haven, CT  
Commission approved to issue final caterer permit.
21. **SIERING, LOUIS – LCT.312**  
Epicurean Feast, Maynard, MA  
Commission approved to issue final caterer permit.
22. **HAND, MICHAEL R. – LIT.1797**  
Stables Tavern, Torrington, CT  
Commission approved to issue final permit.

23. **PATEL, MANSI V. – LIP.14782** Saw Mill Package Store, West Haven, CT  
Commission approves to issue final permit when in receipt of bill of sale,  
seller's affidavit, copy of CT sales and use tax permit, LIP.12476 for  
cancelation.

24. **GUAMBANA, MARIA L. – LIT.1796.P.CW** Mauricio's Restaurant, Torrington, CT  
Commission endorsed single restroom due to hardship letter.

OTHER:

25. **MURPHY, MATTHEW J. – LIW.627** Do Valle, Branford, CT  
Commission approved request to remove on stipulation.

26. **PATEL, VARSHA H. – LIP.13480** Harry's Discount Liquor, Vernon, CT  
Commission approves request for removal to 482 Talcotville Road, Vernon  
when in receipt of publication notice, 8x10 photos (exterior, interior, trade  
name).

27. **REILLY, BRENDA S. – LCA.5104** Tuscany Grill, Middletown, CT  
Commission approved request for transfer of stock.

28. **LAUZIER, ROBERT D. – LIT.1794** Pitstop Tavern, Torrington, CT  
Commission approved request for removal on stipulation after 2/16/11.

29. **ITSOU, CHRISTOPHER – LIR.14147** Park Avenue Pizza Restaurant, Bloomfield, CT  
Commission approved request for transfer of stock and Anthony D. Kriticos  
as substitute permittee.

30. **PEREZ, MARIA – LGB.14049** Junior Supermarket, Hartford, CT  
Commission approved Juan C. Rodriguez as substitute permittee.

31. **DION, CAROL A. – LIR.14530** Sunset Rib Company, Waterford, CT  
Commission approved Frank Maratta as substitute permittee.

32. **ZHAO, MIAN HUA – LIR.16061** Hong Kong House, South Windsor, CT  
Commission approved Allen Yu Zhao as substitute permittee.

33. **GOODINE, RANDY J. – LCA.6729** Blecher's, Bristol, CT  
Commission approved Marybeth A. Przygocki as substitute permittee.

Adjourned at 9:18 a.m.

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Respectfully submitted,

John Suchy  
Director of Liquor Control  
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